

E. J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall

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Website for E.J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall: <http://www.ejthomashall.com/>

Days	Office Hours	Ticket Office Hours
Monday – Friday	8:00 am – 5:00 PM	10:30 am – 6 PM
Saturday	Closed	10:00 am – 2:00 PM
Summer (Mon. – Fri.)	8:00 am – 4:30 PM	10:00 am- 2:00 PM

Administrative Office	330-972-7595
Business Office Fax	330-972-6571
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Ticket Office Fax	330-972-2700
Stage Door	330-972-7596
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Main Lobby Phone	330-972-6828

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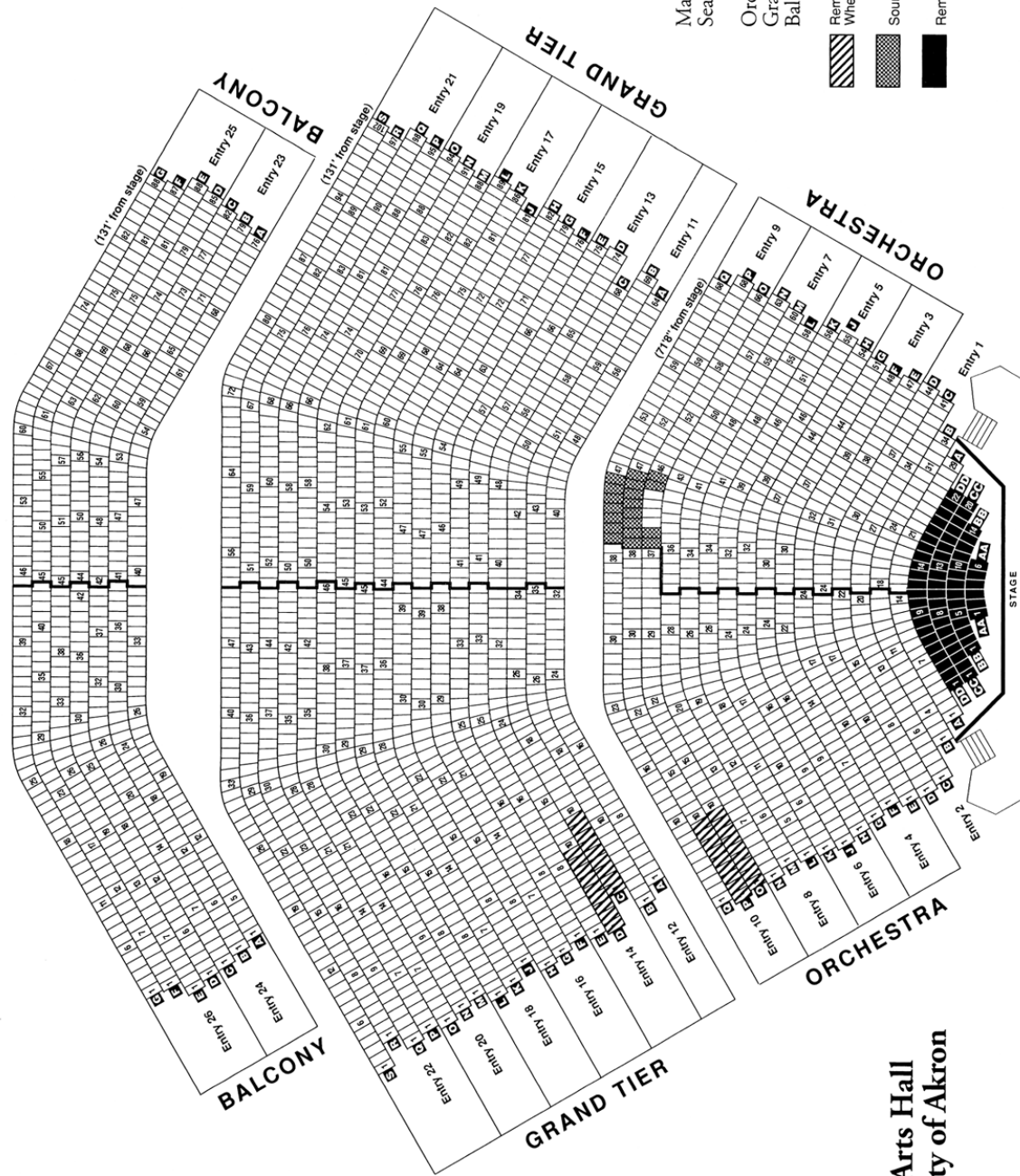
Emergency Numbers		
Akron City Police 330 – 375 – 2181 or 911 (Emergency)	Akron Fire Department 330 – 375 – 2101 or 911 (Emergency)	University of Akron Police 330 – 972 – 7123 or 911 (Emergency)

House and Ticket Information




Seating Breakdown	Total Seating = 2955 Seats
Orchestra Section	873 Seats (20 to 62 seats less if orchestra pit or thrust stage is used)
Grand Tier	1497 Seats
Flying Balcony	585 Seats

- **E. J. Thomas Hall will utilize 30 end seat complimentary tickets for usher crew per performance. As per contract, other house complimentary seats may be needed.**
- **E. J. Thomas Hall is fully accessible to patrons with disabilities. Special parking, cutdown curbs, restrooms and wheelchair and companion seating are available. A Williams Personal PA Receiver© is available for the hearing impaired.**
- **E. J. Thomas Hall is on line with the Ticketmaster system. Tickets may be purchased at all area Ticketmaster outlets, the E. J. Thomas Hall Ticket Office or by calling Ticketmaster phone charge at 330-747-1212 for Youngstown; 330-945-9400 for Akron; 216-241-5555 for Cleveland. Tickets are also available through all Northeastern Ohio Kaufmann's stores and select Stop-n-Shop stores.**
- **For more information or to purchase tickets online go to <http://www.ejthomashall.com> or <http://www.ticketmaster.com>**

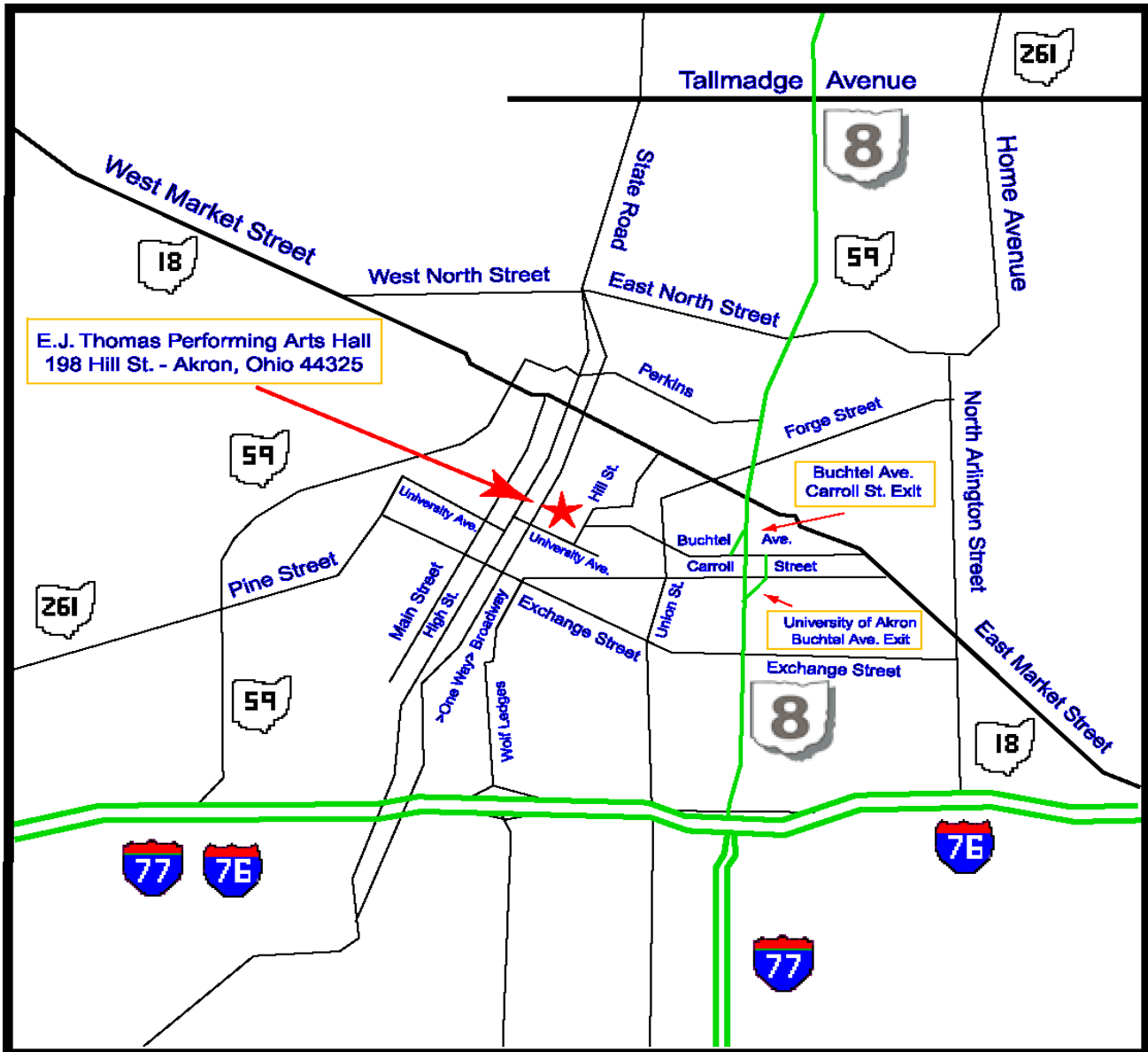
**E.J. Thomas
Performing Arts Hall
The University of Akron**



Maximum
Seating Capacity=2955
Orchestra874
Grand Tier1497
Balcony585

-  Removable Seats for Wheelchair Patrons
-  Sound Console
-  Removable Pit Seats

Map to E.J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall



Directions to E.J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall

From the North (Cuyahoga Falls, Cleveland):

Route 8 South. Exit Buchtel Avenue / Carroll Street. At the end of the ramp, turn right on Buchtel Avenue. Follow Buchtel Avenue until it dead-ends into E.J. Thomas Hall. Parking is available in the parking deck or in any lot manned by an attendant.

