

APL Dueling Pianos Fundraising Event

General Information

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Performers

- Robert Deason - RobertDeason03@gmail.com - 18472040912 (Piano)
- T. Duncan Parker - duncan@felixandfingers.com - 2174945079 (Piano)

IMPORTANT: Food Allergy Information

- T. Duncan Parker has the following food allergies: Seafood, Mushrooms, nuts, apples

Entire Event Day Time Frame

03/07/2025 - 07:30 pm - 10:00 pm CST

Location

The Prairie View Reception Center
8865 State Rte 4
Chatham, Illinois 62629

Contact Person(s)

Jeff Cunningham
(217) 361-6212
events@apl-shelter.org

Load-In

Load-in Note: You may see one or both performers arriving for setup. Rest assured, this is normal and coordinated in advance.

You may load in equipment at 05:00 pm

Expected number of guests:

250

Contacts

Venue Manager:

Lesa Schaive

(217) 381-5874

Lesa.Schaive@dignitymemorial.com

<https://prairieviewreception.com/>

Files

- [Dueling-Pianos-Floor-Plan_2023-1.pdf](#)



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General Timeline

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Itinerary

Time Frame	Activity	Notes
630	doors open	dj bsckground
730-10	dueling pianos	
930 or so	end silent auction	

Announcements

We will have adoptable shelter dogs arriving during the event. We would like the performers to read the dog's bio as we bring the animal into the venue and let them meet and greet the public. We will stagger their entrances by 25-30 minutes; We will likely have 3-4, but no more than 4.

Explicit Lyrics:

Keep it rated PG-13. We expect mostly adults but have occasionally had parents bring their children. No profanity please.

Songs To Avoid:

Avoid Hokey Pokey, Chicken and Line Dances.

Tipping:

Yes, for charity
Animal Protective League

Alcohol/Bar

Type: Cash

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Miscellaneous Information

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People To Include In Show

No

Children

Approximate Number Of Children: less than 10

General Age Range: teens

Wireless

Details:

Please Provide The Name Of The Connection And Password

Wireless Name

Password

TBD

Other

Performer's Attire - Dressy Casual (Women: a degree of polish, such as a blazer or jewellery. Flats or heels are acceptable. Men: chinos, suit pants or designer denims with a button-up or collared shirt; no ties.)

Performance Expectations - 3

[Please be sure to review the Fundraising Performer Guide!](#)

Departure And Load-Out

We must be packed up and out of the venue by 11:00 pm

Additional Information: Jeff will not be here on the day of, but Dina should be able to help with anything.

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Gear Check And No-List

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Reminders:

- Turn down the lights in the room
- Double check your sound board settings, speaker settings, lights, mics on, etc.

Gear Check List:

- Keyboard (with power cable and sustain pedal)
- Wireless Mic and extra batteries (lapel for ceremony)
- Stands (Keyboard Stand, Music Stand, Mic Stand, Light Stands, Speaker Stands)
- Speakers (with power cables)
- Monitors (Players may bring their own. All monitors must use the Main Send, no independent mixes)
- Lights (With power cables and pedals)
- iPad (charged, or with charger)
- Mixing Board
- EIF/Questionnaire
- Pencils/Forms/Tip Jar/Gaff Tape
- Freddy
- Stool
- Cables (Power/Patch/XLR/DJ Cable)
- DJ Headphones
- Mini Shells
- Rockin Roller
- Extra Mic
- Clothing: Shirt/Pants/Socks/Shoes/Belt/Tie/Undershirt
- Business Cards

The "No" List

- No special load-in instructions
- No must-play songs
- No sound ordinances
- No shuttle

Emergency Contacts

Below is the order of contact to follow:

1. National Entertainment Director

Shawn Grindle - (412) 860-0544

2. Logistics Manager

Tina Naponelli - (815) 382-4341

If they are unavailable:

3. COO

Bre Podgorski - (818) 823-5799 (text only)

4. CEO

Mike Potts - (815) 245-3623 (text only)

Scribd

Scribd is a great resource for locating sheet music (ie. First dances, ceremony music, special requests). Please feel free to use our account.

Username:info@felixandfingers.com

Password:FFPlayer88

Player FAQ

Have other questions? Chat with our [AI Support](#)