

Ferry Pass Middle School Gets a New Piano from Barry Manilow

Students at Ferry Pass Middle School in Pensacola, Florida will be able to practice and perform on a new Yamaha NU1 Upright Piano this school year thanks to a donation from pop superstar Barry Manilow. Manilow donated the piano to launch a music instrument drive to coincide with his ONE LAST TIME! tour stop earlier this year at Pensacola Bay Center. After being delivered to the local school, Blues Angel Music of Pensacola helped with the delivery and installation of the piano.

Concert goers who donated a new or gently used instrument to the local school district received two free tickets to his ONE LAST TIME! concert. The instrument drive was sponsored by Manilow's foundation, The Manilow Music Project. Manilow started The Manilow Music Project to provide musical instruments to high school and middle school students throughout the U.S. and Canada.

Joining together to formally welcome the Yamaha Upright to the school are (L-R) Stephen Olsen, general manager, Blues Angel Music and Angela Horne, music director, Ferry Pass Middle School.