From the South (Canton):

I-77 North straight to Route 8 North. Exit Buchtel Avenue / Carroll Street. Turn left at the second light, which is Buchtel Avenue. Follow Buchtel Avenue until it dead-ends into E. J. Thomas Hall. Parking is available in the parking deck or in any lot manned by an attendant.

From the East: (Youngstown):

I-76 West to Route 8 North. Exit Buchtel Avenue / Carroll Street. Turn left at the second light, which is Buchtel Avenue. Follow Buchtel Avenue until it dead-ends into E. J. Thomas Hall. Parking is available in the parking deck or in any lot manned by an attendant.

From the West: (Montrose, Summit Mall, Medina, and Cleveland):

I-77 South / I-76 East. Exit Wolf Ledges. Follow for 1/2 Mile, Turn left on to Wolf Ledges. Wolf Ledges goes underneath a bridge. Take the first street on your left, which is Wolf Ledges Parkway. At the second traffic light turn right on University Avenue and then left on Hill Street. Parking is available in the parking deck on your left or in any lot manned by an attendant.

Loading and Unloading Information

Loading and Unloading

- The Loading Dock is located at the intersection of Hill Street and Buchtel Avenue and will accommodate ONE Truck at a time.
- Maximum height for trucks is 13'. Trucks higher than 13' unload from the sidewalk approximately 40' from the loading door.
- Two trucks may unload from the sidewalk simultaneously.
- Loading Door is 8' Wide by 13' High.
- There is a 14' by 44" Armaloy Ramp available.
- The Loading Dock is at street level so everything must be ramped or lowered by lift gate. Once unloaded, equipment is at stage level and may be moved directly to the stage.
- Any equipment for dressing rooms may be taken to that level by the backstage freight elevator (6' Wide and 7' 2" high door).
- In the elevator, the stage is at Level #3, Dressing Rooms are at Level #2, and the Rehearsal Room is at Level #1.
- All Front-Of-House equipment (mixing consoles, processing racks, lighting boards, video projection equipment, or merchandising for the lobbies must be rolled around the south side of the building through the front doors to those areas.
- Several heavy-duty 4-wheel dollies are available for rolling equipment inside the building. A 2-wheeled hand-truck is also available.
- There is no direct, ramped access through the building to the Front-Of-House areas from the sidewalk loading / unloading area.
- A small storage closet is available for Front-Of-House equipment cases once this equipment is put in position.
- Plug-In shore power for tour buses is available at the Loading area.

Stage Labor

- Union Crew: I.A.T.S.E. Local 48 - Stagehands & Wardrobe
- I.A.T.S.E. Local 364 Projectionists
- Fax to: 330-650-9747 and 330-972-6571 – E. J. Thomas Hall

E. J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall

Stage Information

<p>Stage Type</p> <p>Proscenium with Optional Thrust</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Stage Dimensions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proscenium Opening: 56' Wide by 36' High • Front Curtain to Back Wall: 48' • Apron: 5' • Hanging Depth: 35' 9" • Distance from Stage Right Proscenium Wall to Off Stage Wall: 45' • Distance from Stage Left Proscenium Wall to Off Stage Wall: 9' 6" • Vertical Clearance for Stage Right and Stage Left Wings: 22' 6" • Height of Stage Floor from Seating Floor: 43" • Distance from Stage Lip to Back of Orchestra Seating: 71' 8" • Distance from Stage Lip to Back of Grand Tier Seating: 131' • Distance from Stage Lip to Back of Flying Balcony: 131' • Distance from Stage Lip to Proscenium Wall: 4' 5"
<p style="text-align: center;">Stage Floor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Stage Floor is constructed of pine and has been stained black. • The Stage may be extended by raising one or both of the hydraulic (pit) lifts. • By design, these lifts CANNOT be operated simultaneously.
<p style="text-align: center;">Stage Curtains</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The house is equipped with a zetex fire curtain, upstage side of the proscenium wall and <u>will remain clear</u> of all scenic items • The house act curtain is a manually operated burgundy velour curtain. It operates as a traveler or a guillotine. The operation of the traveler is from stage right floor level .The guillotine operation is from the fly floor stage left. • All other legs and black borders are black velour. • We have 5 sets of legs and borders, and 2 full black travelers. • Legs: 30' Long by 18' Wide Borders: 8' Long by 80' Wide • Location of legs borders and travelers are indicated on the Lineset schedule. • NOTE: Legs and borders are tied with fullness but are sewn flat. • A white Austrian curtain, white scrim, black scrim, black drop and several painted drops are available for an additional fee.
<p style="text-align: center;">Orchestra Pit</p> <p>The Orchestra Pit can be made available by removing the seat wagons on one or both of the two hydraulic lifts located in the front of the stage. These lifts cannot be operated simultaneously. The full orchestra pit can seat approximately 75 musicians and the small pit approximately 30 musicians. The Orchestra pit is 92" below stage level. Music stands with lights and chairs are available. The Orchestra Pit is accessible from two stairways at the dressing room level.</p>

Fly System Lineset Schedule

Line Number	Distance from Proscenium	House Hang / Description & Batten Length	Notes
	3"	Fire Curtain	
	1' 3"	Act Curtain	
1	2' 3"	Black Border / Flat	
Winch	2' 10"	Hard Teaser (Black)	
Winch	3' 2"	Hard Tormentor (Black)	
Winch	4' 3"	Light Bridge	
2	5' 6"	Permanently rigged cable for Orchestra Shell	
3	6' 0"		
4	6' 6"		
5	7' 0"	Black Legs	
6	7' 6"		
7	8' 0"		
8	8' 6"		
9	9' 0"		
10	9' 10"		
11	10' 4"		
12	10' 9"	Black Border	
13	11' 3"	Black Legs	
14	12' 0"		
15	13' 0"		
16	14' 0"	House Electric 1A	
17	15' 0"		
18	15' 6"	Black Border	
19	16' 0"	Mid-stage Traveler (Black)	
20	16' 4"		
21	17' 0"		
22	17' 6"		
23	18' 0"		
24	19' 0"		
25	20' 0"		

Fly System Lineset Schedule (Continued)

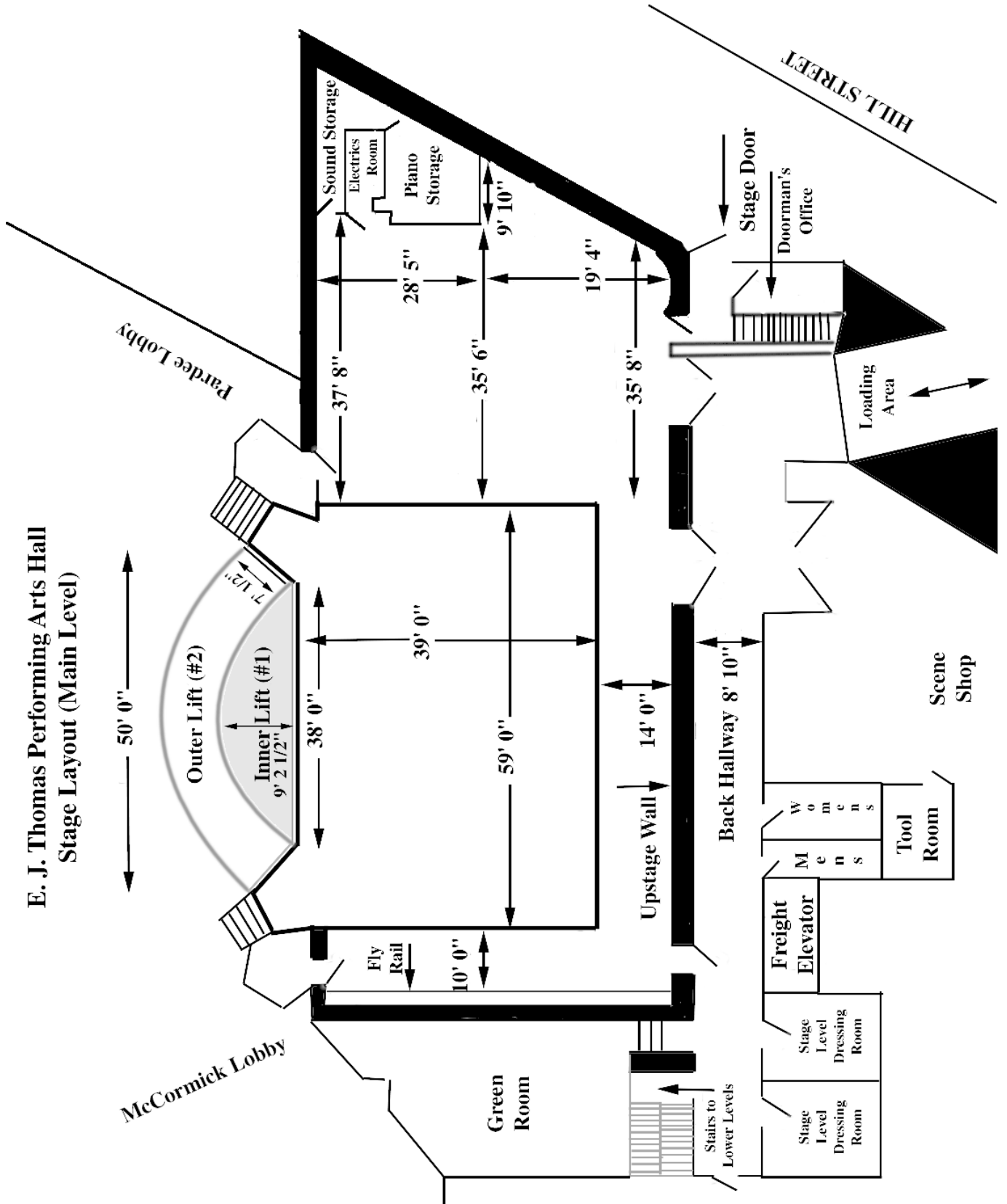
26	20' 6"		
27	21' 0"		
28	21' 6"	Black Border	
29	22' 0"	Black Legs	
30	22' 6"		
31	23' 10"		
Winch	25' 0"	Light Bridge #2	Cable Pick @ 26' 0"
32	27' 0"		
33	27' 6"	Black Traveler	
34	28' 0"		
35	28' 8"		
36	29' 5"		
37	31' 0"	Short Pipe 54'-6"	
38	31' 10"	Black Legs	
39	33' 0"		
40	34' 0"		
41	34' 6"		
42	35' 0"		
43	35' 6"	Cyc Lights	
44	36' 0"	Blackout Drop	

Note: All linesets in **Bold** are E.J. Thomas HOUSE LINESETS and are not movable.

