

# KSA Events Holiday Basketball Celebration of Athletes Private Event

## General Information

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### **Performers**

- Meny Leizerovich - meny@felixandfingers.com - 954-802-4598 (Piano)
- Philip Mahoney - booking.philipmahoney@gmail.com - 3213146971 (Piano)
- Ton Silva - produton@gmail.com - 407-530-7996 (Instrument not found)

### **IMPORTANT: Food Allergy Information**

- Philip Mahoney has the following food allergies: Nothing with peanuts, can't have cheese/dairy, nothing acidic/oily.

### **Entire Event Day Time Frame**

12/28/2024 - 09:00 pm - 12:00 am EST

### **Location**

Gaylord Palms Resort and Hotel  
6000 W Osceola Pkwy  
Kissimmee, Florida 34746

### **Contact Person(s)**

Katie Dull  
(407) 716-2618  
katie@ksaevents.net

### **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 06:30 pm

**Please Note:** We will need to work with the Gaylord Palms team to reserve the loading dock for your load in on both December 21st and December 28th

From Michelle Arguetta @ Gaylord Palms: Please see attached map to our Security/ Employee Entrance. Please unload all items here, park and then bring items to ballrooms space. All vendors coming back of house would need to check in at the iPad outside the building and pick up their badge from security.

\*\*\*Please make sure everyone has a photo ID as it will be needed at check in.

Those badges will serve as your complimentary parking pass for departure after they are turned back into security.

Should they need any assistance when onsite , 407-744-4758.

