

Rental Fees for the Nineteenth Century Club

(Additional information may be found at www.oakparkbanquets.com)

All rental proceeds are used to care for our 1928 landmark building and benefit the mission of The Nineteenth Century Charitable Association: Strengthening our community through learning, giving, and sharing our landmark building.

	Lounge/Dining	Ballroom	Both Floors
Seated dinner:	Up to 125 people	Up to 280 people	
Auditorium style:	Up to 150 people	Up to 400 people	
Friday & Sunday 9am-2pm	\$1200	\$1400	\$2400
Friday & Sunday 2pm-12am	\$1600	\$1900	\$3300
Saturday 9am-2pm	\$1200	\$1400	\$2400
Saturday after 2pm	\$2000	\$3500	\$4500

WEEKDAY DAYTIME EVENTS (7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.)

Mon-Thurs (4-8 hours)	\$800	\$1000	\$1600
Mon-Thurs (2-4 hours)	\$400	\$600	\$800

WEEKDAY EVENING EVENTS (5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.)

\$200 per hour with a 2-hour minimum

Additional Possible Fees:

Audio/Visual	\$75 per hour (2 hour minimum)
Ceremony	\$500 fee
Rehearsal	\$200 per hour
Piano Use	\$200 fee
Piano Tuning	\$175 fee
Security	\$60 per hour
Extra hours	\$400 per hour
Additional decor set-up	\$500 fee
Additional cleaning	\$200 fee
Event Manager	\$35 per hour for non-catered events
Linen rental	As needed
200+ guests	Rental fees of tables/chairs as needed

The Nineteenth Century Rental FAQs

- 1. Do you have reduced rates for not-for-profit organizations?**
Yes. Please contact our staff for more information. Not-for-profits must provide proof of 501c3 status.
- 2. Are there off-peak prices?**
January & February and July & August event rentals are discounted 20% upon request.
- 3. What does the rental fee include?**
Tables and chairs for up to 200 people for a five (5) hour block of time.
Additional fees will apply for larger groups.
- 4. What are the time blocks and starting and ending times?**
Morning events need to be completed by 2pm. Sunday access to the building begins at 3pm. All events must end by midnight. Vendors can arrive three (3) hours prior to your time block and must exit building within one (1) hour of the end of your time block. Bar will close 30 minutes prior to the end of your event. Band or DJ will end 15 minutes prior to the end of your event.
- 5. What are the mandatory extra charges?**
Security is mandatory with bar at \$55 per hour.
- 6. What are the other possible charges?**
Piano usage, ceremony and rehearsal charges, linen rental, coat check, extra hours, and additional set up/clean up charges.
- 7. Do you have decorating restrictions?**
Yes. Nothing is allowed to be taped or otherwise affixed to the walls or floors. No confetti, glitter, or loose candy is allowed. A decorating plan is to be submitted 30 days prior to event.
- 8. What about audio/visual needs?**
We have in house projectors, screens, sound systems, lighting, and podiums for your presentation needs. A/V fees are \$75 per hour with a two-hour minimum.
- 9. What about parking?**
There is a public indoor parking garage next to the Nineteenth Century's parking lot. It is monitored by the Village of Oak Park and is free on Sundays. There is also street parking available to visitors.
- 10. What is the deposit?**
A non-refundable \$500 or 50% deposit is required to secure a reservation date.