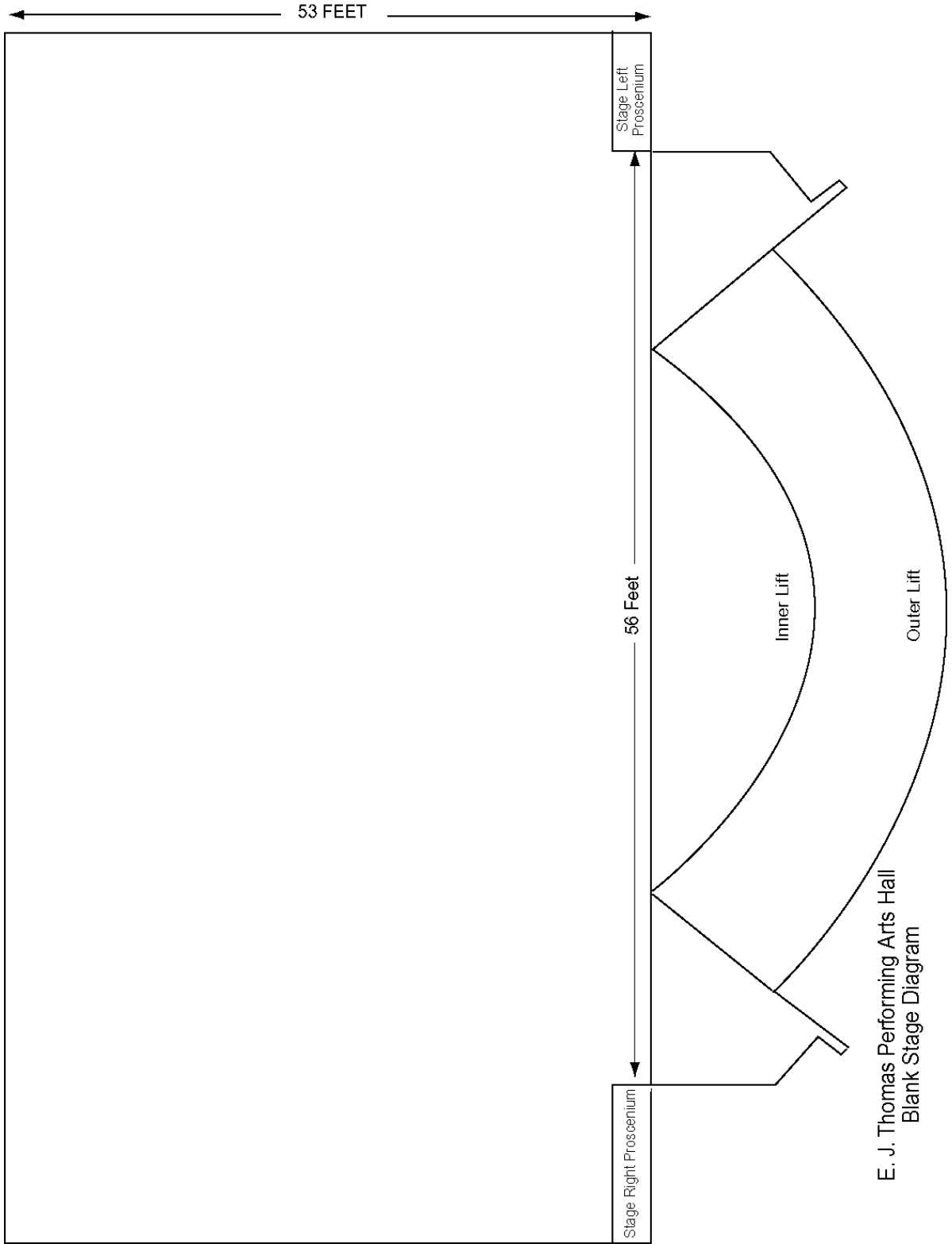
All other soft goods are movable.

House battens standard length is 54'-0" Grid Height is 85'-0"

**E. J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall
Stage Layout (Main Level)**



UPSTAGE WALL



E. J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall
Blank Stage Diagram

Lighting System Specifications

Stage Electrics

- **Auxiliary Electrical Tap Ins:**

Located Stage Right, Stage Level

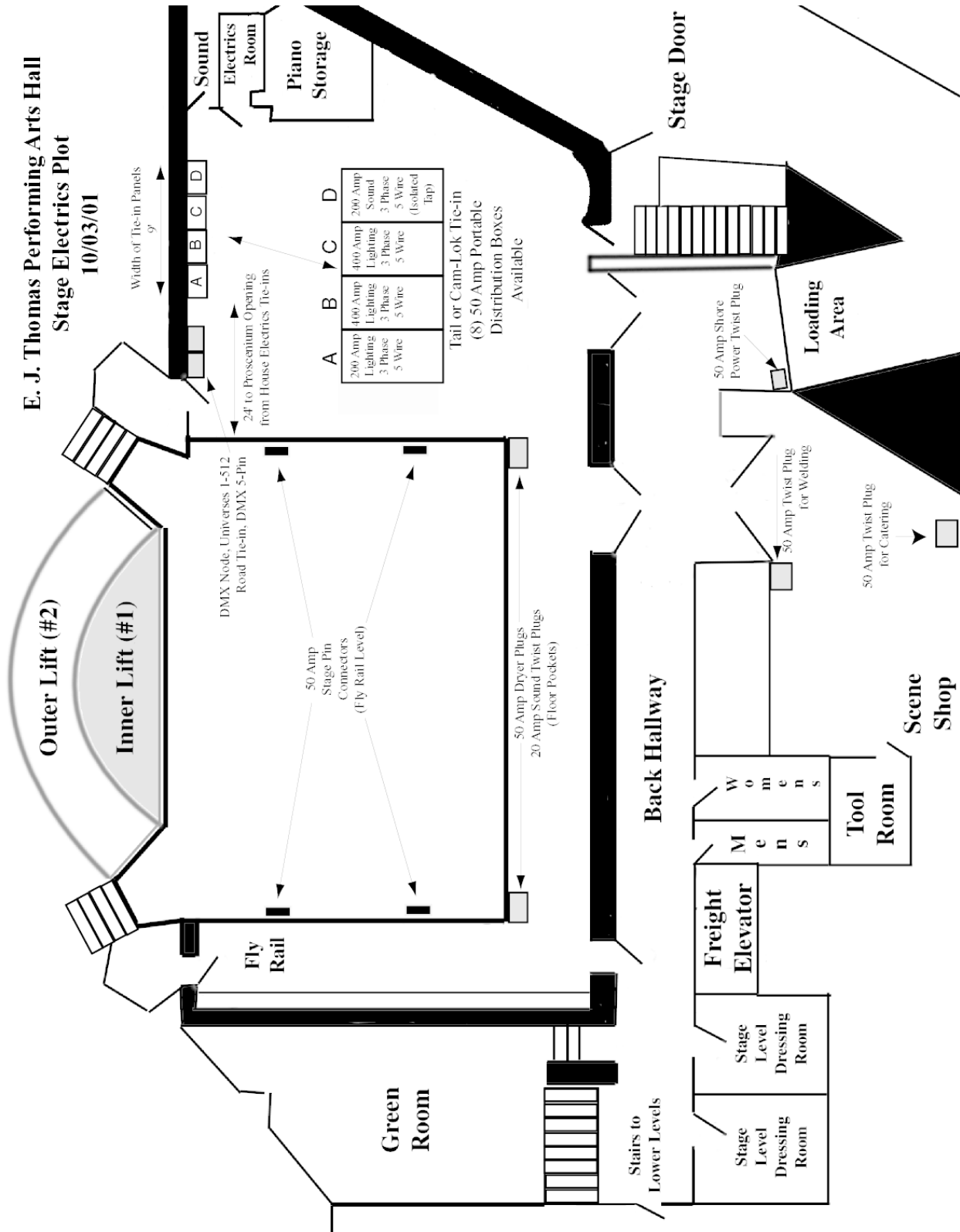
(2) - 400amp 5 Wire 3 Phase Panels

(1) - 200amp 5 Wire 3 Phase Panel

- **Lighting Control:**

- The control for the house system is a Strand 550i Control Console with Lightpalette TMFoundation Software.
- 54 Submasters, 48 with 6 user-programmable Asupermasters@ with LCD labels, each with bump button and two LED indicators, arranged in 6 pages of memories.
- Dimmer per circuit operation with Strand Lighting CD80 dimmer bank with Supervisor electronics.
- 548 - 2.4kW CD80/SV dimmers
- DMX in and out available at stage right and back of house.
- Focus remote and designer console are available
- The **front-of-house lighting positions** consist of a cove position and box boom positions. The cove is 69' from the edge of the stage at a 55-degree angle. Distance to the boom position varies from 68' at a 45-degree angle to a 27-degree angle at the low point. A second box boom position is 78' at a 45- degree angle.
- The stage has two winch operated electric pipes that are indicated on the line set schedule with hardwired circuits. All other electric positions are adjustable to meet the needs of each show.
- Drop cables are available from both stage right and stage left gallery positions for booms and additional electrical pipes.
- (2) 30' Genie lifts are available for focusing. **Outriggers will be used as per the OSHA Requirement**
- **Sound Electrics Feed:**
- A separate panel with isolated feed and ground is also located stage right, floor level.
(1) - 200amp 3 Phase 5 Wire disconnect panel
The above panels may be accessed by direct tap or cam-lock connector

