

JazzWerk

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Dear jazzlover,

Glad to note that you are interested in JazzWerk! We will do our very best to exceed your expectations. My name is Joost Kraaijeveld and I am your JazzWerk contact person.

Naturally, we aim to play songs that fit to your event and which help to make the event an amazing experience for your guests. With our experience and enthusiasm, we have performed on many different events over the past ten years.

First of all, it is important to understand your music related desires and what ambience you are seeking for the event so that we know what is expected of us. Likewise, we also like to discuss a number of additional, practical matters with you. You will find information about this on the following pages.

In case you have questions or you would like to add something, then feel free to reach out to your contact person. More information about us, our music and references can be found on our website: <u>www.jazzwerk.nl</u>.

Warm regards, Joost Kraaijeveld





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WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT FROM JAZZWERK

- ✓ JazzWerk is used to play at events without the need of loud volume levels. All of our songs are performed on acceptable volume without disturbing your guest's social talks. Do you want JazzWerk to be more at the front to cheer up your party? Both ways are possible upon request.
- Our repertoire is versatile, carefully selected and includes styles for everyone: cool realbook-swings, romantic ballads, melodic pop songs covered in 'fresh Jazzwerk juice' and much more!
- ✓ In between a bundle of songs, our members will take short breaks to fully recover, such that they are able to provide the maximum energy and enthusiasm to serve your guests for the next songs to come. A short break will take about 15 minutes.
- ✓ In many cases, there should also be time for speeches and/or handout of gifts. In order to fully align with these moments and your overall time plan of your event, JazzWerk can be flexible with regards to the timing of their breaks. Please inform us about any special moments and your time plan so that we can take this into account.
- ✓ During our break moments we make sure to play some from our prepared and selected songs from the Spotify list. This ensures that no silent moments arise in the musical setting and songs are selected to create a gradual build-up of the ambience. Would you like to play your own music list, then please let us know.
- ✓ Once the members of JazzWerk have been welcomed at the location and are informed about their location stand, they can operate on-site without any further help.
- ✓ We bring our own professional equipment, instruments and customized tuxedos.
- ✓ During performances, our pianist plays the state-of-the-art Nord Piano 4. However, an acoustic grand piano can be requested at additional costs.
- Our planist can play an acoustic upright or grand plano stationed at the location, provided that the upright/grand plano is in good condition and carefully tuned (preferably 1-3 weeks before the event date).



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OUR NEEDS AND DESIRES

- ✓ The members of JazzWerk do not like to be late for performances. Hence, we aim to arrive at the location at least one hour before the start of our first song. We always like to be welcomed at the location in person. As such, it would be desirable to receive the contact data of the person who welcomes us on-site.
- Sunny weather is lovely but rain will make us less happy because even a small amount of rain might cause damage to our equipment. If JazzWerk is asked to play outside, we then kindly request our client – in collaboration with the venue owner – to supply a water proof tent.
- ✓ Our 4 head formation requires the following things on-site: a ground surface of 3.5 meters in width and 2.5 meters in length and one earthed power socket within 10 meters of our location stand.
- ✓ A few drinks before, during and after our performance are well received. Some bottles of water and a few glasses of soda are sufficient.
- ✓ In case JazzWerk is asked to perform between 17:00hrs and 20:00hrs, then a meal for each member is highly appreciated. A modest crew meal for each member is sufficient.