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QUEST BALL CHECKLIST How to Prepare For Quest Ball





STEP 1 Register for BidPal

- 1. To get BidPal on your phone, text Questball2021 to 243-725. You will receive a welcome message with a link to register your account.
- 2. To get BidPal on your laptop, <u>click here</u> or visit <u>https://tinyurl.com/vcbidpal</u>
- **3.** Follow the prompted instructions from BidPal to register your BidPal account

STEP 2 Update Google Chrome (Ticketed Guests Only)

1. Our "Virtual Platform" works best with the current version of Google Chrome Browser.

For Update Instructions click here or visit https://tinyurl.com/govcchrome



STEP 3 Set-Up Your Watch Experience **View the Live Stream**

- Visit | <u>VCS.NET/QUESTBALL</u>
- On **vcs.net/questball**, click on the button that says the following:

VIEW THE QUEST BALL "LIVE STREAM" Click Here March 13, 2021 | 6:30pm

Quest Ball Ticket Attendees (ticketed guests) For the best viewing experience, watch the live stream event on your Smart TV or laptop or use AppleTV, Roku, etc., to launch the YouTube app.

We recommend using (3) devices if possible.

- **TV** to watch the live stream (see instructions above).
- Laptop to access the virtual event room.
- Mobile Phone to bid on auction items.

2. Quest Ball Viewers (no ticket needed)

For the best viewing experience, watch the live stream event on your Smart TV or laptop or use AppleTV, Roku, etc., to launch the YouTube app.

BONUS! Home network acting a bit sluggish? Take a look at our help desk article on ways to optimize your home Internet connection to have a great Virtual Quest Ball experience! Click here - or visit <u>https://tinyurl.com/goodnet</u>

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PLATFORM OVERVIEW





3. VIRTUAL EVENT ROOM



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LANDING PAGE - CHECK-IN



STEP 1: Enter Your First and Last Name

If you are a couple or a family please enter all your "first" and "last" names in your group.



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INSTRUCTIONAL VIDEO



STEP 2: Watch the Instructional Video

The instructional video goes over how to use the program. If you have already seen the video simply exit out of the pop-up by clicking the "X" in the upper right corner.



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STEP 3: REVIEW THE VIRTUAL EVENT ROOM

Diagrammed is a brief overview of the sections that make up the Quest Ball Virtual Event Room.



TABLE TYPES

VIEW THE SEATING CHART AT | vcs.net/seatingchart

Below is the key of the different tables offered to help you pick the table that best fits your role.

TABLE KEY | Select the table that applies to your guest experience

Locked Table or Lounge Prevents further guests from joining that table/lounge.



General Table Open to general quests

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VIP Reserved Table Reserved for "Named Guests"



VIP Wine & Cheese Table Reserved for guests who purchased the "VIP Wine and Cheese" Ticket

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Lounge - Open to All Find a friend and decide to meet at the lounge. You have the option to lock the lounge and enjoy conversations with selected guests.

> Lock Button Click on the

"lock" icon to lock your *lounge*

or VIP Table

Help Table

Scroll down to the end of the Tables **in the Virtual Event Room** to find the **Help Table**, where our IT Team is stationed to help anyone in need of technical assistance.



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 Leave Table
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STEP 4: CHOOSE YOUR TABLE

In the virtual event platform click on the link, "<u>Seating Chart-Click Here</u>" (located below the header TABLES), to view the tables offered in order to help you pick the table that best fits your role.



HOW TO USE YOUR TABLE FEATURES

1. Select a Table

Hover over the table of your choice and **click on that table**. If you hover over the tables the blue bar will tell you the table name and guests already at that table.



2. Click "Allow" on the Pop-Up

Once you enter a table a pop-up appears asking to allow access to your microphone and video. **Make sure to allow access.**



STEP 5: ENTER YOUR TABLE & CLICK "ALLOW" ACCESS

1. To join a table click on a "Table Icon." 2. Once you enter your table your web browser will have a pop-up that prompts you to "Allow" access to your microphone and video. Make sure you click "ALLOW" as this is a crucial step to being able to enjoy the event. You can later turn those features off.