**E. J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall
Stage Electrics Plot
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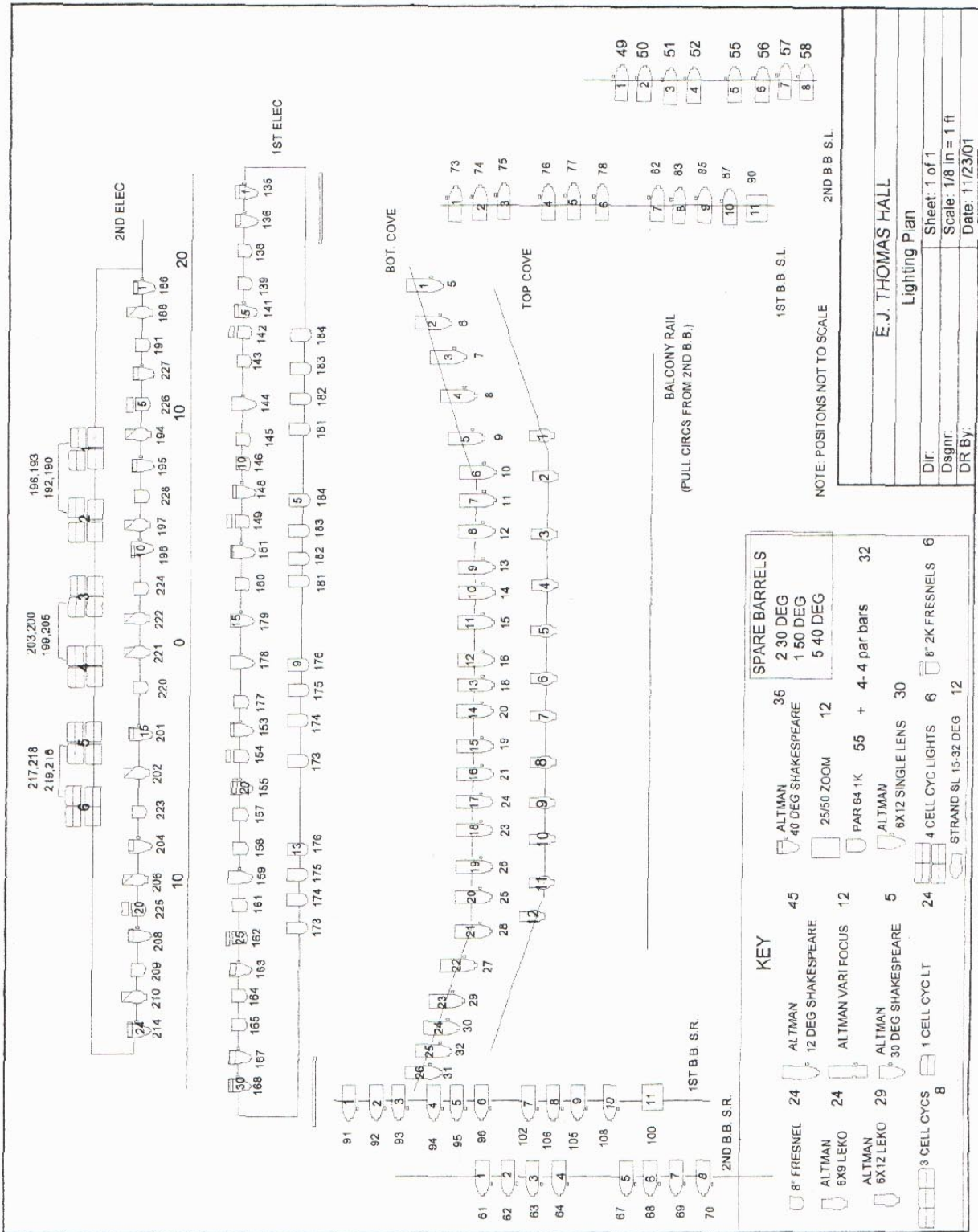
Available Lighting Equipment

Quantity	Power	Type
46	575W	12 degree Altman-Shakespear units (Hanging Front-of-House)
10	1000W	20 degree Altman variable focus units
24	750W	6 x 9 Altman Lekolites
35	575W	40 degree Altman-Shakespear
5	575W	30 degree Altman-Shakespear
30	750W	6 x 12 Altman Lekolites
12	575W	Strand Lighting SL 15° - 32° Lekolites
24	1000W	8" Strand Lighting Fresnel –
6	1000W	Strand Lighting Fresnels
55	1000W	PAR 64 (narrow, medium, wide)
8	1000W	4 unit par strips (4 par cans pre-hung on unistrut)
8	1000W	Lee Colortran Far Cyc's - 3 circuits
24	1000W	Lee Colortran Far Cyc's - single units
6	1000W	4 - circuit Far Cyc units
24	575W	Century-Strand Orion model 4005 (ground row Cyc's)
2	2000W	25/50 Zoom Xenon Super Trouper #2 Follow Spots . These follow spots are located in a booth at the back of the Grand Tier seating, 131' from edge of stage

- There are 8 boom bases with pipe and side arms available
- NOTE: All Performing Arts Hall equipment is equipped with a 20A 3-prong twistlock plug (ground old style pin out). Twist-to-pin and twist-to-Edison adapters are available in a limited quantity. All instruments have gel frames.

Additional Equipment Available

- Full Orchestra Shell – Sides and Ceiling – Wenger Corporation.
- Risers (33" x 6') 6", 12", 18", 24", and 30" heights.
- Choir Risers (4) 4 Level Section 8" to 32"
- Chairs – Wooden folding chairs specifically for the risers, Stackable utility chairs.
- Music Stands with lights and gels
- (2) Powered adjustable lecterns with lights, digital clocks, countdown timers, dual microphone inputs and underside shelves
- (1) Standard lectern with lights, microphone input, and underside shelf
- Pianos – (2) 9' Steinway Concert Grand, (1) Yamaha upright #WX1 48", (1) Chickering Baby Grand – All are in good condition and regularly tuned and repaired.
- (2) Blackboard / Bulletin Boards
- (1) 15' x 20' Front or Rear Projection Screen with legs and drape kit
- (1) 12' x 15' Front or Rear Projection Screen
- (2) 16mm Sound Projectors (These items are located in the projection booth at the back of the Orchestra Seating area
- (1) 35mm Slide Projector
- Tables 60" round, 6' and 8' rectangular, (3) 3' x 3' card tables
- (1) 24" Mirrored Ball with Motor
- Pipe and Drape is available within the Hall
- A well-equipped scene shop with theatre-related tools, supplies, and equipment is located behind the upstage wall.



