

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT THE BLUEBIRD BALL

Q: When should I arrive?

A: We will open our check-in tables at 5:00pm to accommodate for lines. The cocktail reception, silent auction, raffles & wine pull begin at 5:30pm.

Q: What about parking?

A: If possible, please consider using a ride share service, such as Uber or Lyft (or an old-fashioned taxi). We will be providing complimentary valet parking, however we will also be providing an open bar and we want you to have a fun and safe time. We will have visible signs posted for valet and taxi drop-offs/pick-ups. Stay safe!

Q: Are children invited?

A: We cannot guarantee that your children will enjoy themselves, as this is not a child-friendly event. Our celebration includes a sit-down dinner, presentations, toasts, alcohol, band playing oldies music, etc., so please use your best judgment as to whether your child will be able to sit through and enjoy (or allow YOU to enjoy) our event. Plus, we'd really love for you to stay all night and not have to rush home for bedtime! There are no discounted tickets for children.

Q: Is the site handicapped accessible?

A: Not officially, however we will try to be as accommodating as possible. There are no need for stairs for any parts of the evening and the tent will be on a flat grassy area.

Q: Will there be alcohol?

A: Yes, we will have a full open bar. This is another reason we strongly encourage you to use Uber or Lyft so that you can feel free to enjoy yourselves. Please drink responsibly.

Q: What is the dress code?

A: This is a black-tie event. There is usually a mixture of tuxedos, suits, and long evening gowns. Feel free to go all out! **Ladies, remember that heels sink in grass (Check out GoGoHeel Stoppers on Amazon!)**

Q: Is the event inside or outside?

A: The event is outside under a tent. It will be November in NC, which means we have no idea what the weather will be like. Last year we were prepared for the cold, but we never had to turn the heaters on. The year before we didn't have enough heaters. We will have heaters, but please dress appropriately for the weather and event.

Q: Will there be music? Can we dance?

A: Yes, and you better, or we will be sad! This year we will have the live band *Major Vice* playing for us after the live auction, so we really hope you stick around and enjoy the tunes.

Q: When is the RSVP deadline?

A: Saturday, October 14, 2023 (*only if you are coming*). Please respond [HERE](#).

Q: Will there be an opportunity to purchase tickets at the door?

A: No, all tickets must be purchased ahead of time, by the above deadline.

Q: I already sent in my RSVP, but now I have an emergency and can't attend anymore. Do I need to let you know?

A: Yes, please! While we will certainly miss your presence on this special day, it is important for us to know exactly who will be attending for food and seating arrangement purposes. If the status of your attendance changes any time, please contact us ***immediately*** at [Hello@3Bluebirdsfarm.org](mailto>Hello@3Bluebirdsfarm.org) or 919-629-7500. Thank you!