**Expected number of guests:**

For the 21st 525 guests for the 28th 875

**Contacts****Venue Manager:**

Michelle Argueta

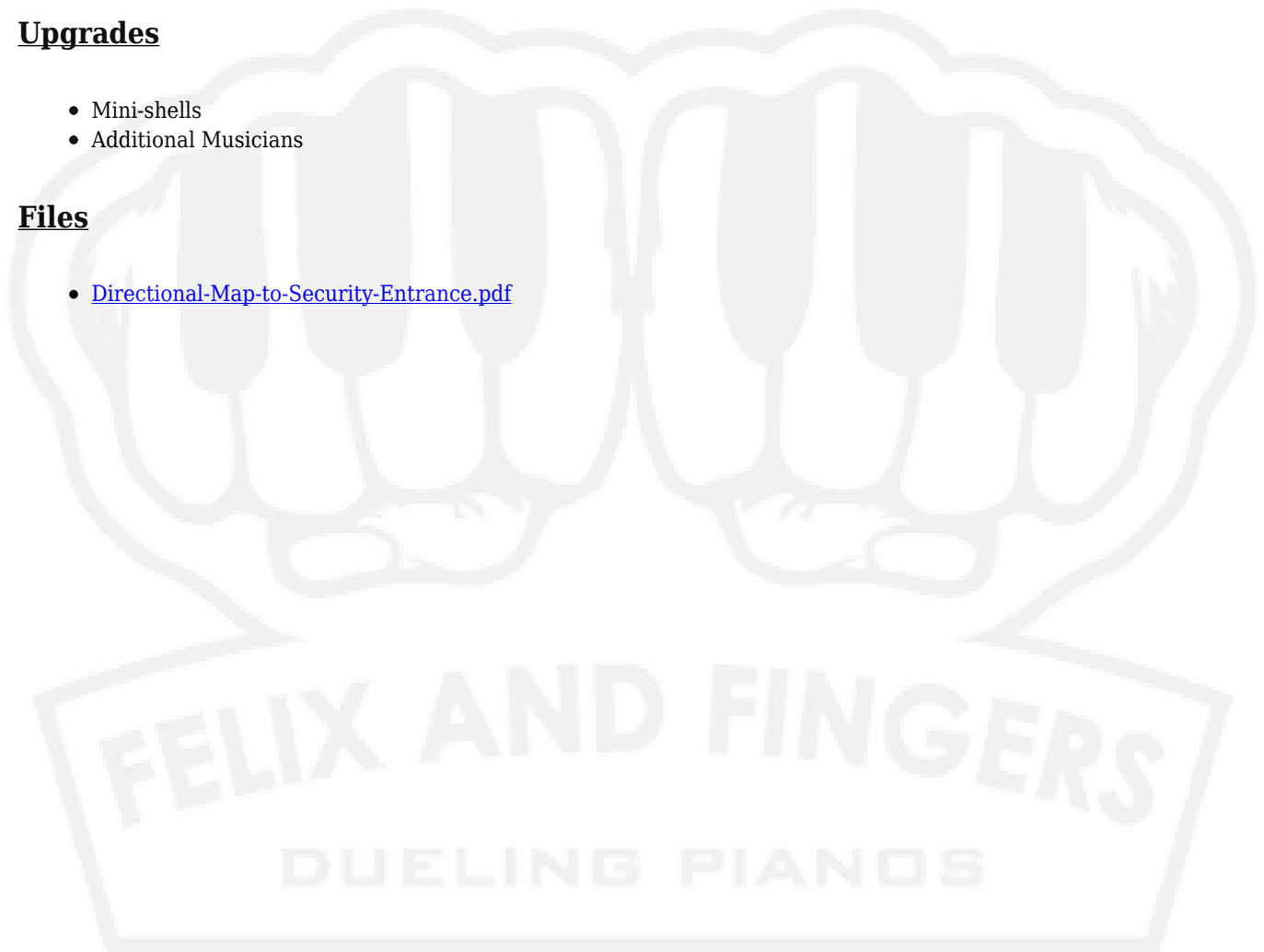
Michelle.Argueta@gaylordhotels.com

**Upgrades**

- Mini-shells
- Additional Musicians

**Files**

- [Directional-Map-to-Security-Entrance.pdf](#)



# KSA Events Holiday Basketball Celebration of Athletes Private Event General Timeline

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## **Itinerary**

Time Frame	Activity	Notes
9:00 PM - 10:30 PM	Dinner Open	Buffet dinner all guests arrive and begin eating / buffets open for an hour and a half / would like background music being played as guests are entering and eating
9:30 PM - 11:30 PM	Dueling Pianos and Musicians	
10:00 PM - 10:30 PM	Awards (Announce All Tournament Team) Only on the 21st event not the 28th	Only for the event of the 21st
9:30 PM - 11:30 PM	Minute to Win It Games Throughout with Prizes	
11:30 PM - 12:00 AM	DJ	If kids are not interacting with the Dueling Pianos may want to have DJ start sooner

## **Dinner Seating**

Players can eat off of the buffet between 9pm - 9:30 PM or we can possibly pull plates and they can eat after their set. Whichever they prefer.

## **Announcements**

We will have you announce the all tournament teams on the event on the 21st. (Does not apply for the event on the 28th)

## **Explicit Lyrics:**

No Explicit lyrics

## **Songs To Avoid:**

Would like more top hits played than anything

## **Tipping:**

No

## **Alcohol/Bar**

**Type:** Combination/Other

**Details:** each adult gets two drink tickets and then it is a cash bar. No one allowed to order excessively

## **VIP Branding Wrap**

Players, please find the simple instructions on how to apply the wrap here: <https://youtu.be/OYODK8s37gs>



# KSA Events Holiday Basketball Celebration of Athletes Private Event Miscellaneous Information

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## **People To Include In Show**

You can have the athletes come up on stage at times. The more interactions with them the better

## **Children**

**Approximate Number Of Children:** Some young kids will be there maybe 20 - 30

**General Age Range:** A majority of the guests are between 13-18

## **Wireless**

**Details:** There is no name/password. You may have to create a hotspot.

## **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 - 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 Private Events Guide!](#)**

## **Departure And Load-Out**

**Shuttle Details** - a majority of the guests are staying at the Gaylord Palms. Some are staying at Endless summer dockside on universal property. The shuttles will start leaving to go back to dockside at 10:30 PM and the last shuttle will leave at midnight

**\*\*Make the announcement at start time and closer to end time.**

**We must be packed up and out of the venue by 02:00 am**

**Additional Information:** The guests are high school athletes and some of their families. We want to make sure we get the kids up and interacting and dancing. They are coming from all over the country and this is the one event where they are all together.

# KSA Events Holiday Basketball Celebration of Athletes Private Event 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 must-play songs
- No tipping allowed
- No sound ordinances
- No wireless access

## **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](#)