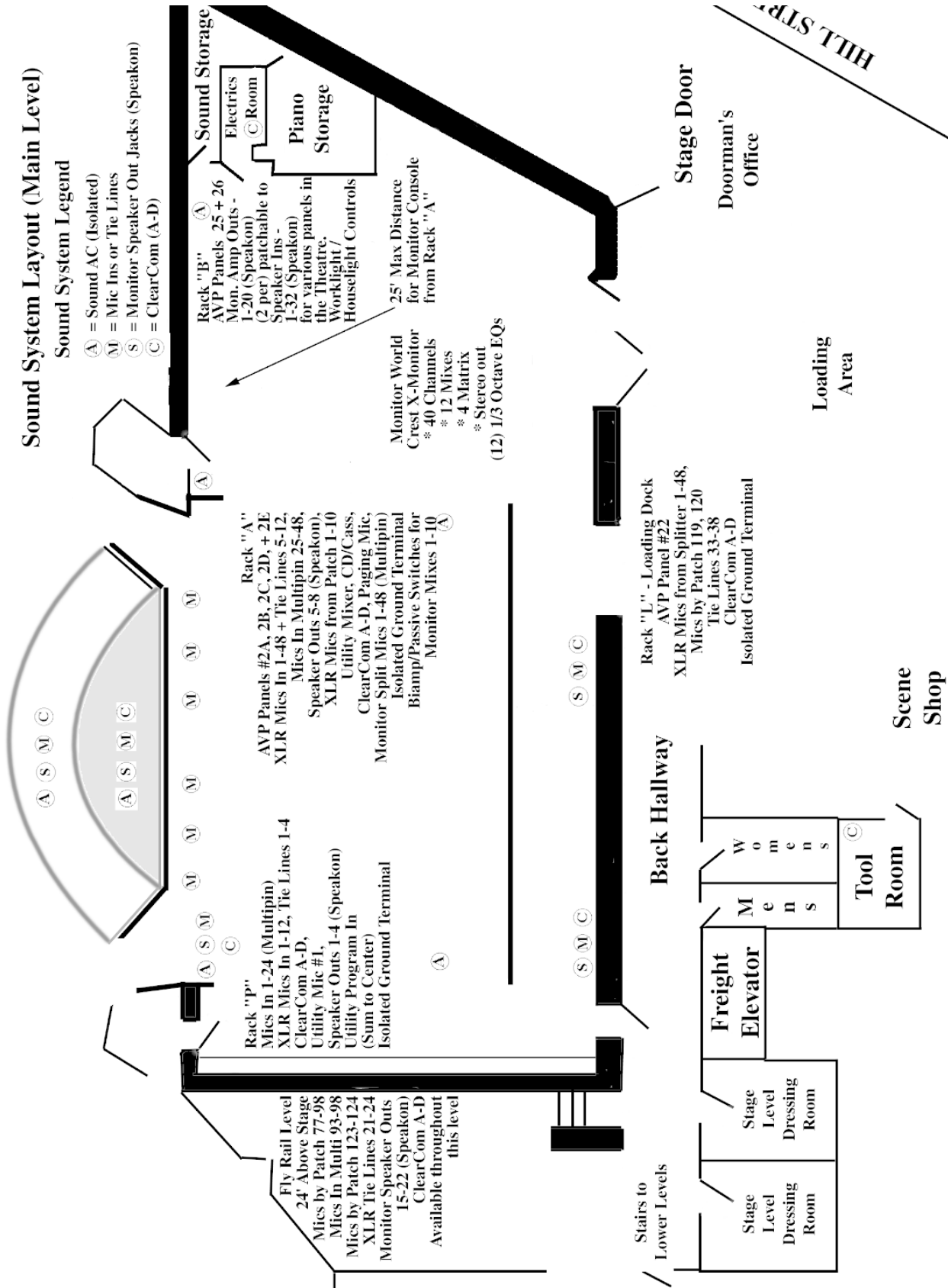
Sound System Specifications

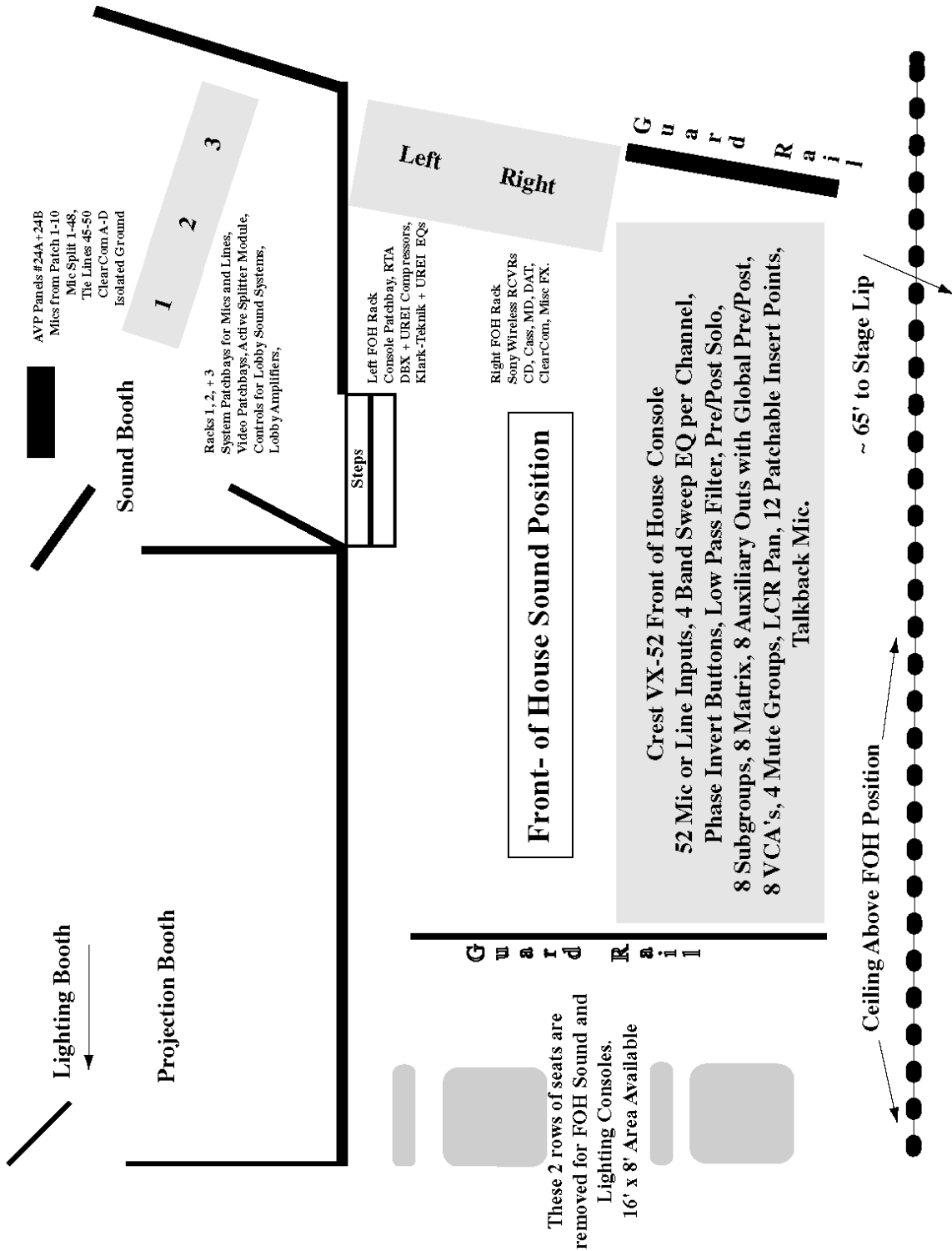
FOH Sound Console	Crest VX-52 (52 Microphone or Line Inputs, 8 Busses, 8 Matrix, 8 VCA's, and 8 Auxes)
Speakers	Center: (3) EAW SB528, (3) EAW RF650e, (2) EAW KF300 Left/Right: (1) EAW KF695, (1) EAW KF650e, (1) EAW MK2194
Secondary	(1) EAW ASR 695 (3) Secondary Clusters located in front of the Flying Balcony
Front Fill System	Line Array Pit Rail Loudspeakers for first 2 rows of seats, Matrix controllable
System Processor	BSS Soundweb 9088-LL, Easily configurable to show needs
Amplifiers	QSC Powerlite
Patch Equipment	(3) Klark-Teknik DN300 1/3 Octave EQs (4) UREI 1/3 Octave EQs pre-wired to Aux. 1-4 monitor sends, (1) UREI 562 Parametric Feedback Suppressor, (4) DBX 160X Compressor Limiter, (2) UREI LA-4 Compressor Limiters (1) Yamaha Digital Delay, (1) Yamaha Rev 7 Digital Reverberator, Yamaha SPX 990, TC Electronics M-One Multi-Effects Unit (1) Rane SM26 Splitter Mixer, Goldline 1/3 Octave RTA.
Playback Decks	Sony JE-512 Minidisk, Panasonic SV-3800 DAT, Sony 5 disc CD Changer, (1) Sony TCWR950 Cassette Deck, Marantz PMD350 CD/Cassette player with Pitch Control
Turntables	(1) Pioneer PL-L70
Mic Inputs	48 Phantom Powered inputs direct to FOH, numerous tie lines available on stage
Mic Stands	Ample straight stands, tripods, and booms of various sizes available
Microphones	(10) Shure SM58, (4) Shure SM57, (2) Beyers M88N, (1) AKG D-112, (3) AKG CK9 Shotgun, (2) AKG C480 ULS61, (2) Audio-Technica AT8531, (3) Audio-Technica AT8570, (10) EV RE18, (4) Crown PZM, (4) Crown PCC 160, (8) Sennheiser 421, (6) AKG CK460 with (4) Omni Capsules, (2) Shure SM58 Wireless Handheld –or- Wireless Lavalieres, (4) Sony WRT 830A Wireless Handheld –or- (4) Sony WRT 820A Wireless Lavalieres, (6) Countryman DI's,
Microphone Splitter	Benchmark 1000 - 1 TO 5 Active Splitter (48 Channels, Mic Level split, House Mic Phantom Power is supplied from this splitter), Splits located at FOH line inputs, Monitor World Split (Stage Right), Sound Booth AVP Panel, Sound Booth Patchbay, and Loading Dock AVP Panel
Paging System & Show Feed Areas	Stage Manager's Post (Off Stage Right), Follow spot Booth, Lighting and Projection Booths, Electrics Room, Sound Supply Room, Scene Shop / Tool Room, Stage Manager's Office, Dressing Rooms, Green Room, Outer Lobbies, and Lower Level Rehearsal Room. Internet Broadcast capability available through the University of Akron Computer Services Department.
ClearCom System	4 separate ClearCom Channels are available throughout the Stage and Auditorium areas. Headsets and Belt packs available.
Monitor World	Crest X-Monitor Console (40 Channels), (10) Separate Biamped (or Passive) mixes available, (10) additional passive mixes are also available, (12) 1/3 Octave EQs (6) UREI, (6) XTA Dual 1/3 Octave EQs, TC Electronics M-One Multi-Effects unit, Realistic CD Player, QSC PowerLite, Crown, and Yamaha Amplifiers, (10) Biamped or Passive EAW SM260IV Wedges, (4) JBL Cabaret Sidefills (Biamped), (2) JBL Cabaret Passive Floor Wedges, (3) Hotspot© passive monitors. Numerous patchable Speakon outlets throughout the stage area. NOTES: The House System Monitor World Console is located at stage RIGHT and cannot be relocated to stage LEFT. Monitors can easily be run from FOH and AUX 1-4 are normalled to Monitor mixes 1-4 on stage with (4) UREI 1/3 Octave EQs at the FOH position. The other mixes can be patched.

Sound System Layout (Main Level)

Sound System Legend

- (A) = Sound AC (Isolated)
- (M) = Mic Ins or Tie Lines
- (S) = Monitor Speaker Out Jacks (Speakon)
- (C) = ClearCom (A-D)





Room Information

Dressing Rooms

All dressing rooms exceed A.E.A. requirements. All are equipped with lighted mirrors, sinks, toilets, and showers. Individual and Chorus rooms are lockable and keys are available for a \$5 deposit. All dressing rooms have (audio) show monitors and may be paged from the stage.

Rooms are located as follows:

Stage Level - 2 Small dressing rooms (1-2 people per room)

One Floor Below Stage Level - 2 Chorus rooms (men and women) 20 - 30 people each; 2 Musicians' rooms (men and women); 1 Conductor's room (1 - 3 people); 4 principal rooms (1 - 3 people per room) These rooms are in sets of two and share common facilities.

Portable quick-change booths back stage is available.

Production Office

There is an office available for production use. This office is equipped with a desk, drawing board, and a credit card phone. Additional telephones are available at the production's expense.

Wardrobe Room

A Wardrobe room which is furnished with sewing machines, iron, ironing board, and a costume steamer at the dressing room level (**one floor below stage level**)

Rehearsal Room

A large room (approx. 1600 sq. Ft.) is available for rehearsals or other activities. This room is located backstage two floors below stage level and features a wood floor, lighted mirrors, and dance bars. *The rehearsal room is used as a classroom by the University during school hours, but can be made available with prior notice.*

Scene Shop

There is a Shop for storage directly behind the stage area. This Shop also serves as the show catering area.