TABLE OVERVIEW

Speaker View





C View full screen

1. Microphone/Camera Icons Activate & Disable Mic/Video Please keep your camera on for the best experience for all attendees



2. Three Dots - Settings Allows you to change to "View Full Screen" & adjust settings



3. Square Icon - Toggle Views Click to change between speaker view and grid view

Optimization



Grid View







STEP 6: UNDERSTAND YOUR TABLE SETTINGS

Now that you are inside your table let's review the basic table features. 1. Microphone/Camera 2. Settings - Find Full Screen View 3. Toggle View Feature



TABLE CHAT FEATURES

1. Table Group Chat

Click on the speech bubble icon in the bottom left corner to chat with the entire table.



2. Table Private Chat

To send a private message **click on the 3 dot icon** in the upper right corner of another user's screen (while in grid view) and select, **send a private message.**







STEP 7: CHAT WITH YOUR TABLE

Inside your table you can chat with your entire table or just a selected member of your table.



SOUND FEATURES

Mute a Guest

To mute a guest **click on the 3 dot icon** in the upper right corner of another user's screen (while in grid view) and click on the blue slider to move the volume control all the way down to the left. *Note: It won't mute this guest for everyone at your table, only for you.*





You can adjust the volume of other guests to 20% or 0% and keep the volume of the person you want to only hear and talk to at 100%.

Slide Blue Bar to adjust guests volume

For the best user experience, please wear headphones or at least MUTE yourself while not speaking.

STEP 8: CONTROL YOUR SOUND

Like at a live event, this platform allows you to have a discussion with one of the guests at your table while having the murmuring of other discussions in the background. You can adjust the volume of other guests for this affect.



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STEP 9: USE THE GLOBAL CHAT

The "Global Chat" is a message platform that allows you to communicate with **ALL GUESTS** at the event. Make sure to use this sparingly or when you are trying to find friends to meet-up at a table.



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AUCTION QUADRANT



STEP 10: ACCESS OUR QUEST BALL AUCTION & DONATION WEBSITES

Participate in our auction! Scan the QR code to access the auction on your phone or click on the buttons below to access the auction and donation pages.



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MODERATOR FEATURES



Moderator Features

To access these features **click on the 3 dot icon** in the upper right corner of another user's screen (while in grid view).

Moderators have additional features:

- Mute one guest
- Mute everyone at the table
- Grant moderator status to another guest
- Kick out a disturbing guest

How to Mute Everyone at a Table Except You

- Choose any guest and click on their screen's
 3 dot icon in the upper right corner.
- 2. Select the "Mute Everyone Else" feature.
- 3. Then, click on that guest's 3 dot icon again and select "Mute" (this mutes that guest).
- 4. Finally, at the bottom of your screen "unmute" yourself by clicking the "mic" icon to white.



MODERATOR DETAILS

By default the moderator is assigned to the **first user who arrives at the table**. *If you are a moderator, please ensure that you arrive at your table well in advance of the event.* If you leave the table you will loose your moderator status; be sure to reassign a moderator status to another table member before you leave.



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HELP WITH THE VIRTUAL PLATFORM

1) HELP BUTTON

If the "Help Button" FAQ does not solve your issue, feel free to TEXT or call 514-600-9027 and a member of our support team will assist you. If the event has started, a technician is reading the inbox at all times and will be able to help you so you can enjoy the event.



2) HELP TABLE

Scroll down to the end of the Tables in the "Virtual Event Room" to find the "Help Table," where our IT Team is stationed to assist anyone in need of technical support.



Help Table



NEED HELP!

We have features in place to help if anyone is in need of technical assistance.

THANK YOU! Enjoy the Event

