First Merchant Bank's 2025 Mortgage Rally Corporate Event General Information

Performers

- Michael Sherman msherman@felixandfingers.com 5135181471 (Piano)
- Robert Deason RobertDeason03@gmail.com 18472040912 (Piano)
- Joey Zymonas joey.zymonas@gmail.com 8154744940 (Drummer)

Entire Event Day Time Frame

02/11/2025 - 06:00 pm - 10:00 pm EST

Location

Grand Wayne Convention Center 120 W Jefferson Blvd Fort Wayne, Indiana 46802-3013

Contact Person(s)

Andrew McFalls (765) 760-1577 tvoisin@firstmerchants.com

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 **Please Note:** FMB main event space is in the Anthony Wayne ballroom on the main (first) level. Venue has indicated the easiest load in would be from the Washington Dock, if you're able to navigate backing up into a loading dock and carrying equipment up a few stairs.

Expected number of guests:

140-150

Contacts

Photographer: Matt Howell Farmhouse Creative (765) 717-4825 matt@farmhousecreative.net http://www.farmhousecreative.net

Venue Manager: Brett Veit (260) 407-5113 bveit@grandwayne.com http://grandwayne.com

Rally Coordinator

Theresa Voisin (248) 444-8233 tvoisin@firstmerchants.com

<u>Upgrades</u>

• Additional Musicians

<u>Files</u>

• Grand-Wayne-Center-Facility-Map.pdf

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First Merchant Bank's 2025 Mortgage Rally Corporate Event General Timeline

Itinerary

Time Frame	Activity	Notes
6:00 - 6:30	Cocktails/Hors D'Oeuvres	Served outside main room
6:30 - 7:30	Dinner	Track music
6:00 - 7:30	DJed Music	Track music
7:30 - 8:30	Award Ceremony	Award ceremony walk up music (while winners are walking up, AND inbetween categories). May not need full hour.
8:30 - 10:00	Dueling Pianos	Potentially longer if award ceremony ends early

Dinner Seating

Dinner will be served in the banquet area between 6:30-7:30. Players are welcome to eat during this time in available seating (not assigned seating).

Explicit Lyrics:

Keep it PG-13

Tipping:

Yes

<u>Alcohol/Bar</u>

Type: Open

First Merchant Bank's 2025 Mortgage Rally Corporate Event Miscellaneous Information

People To Include In Show

N/A

Wireless

Details: Please Provide The Name Of The Connection And Password Wireless Name

GWCC Guest

No Password

Password

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 paints or designer denims with a button-up or collared shirt; no ties.) **Performance Expectations** - 3 - A mix of interaction with both traditional requests and dance songs. This number represents a sliding scale between 0 and 5. 0 leans towards traditional bar show with lots of dueling piano banter and comedy. 5 represents a show with little talking and non-stop dancing.

Please be sure to review the Corporate Events Guide!

Departure And Load-Out

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

First Merchant Bank's 2025 Mortgage Rally **Corporate Event Gear Check And No-List**

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) Emergency Contacts
- 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

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The "No" List

- No special announcements
- No genres/tunes to avoid
- No must-play songs
- No children
- No sound ordinances
- No shuttle

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 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