Green Room

The Green Room, refurbished in 1998, is located at stage level off the backstage hallway. The cast and crew may use it as a reception area before and after the performance only. It is also used for small private parties before the event.

PLEASE NOTE: All access from the backstage to the lobbies is through this room. The Green Room cannot be used as a wardrobe, dressing or warm-up area since access cannot be denied to the building staff.

Telephones

Telephone service is available throughout the building. Here is a directory of the numbers:

Location	Number	Notes
Scene Shop Phone	330-972-2740	
Scene Shop Meeting Rooms	330-972-2732	2732 Jack 10, 2781 Jack 11 – Long Distance
Scene Shop Meeting Rooms	330-972-2782	2782 Jack 7, 2783 Jack 9 – Local Calls Only
Dressing Room #1	330-972-2024	
Dressing Room #5	330-972-2025	
Production Office - Lower Level (Floor #2) on Elevator	330-972-7716, 7717, 7718, 2020, 2021	All phone service requires a 7-day notice & a per-phone service fee will apply.
Conductor's Room	330-972-2023	

E. J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall Local Support Facilities

The Local Support Facilities pages are organized into categories for convenience. They are:

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Downtown Akron Banks

Fifth Third Bank Student Center University of Akron Campus 330-972-6897	First Merit Bank 106 S. Main St. Akron, OH 44308 330-384-8000	Charter One Bank 333 S. Broadway 330- 762-8491 ATM Drive-through	Keybank Drive-through ATM Corner of S. High St. & Bowery
Firststar Bank 157 S. Main St. (corner of S. Main & Bowery) 330-535-2240	Ohio Savings 1956 W. Market 330-836-9364	Bank One 632 E Market St Akron, OH 44304 330-972-1960	Bank One 50 S Main St Akron, OH 44308 330-972-1984

Catering and Food Service

Ivan's Catering Ivan Lefkowitz (Caters 7 days a Week) 2927 W. Market St. Akron, OH 44333 330-836-3553 fax - 330-836-3554	University Catering (Caters 7 days a Week) Dorothy Achimasi University of Akron Akron, OH 44325 330-972-7668	Special Occasions Barbara Lyle 3235 Manchester Road Akron, OH 44319 330-645-6222	Corporate Caterers (Caters Mon.- Sat.) Drew Wilsford 1867 W. Market St. B-4 Akron, OH 44313 330-869-8787 fax - 330-869-2888
Mustard Seed Market (Caters 7 days a Week) 3885 W. Market St. Montrose, OH 44333 330-666-7333 Natural / health foods and restaurant	Luna Pie Show Catering, Susan Pye, 330-352-5489.	The Lime Spider, Catering and Restaurant/bar downtown Akron, Rick Rhoads, Chef 207 S. Main St., Akron, OH 44308 ph 330-762-2350 fax 330-762-2351	Treva One West Exchange (Corner of South Main Street) Akron, OH 44308 330-253-0340 Up-to-the-minute nouvelle cuisine - Really creative and tasty!

Churches

St. Bernardís 44 University Avenue 330-253-5161 Catholic Church	The Chapel 161 Fir Hill 330-376-6400 Non-denominational	Christian Church 131 High St. 330-434-1039
Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church 129 S. Union St. Akron, OH 44304 330-434-0000	Trinity Lutheran Church 50 N. Prospect 330-376-5154	First Presbyterian Church 674 E. Market St. 330- 434-5183

Convention and Visitor's Bureau

Akron Summit Convention and Visitors' Bureau 77 E. Mill Street Akron, OH 44308 330-374-7560

Drug Stores

CVS Drug Store 540 E. Market St. 330-761-6694 Open 24 hours	Walgreen's Drug Store 834 W. Market St. 330-434-4994 8am - 10pm Mon. – Sat. 9am - 8pm Sunday	Valu-Rite / Sav - Mor 163 S. Main St. 330-535-1579 8am - 5:30pm Mon. – Fri. 9am - 3pm Saturday
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Electrical and Electronic Supplies

Philcap Electronics 275 E. Market St. Akron, OH 44308 330-253-2109 Fax 330-253-2618 Full Line Electronic Parts and Supplies	Radio Shack 2727 W. Market Street Akron, OH 330 – 836 - 9303	AESCO Electronics 107 South Arlington Street Akron, Ohio 44305 330 – 762 - 8818
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Florists

Wildflower Floristry 115 E. Market St. Akron, OH 44308 330-374-0088 (Klauss)	Acme #1 (10 Minutes from Theatre) 1835 W. Market St. Akron, OH 44313 330-867-5368 Supermarket	TOPS (10 Minutes from Theatre) 360 E. Waterloo Road 330-773-9558 Supermarket Open 24 Hours
Ahern's Florists 3120 W. Market St. Akron, OH 44308 330-836-8917 1-800-332-4376	Amedeo's Florist 1099 Grant St. Akron, OH 44301 330-773-6641 FTD	Richard's Florists 21 Merriman Rd. Akron, OH 44303 330-535-7171 1-800-332-4376

Gasoline – Diesel Stations

BP Gas and Diesel East Market and Union Streets Akron, OH 44301 330-535-5482	Holland Oil 80 South Forge Street, Akron, OH 44304 (330) 535-2416	Holland Oil CO 650 East Market Street, Akron, OH 44304 (330) 762-4683	Super America 390 East Exchange Street, Akron, OH 44304 (330) 376-5216
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Grocery & Convenience Stores

Acme #1 1835 W. Market Street Akron, OH 44313 330-867-3563	West Point Market 1711 W. Market St. Akron, OH 44313 330-864-2151 Specialty Bakery / Gourmet Foods, Boxed Meals etc.	The Mustard Seed Market 3885 W. Market St. Montrose, OH 44333 330-666-7333 Natural / Health foods and restaurant
Superamerica 390 E. Exchange St. Akron, OH 44304 330-376-5216	Dairy Mart 518 E. Exchange St. Akron, OH 44304 330-384-0537	Avenue's 76 S. Main St. Akron, OH 44308 330-384-2111

Hotels

Crowne Plaza Quaker Square 135 South Broadway Akron, OH 44308 Restaurant 3 Blocks from Hall 330-253-5970	Four Points Hotel 3150 W. Market Street Fairlawn, OH 44333 Restaurant 15 Minutes from Hall 330-869-9000	Best Western Inn / Suites 160 Montrose West Avenue Exits 137B Rt. 18 & I-77 15 Minutes from Hall Damon's Restaurant 330-670-0888 Fax-330-668-2926 800-528-1234
Radisson – Akron City Center 20 West Mill Street Akron, OH 44308 330-384-1500	Hilton West 3180 West Market Street Akron, OH 44333 800-455-8667 330-867-5000	Sheraton Suites 1989 Front Street Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221 330-929-3000

Laundry & Dry Cleaning Services

Hand-Craft Cleaners 694 E. Market St. Akron, OH 44304 330-253-7907	Fussy Cleaners 323 W. Market St. Akron, OH 44303 330-535-9138 Pick-up and Delivery	Budget Laundromat & Dry Cleaning 514 E. Exchange St. Akron, OH 44304 330-253-0572
Marshall's Dry Cleaning 330-678-8756 Same day pickup/ cleaning /delivery	Note: Laundry facilities are available at the E. J. Thomas Hall for Wardrobe.	

Mailing and Shipping Services

Main Post Office 675 Wolf Ledges Parkway Akron, OH 44309 330-375-5486	Downtown Post Office 209 S. Main Street Akron, OH 44308 330 - 375 - 5684	UPS 1635 Industrial Parkway Akron, OH 44310 1-800-222-8333	Federal Express 1-800-238-5355 330-375-5597
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Medical Facilities

Hospitals

Summa Health System Akron City Hospital 525 E. Market Street Akron, OH 44304 330-375-3000 330-375-3361	Summa Health System St. Thomas Hospital 444 N. Main St. Akron, OH 44236 330-375-3000 379-5950	Akron General Hospital 400 Wabash Avenue Akron, OH 44307 330-384-6000 384-6611 330-379-8840 (emergency)
Children's Hospital One Perkins Square Akron, OH 44302 330-543-1000 330-543-3000	Cuyahoga Falls General Hospital 1900 23rd St. Cuyahoga Falls OH 44223 971-7000 971-7436	

Allergists

Dr. Joseph Alexander 3090 W. Market St. Akron, OH 44333 330-836-7110	Lewis Walker M. D. 185 W. Cedar St. Akron, OH 44307 330-762-7475	Leon Newman M. D. 120 W. Bowery St. Akron, OH 44308 330-535-3101
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Chiropractors

Sprandel-Powell Chiropractic Clinic 551 Turkeyfoot Lake Rd. Akron, OH 44319 330-644-5050	Copley Chiropractic Clinic 1113 S. Cleveland-Massillon Rd. Akron, OH 44321 330-666-8888	Dr. Marie Rossi 421 Graham Rd., Suite A1 Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221 330-945-5555
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Dentists

Paul M. Kaput DDS 2777 Copley Rd. Copley, OH 44321 330-666-4481	Loren M. Petry DDS 508 E. Exchange St. Akron, OH 44304 330-434-3485	Dr. Gary D. Olson, DDS TransOhio Building 7 W. Bowery St. Suite #803 Akron, OH 44308 330-253-8711
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Dermatologists

Eliot N. Mostow M.D., Inc. 157 W. Cedar St. Suite 101 Akron, OH 44307 330-535-7100	Jos L. Kloss M. D. 185 W. Cedar St. Akron, OH 44307 330-762-8897	Gary D. Lichten M. D. 157 W. Cedar St. Akron, OH 44307 330-253-7169
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Ear, Nose and Throat Specialists

Drs. Milo & Kutnick 452 E. Market St. Akron, OH 44304 330-762-8959	Zia R. Khan MD 55 Arch St. Akron, OH 44304 330-253-8043	Charles J. Bogdan MD 550 E. Market St. Akron, OH 44304 330-375-5200
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Massage

Heather's Massage Therapy 220 Portage Trail Suite A Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221 330-801-3715 Neuromuscular, Muscle Pain Relief, Strength Training	The Balancing Touch 1173 N. Main Street Akron, OH 44310 330-929-2266	Ed Denning, M. Ed., L.M. T. Massage Therapy Associates 3085 W. Market St., Suite. 104 Akron, OH 44313 330-864-1924 800-479-7295 "Have Table, Will Travel!"
Fairlawn Massage Therapy 3180 W. Market Street Akron, OH 44333 330-867-7074		

Ophthalmologists

Richard R. Ellison M. D. 656 W. Market St. Akron, OH 44303 330-376-9324	Daniel W. Mathias M. D. 55 Arch St. Akron, OH 44304 330-535-2521	David G. Miller M. D. 224 W. Exchange St. Akron, OH 44304 330-996-5800
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Optometrists

Adolph Optical Services 687 W. Market St. Akron, OH 44303 330-253-7977	Snodgrass Opticians 75 Arch St. Akron, OH 44304 330-762-3116	Eyeglass Factory 2270 Romig Rd. Akron, OH 44320 330-745-3939
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Podiatrists

Arthur S. Aronson 550 E. Market St. Akron, OH 44304 330-376-4040	Dr. Mark Koltnow, DPM 550 E Market St. Akron, OH 44307 330-535-8202	Richard M. Hofacker 50 Sand Run Rd. Akron, OH 44313 330-836-7475
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Alternative Medicine

Akron Acupuncture Clinic 1867 W. Market St. In Fairway Center Akron, OH 44313 330-867-7361	Preventive Measures Natural Health Center 1101 W. Portage Trail Ext. Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221 330-945-7559	Dr. Desai Acupuncture 330-923-6110
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Musical Instruments, Pro Audio, and Video

<p>Lentine's Music 844 Main Street Akron, OH 44310 330-434-3138 Musical Instruments / Pro Audio Rentals</p>	<p>Akron Music Centers 629 Howe Avenue Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221 330-945-6200 Musical Instruments</p>	<p>Woodsy's 135 S. Water Street Kent, OH 44240 330-673-1525 800-468-1525 Musical Instruments / Pro Audio Rentals</p>
<p>Audio-Technica 1221 Commerce Park Drive Stow, OH 44324 330-686-2600 Manufacturer of Professional Microphones, and Audio Equipment</p>	<p>Convincing Sound Archives PO Box 2402 North Canton, OH 330-305-1919 (Phone) 330-305-9113 (Fax) Computer Audio Editing, CD Transfers, Pro Audio Repair, Location Recording</p>	<p>Phil Reddish Sound 11725 Royalton Road North Royalton, OH 44133 440-582-4333 440-582-2320 Full-Line Pro Audio Supplies and Parts</p>
<p>Guitar Center 5800 Mayfield Road Mayfield Heights, OH 44124 440-461-0300 440-461-0301 (Fax) Full-Line of Musical Instruments and Accessories</p>	<p>Sam Ash Music Stores 5700 Mayfield Road Cleveland, OH 44124 440-446-0850 440-446-0920 Full-Line Musical Instruments and Pro Audio</p>	<p>Martin's Violin Shop 803 North Main Street North Canton, OH 44720 330-499-3116 Complete Violin Repair Service, Parts, Accessories, Fine Instrument Rentals, Bow Rehairing</p>
<p>Ronald Kunkel 330-762-5748 First call Piano Tuner / Technician for E. J. Thomas Hall</p>	<p>Lay's Guitar Shop 974 Kenmore Boulevard, Akron, OH 44314 330-848-1392 Acoustic, & Electric Guitar Craftsman, Repairs, Service, Parts</p>	<p>Zampino's Drum Shop 623 South Main Street North Canton, OH 44720 330-499-1198 888-837-4321 Full-Line Drums, Repairs, Supplies, Accessories</p>
<p>Hughies Audio-Visual 20 West Mill St. Akron, Ohio 44308 330-315-1018 330-315-1019 Data Projection, Video & Audio-Visual Equipment, Computer Rentals, Staging</p>	<p>Stokes Sound Inc. 100 Stokes Lane, Hudson, OH 44236 330-650-1669 Pro Audio Rental, Video Taping & Production Services</p>	<p>Image Video Teleproductions Inc 6755 Freedom Ave. N.W. North Canton, OH 44720 330-494-9303 330-966-1792 Professional Video Rental, Satellite Teleconferencing, Remote Taping, Video Production</p>

Radio Stations -Greater Akron Area

Station	Freq.	Format	Phone
WABQ-AM	1540	Gospel	216-231-8005
WAKR-AM	1590	News / Talk	330-869-9800
WAPS-FM	91.3	Jazz	330-761-3099
WATJ-AM	1560	Big Bands	440-286-1560
WBKC-AM	1460	Variety	440-352-1460
WBWC-FM	88.3	Alternative	440-826-2145
WCCD-AM	1000	Christian	216-901-0921
WCLV-FM	104.9	Classical	216-464-0900
WCPN-FM	90.3	NPR/Jazz	216-432-3700
WCRF-FM	103.3	Inspirational	440-526-1111
WCSB-FM	89.3	Free Form	216-687-3523
WDLW-AM	1380	Latino	440-245-1200
WDOK-FM	102.1	Soft Rock	216-696-0123
WELW-AM	1330	Ethnic	440-946-1330
WENZ-FM	107.9	Rap / Hip Hop	216-861-0100
WEOL-AM	930	News / Sports	440-322-3761
WERE-AM	1300	Business	216-861-0100
WGAR-FM	99.5	Country	216-328-9950
WHK-AM	1420	Christian	216-901-0921
WHLO-AM	640	Christian	330-645-7777
WJCU-FM	88.7	Variety	216-397-1886
WJMO-AM	1490	Gospel	216-621-9300
WJMP-AM	1520	Variety	330-673-2323
WJTB-AM	1040	Urban Cont.	440-327-1844
WKDD-FM	96.5	Adult Cont.	330-836-4700
WKKY-FM	104.7	Country	440-466-9559
WKNR-AM	1220	Sports	440-838-1220
WKSR-AM	730	Alternative	330-672-2131
WKSU-FM	89.7	NPR/Classical	330-672-3114
WKTX-AM	830	Polka	216-221-0330
WMIH-AM	1260	Catholic	216-623-3500
WMJI-FM	105.7	Oldies	216-623-1105
WMMS-FM	100.7	Active Rock	216-781-9667
WMVX-FM	106.5	Adult Cont.	216-696-4444
WNCX-FM	98.5	Classic Rock	216-861-0100
WNIR-FM	100.1	Talk	330-673-2323
WNWV-FM	107.3	Jazz	440-326-9283
WOBC-FM	91.5	Free Form	440-775-8107
WOBL-AM	1320	Country	440-774-1320
WONE-FM	97.5	Album Rock	330-869-9800
WQAL-FM	104.1	Adult Cont.	330-696-6666
WQMX-FM	94.9	Country	330-434-6499
WRMR-AM	850	MOR	216-696-0123
WRUW-FM	91.1	College	216-368-2207
WTAM-AM	1100	News / Talk	216-696-4444
WTOU-AM	1350	Urban Cont.	330-836-4700
WUJC-FM	88.7	College	216-397-4437
WZAK-FM	93.1	Urban Cont.	216-621-9300
WZIP-FM	88.1	Urban Cont.	330-972-7105
WZJM-FM	92.3	Rhythmic Oldies	216-621-9300
WZLE-FM	104.9	Christian	440-244-1049

Television Stations Greater Akron Area

Station	CH	Cable	Network	Phone
WKYC-TV	3	2	NBC	216-344-3333
WEWS-TV	5	11	ABC	216-431-5555
WJW-TV	8	9	FOX	216-431-8888
WOIO-TV	19	13	CBS	216-771-1943
WAKC-TV	23	4	Infomall	216-831-2367
WVIZ-TV	25	5	PBS	216-398-2800
WAOH-TV	29	14	Ind.	330-673-2323
WAX-TV	35	N/A	Ind.	330-673-2323
WUAB-TV	43	6	UPN	216-771-1943
WNEO-TV	45	10	PBS	330-677-4549
WEAO-TV	49	10	PBS	330-677-4549
WBNX-TV	55	8	WB/ Fox Kids	216-843-5555
WQHS-TV	61	7	Home Shopping	440-888-0061

Restaurants
Expensive to Moderate

<p>Piatto Restaurant 326 South Main Street, Akron, OH 44308 (330) 255-1140</p>	<p>Ken Stewart's Grille 1970 West Market Street Akron, OH 44313 330-867-2555 Reservations Suggested Excellent - Wide Variety</p>	<p>Diamond Grille 77 West Market Street Akron, OH 44308 330-762-9333 Reservations Suggested Steaks are famous!</p>
<p>Treva One West Exchange (Corner of South Main Street) Akron, OH 44308 330-253-0340 Up-to-the-minute nouvelle cuisine - Really creative and tasty! M-F 11am-5pm Lunch, M- TH 5-10pm Dinner, Fri/Sat 5pm-Mid, Closed Sunday</p>		<p>Tangier 532 West Market Street Akron, OH 44303 330-376-7171 Reservations Suggested</p>
<p>Nick Anthe's 1008 North Main Street Akron, OH 330- 929-6425 Continental dining in a quaint setting.</p>	<p>356th Fighter Group 4919 Mt. Pleasant Rd., North Canton OH 330-494-3500 (fax) 330/494-5509 Cuisine: American Continental, steaks, seafood</p>	<p>Olive Garden Italian Restaurant 480 Howe Street, Akron, OH 44307 (330) 928-2205</p>

Moderate to Inexpensive

<p>Jillian's 363 S. Main St Akron, OH 44308 Sport's Bar / Billiards / Food 330-252-0085</p>	<p>Luigi's Pizza 105 S. Main St. Akron, OH 44308 Sit down Italian, Excellent food Casual Atmosphere</p>	<p>Brubaker's Pub 373 S. Main St. Akron, OH 44311 330-253-7771</p>
	<p>The Spaghetti Warehouse 520 S. Main St. Akron, OH 44311 330-374-0025</p>	<p>House of Hunan 12 E. Exchange Street 330-253-1888 Gourmet Chinese Dining Fri. 11am-10: 30pm, Sat. 5- 10:30pm, Sushi Bar open until 12:30am</p>
<p>Akron Family Restaurant 250 West Market Street Akron, OH 330-376-0600</p>	<p>Parassons Italian Restaurants 501 North Main Street, Akron, OH 44310 (330) 376-2117</p>	<p>Trackside Grille at Quaker Square 135 South Broadway Street, Akron, OH 44308 (330) 253-4541</p>

Moderate to Inexpensive – Continued

Diamond Deli 378 S. Main Street Akron, OH 330-762-5877	Northside 111 N. Main Street Akron, OH 330-434-7625	The Pie Factory at Quaker Square 120 E. Mill Street Akron, OH 330-252-0552
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Restaurants - Fast Food

McDonald's 409 E. Exchange Street 330 – 376 - 7324	Burger King 671 East Market Street 330 – 762 – 3498	Subway 764 Carroll Street 330 – 376 – 7688 At Quaker Square: 135 S. Broadway 330 – 253 - 7260
Taco Bell 716 E. Market Street 330 376 – 1113 414 East Market Street 330 – 762 – 8080	Mr. Hero 264 E. Market Street Akron, OH 330 – 253 – 1212	Wendy's 623 E. Market Street Akron, OH 330 – 762 - 1578
KFC 396 E. Market Street 330-376-2800	Papa John's Pizza 701 E. Market St. 330 -374 - 0055 They Deliver	Platinum Dragon 814 W. Market St. Excellent Chinese Takeout 330-434-8108 They Deliver

Shopping Malls

Chapel Hill Mall 2000 Brittain Road Akron, OH 44310 330-535-7816	Summit Mall 3265 W. Market St. Akron, OH 44333 330-867-1555	Belden Village Mall 4230 Belden Village Mall Canton, OH 44718 330-494-5490
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Theatrical Supplies-General

North Coast Theatrical 540 S. Main St. Akron, Ohio 44308 330-762-1768 Fax 330-762-1352 Complete Theatrical Supply House located in Downtown Akron	Vincent Lighting Systems 5325 Naiman Parkway Suite G Solon, OH 44139 1-800-922-5356 Professional Lighting Equipment	Stage Center 980 N. Main St. Akron, OH 44310 330-535-7816 Shoes, Make-up, Tights, Leotards	Akron Theatrical Services 3217 Waterloo Rd. Akron, OH 44312 330-628-5560 Spotlights, Rigging, Rentals, etc.
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Transportation Airports

Akron - Canton Regional Airport 5400 Lauby Road North Canton, OH 44720 Airport Info: 330-896-2385 About 20 minutes from the Hall via Interstate 77	Cleveland Hopkins International Airport 5300 Riverside Drive Cleveland, OH 44135 General Info: 216-265-6030 About 45 minutes from the Hall via I-77 and I-480 West	Akron Fulton Airport 1436 Triplett Blvd. Akron, OH 44306 330-375-2888 No Commercial Bookings
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Bus Lines

Metro Regional Transit Authority 416 Kenmore Blvd Akron, OH 4430 330-762-0341	Greyhound Bus Lines 781 Grant St. Akron, OH 44311 Fare and Schedule Information 800-231-2222 Local Terminal 330-434-9185	Lakefront Trailways 800-331-5009
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Car Rentals

Hertz 330-499-5011 Akron-Canton Airport (CAK)	Avis 330-896-2001 Akron-Canton Airport (CAK)	Budget 259 Market St. 330-867-5575 Akron-Canton Airport (CAK) 800-435-7751
Enterprise Free Pick-up 948 E. Market St. 330-434-2600	National 330-434-0403 (Akron) 330-499-8205 (CAK)	Thrifty Car Rental 800-847-4389 CAK 330-535-5701 Akron - 330-869-9366

Limousine Services

Thomas Limousine Service 2045 Glenmont Ave. Akron, OH 44319 330-773-6470 Fax: 330-773-2068	Pegasus Chauffeured Services 330-794-2782 A Touch of Class Limousine 330-434-9742 (Also has 57 passenger tour bus)	Airport Limousine Service 800-543-9912 Shuttle to Airport in a van
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Taxi Services

First Choice Airport Service 451 N. Main St. Akron, OH 44310 330-434-9706	Yellow Cab Company 650 Home Avenue Akron, OH 44310 330-253-3141 Small package delivery & pick-up (Nine passenger vans available on request)	Falls Cab Company 330-929-3121
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(Special rates to Akron Canton and Cleveland Airports – 24-Hour Service)

Veterinarians

<p>Valley Animal Hospital Larry Sands, D.V.M. 1830 Merriman Road Akron, OH 44313 330-836-1971</p>	<p>Akron Veterinary Referral Emergency Center 1321 Centerview Circle Copley, OH 44321 330-665-4996</p>	<p>Metropolitan Veterinary Hospital 1053 S. Cleveland-Massillon Rd. Akron, OH 330-666-2976</p>
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Other Places of Interest

<p>Akron Aeros Baseball Club 300 South Main Street, Akron, OH 44308 (330) 253-5151</p>	<p>Soap Box Derby 789 Derby Downs Drive, Akron, OH 44306 (330) 733-8723</p>	<p>Cleveland Browns Football Cleveland Browns Stadium Lakeside Avenue, between West 3rd Street and East 9th Street Cleveland, Ohio</p>
<p>Cavaliers Basketball Cavs/Gund Arena Company One Center Court Cleveland, Ohio 44115- 4001</p>	<p>Cleveland Indians Baseball Jacobs Field 2401 Ontario Street Cleveland, OH 44115-4003</p>	<p>Akron Art Museum 70 East Market Street, Akron, OH 44308 (330) 376-9185</p>
<p>Akron Zoo 500 Edgewood Avenue, Akron, OH 44307 (330) 375-2525 (330) 375-2575 (fax)</p>	<p>Boston Mills / Brandywine Ski Resort Boston Mills Ski Resort 7100 Riverview Road Peninsula, Ohio</p> <p>Brandywine Ski Resort 1146 W Highland Road Sagamore Hills, Ohio Akron: (330) 657-2334</p>	<p>National Inventor's Hall of Fame 221 South Broadway Street, Akron, OH 44308 (330) 762-6565</p>
<p>Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum One Key Plaza Cleveland, Ohio 44114 (East Ninth Street at Lake Erie)</p> <p>Museum Offices: (216) 781-ROCK</p>	<p>Six Flags Worlds of Adventure 1060 N Aurora Rd Aurora, OH 44202 330-562-8303</p>	<p>Cedar Point Amusement Park One Cedar Point Dr., Sandusky, OH 44870-5259 (419)-627-2350</p>
<p>Cuyahoga Valley National Recreation Area</p>	<p>Pro Football Hall of Fame 2121 George Halas Drive NW Canton, Ohio 44708 (330) 456-8207</p>	<p>Firestone Country Club 452 East Warner Road, Akron, OH 44319 (330) 644-8441</p>

Hall Rental Policies

- E. J. Thomas Hall will hold available date(s) for five (5) working days. This is termed a SOFT HOLD. After a date(s) has been held for five days, E. J. Thomas Hall will release the date(s) without further notice unless a contract has been issued and the first payment is accepted.
- All SOFT HOLDS are subject to a 24--hour challenge rule. If another interested party requests a date that has a soft hold on it, you will be contacted and will need to commit or release the date within 24 hours. E. J. Thomas Hall will release the date(s) without prior notice if we haven't been contacted within 24 hours.
- E. J. Thomas Hall is committed to help you have a successful event. All contracts must be signed and executed six weeks prior to any event so both E. J. Thomas Hall and the promoter can have adequate lead-time for a successful event.
- A contract for your event will be issued only after a complete event schedule and a tech rider are submitted for the event. This is needed to ensure that E. J. Thomas Hall can accommodate the size of your stage needs and give you a proper estimate on your union stage labor charges. If you are a new promoter, references are necessary for other events you have managed and the location of the events.
- Once a contract is issued, a payment equal to the total base rental charge of the building is due in full, payable in cash, money order, or certified check. This payment is non-refundable. The balance of the labor and event personnel charges is due two weeks prior to the event, payable in the same manner.
- **E. J. Thomas Hall has the right to cancel events if payments default.**
- A countersigned, fully executed contract is required prior to any event announcements or advertising.
- E.J. Thomas Hall has a Ticketmaster facility. All tickets to any event at E J. Thomas Hall will be sold through the [Ticketmaster System](#). It will take five days to set up your event on the E.J. Thomas Hall [Ticketmaster System](#). All ticket monies will be held in escrow until 3-5 business days after your event at which time these funds can be wire transferred or a check written (no cash). There is no advance draw on ticket income. The ticket office cannot cash any personal checks or distribute any ticket cash the day of your event.
- E.J. Thomas Hall will control the number and hiring of any Akron Police needed for your event and this cost will be added to your contract.
- E.J. Thomas Hall utilizes Akron/Canton Stage Employees IATSE Local #48 for all stage labor needs to set your event's technical requirements, sound, lighting, etc. This cost will be estimated on your contract.
- Any satellite events held in the building (autograph signing, souvenir sales, receptions, pamphlet handouts, etc.) require E. J. Thomas Hall approval to ensure fire/safety laws are enforced.
- E. J. Thomas Hall has a concession center and offers full bar service, beer, wine, soda, and candy for sale to patrons. The E. J. Cafe in Herberich Lobby offers light fare such as fruit & cheese plate, desserts, and specialty coffees. These are available before each performance and at intermission. If your event has a no alcohol policy, please let us know and we will adjust accordingly.