## BALES-GITLIN BAND SAMPLE REPERTOIRE

Our repertoire is ENORMOUS and we add new songs all the time.

#### This list is not even *close* to complete.

It is a sample of song titles, styles, composers, performers, and types of music frequently requested.

Please mark the songs and styles you particularly like (or dislike!), write in any songs or artists that are especially important to you or your audience, and return the list to us. This will help us zero in on your tastes in music.

However, we also hope you will let us use our instincts and experience to respond to your guests when we meet them! The interplay between a band and an audience is what makes live music **LIVE!** 

#### TOP 40, ROCK, 80s, 90s, POP, DANCE

Levitating (Dua Lipa)

Love Shack (B52s)

What I Got (Sublime)

Living on a Prayer (Bon Jovi)

Don't Stop Believing (Journey)

Open Arms (Journey)

Love Shack (B-52's)

Wake Me Up Before You Go-go (Wham / Geo. Michael)

Come and Get Your Love (Redbone – Guardians of Galaxy)

I Gotta Feeling (Black Eyed Peas)

Just Dance (Lady Gaga)

Dreams/Don't Stop (Fleetwood Mac)

Vogue / Material Girl / Borderline, etc. (Madonna)

Margaritaville / Volcano (Jimmy Buffett)

Sweet Caroline (Neil Diamond)

Freeway of Love (Aretha Franklin)

Ants Marching (Dave Mathews Band)

Run-around (Blues Traveler)

Taking Care of Business

(Bachman-Turner Overdrive)

Old Time Rock and Roll (Bob Seger)

We Got the Beat (GoGo's)

Walking on Sunshine (Katrina & the Waves)

Mony, Mony (Tommy James / Billy Idol)

Get the Party Started (Pink)

Still the One (Orleans)

Glory Days / Fire (Springsteen/Pointer Sisters)

Dancing in the Dark (Springsteen)

Time Warp (Rocky Horror)

What's So Funny About Peace, Love &

Understanding? (E.Costello)

Nick of Time/ Runaway (Bonnie Raitt)

Another Night (Real McCoys)

New Year's Day (U2)

Fire/I'm So Excited (Pointer Sisters)

She Drives Me Crazy (Fine Young Cannibals)

Come a Little Bit Closer (Jay & the Americans)

September (Earth, Wind & Fire)

#### CLASSIC ROCK, MOTOWN, R&B, & SOUL

Soul Man

Respect/ Freeway of Love Aretha Franklin

Mustang Sally

In the Midnight Hour

I Heard It Through the Grapevine

Dancing in the Street

Same Old Song Motown

Ain't Too Proud to Beg Come See About Me

Get Ready

Sugar Pie, Honey Bunch

Working My Way Back to You Babe

My Girl Shotgun

Build Me Up Buttercup Sweet Home Alabama Jumpin' Jack Flash

Honky Tonk Woman Rolling Stones

Satisfaction

I Saw Her Standing There/Daytripper Beatles

Twist and Shout / Get Back

Long Tall Sally/Roll Over Beethoven

I Feel Good/ Sex Machine/ raps James Brown

Good Lovin' Wooly Bully

Louie Louie/Hang On Sloopy

Do You Love Me?

La Bamba

Gimme Some Lovin'

The Shout Garage Band

The Twist/Let's Twist Again

The Stroll

Runaround Sue/ It's My Party/Calendar Girl

In the Still of the Night/ Daddy's Home/ Earth Angel You Belong to Me (See the pyramids along the Nile...)

Van Morrison

Soldier Boy Chapel of Love Johnny B. Goode Jailhouse Rock Stand By Me

Under the Boardwalk

Locomotion I Got You Babe

Brown-Eyed Girl/ Domino

Signed, Sealed, Delivered

Dock of the Bay Happy Together

Never My Love/ Our House

Statesboro Blues/ Cold Shot

You Make Me Feel Like a Natural Woman Ooh Baby Baby /Tracks of My Tears

#### **NEWER SINGER-SONGWRITERS**

Shake It Off - Taylor Swift

The Way I Am - Ingrid Michaelson

The One You Say Goodnight To - Kina Grannis Kiss Me/ There She Goes - Sixpence None the Richer

Perfect - Ed Sheeran

#### STANDARD BALLADS

At Last

As Time Goes By Embraceable You

Just the Way You Look Tonight

More Than You Know Talk of the Town My Romance My Funny Valentine

Someone to Watch Over Me

I'll Be Seeing You It Had to Be You When I Fall in Love You Made Me Love You

Old Cape Cod My Ship

Crazy (Patsy Cline/Willie Nelson)

Isn't It Romantic?

Candy

Body and Soul

I Only Have Eyes for You

What's New

I've Got a Crush on You Moonlight Serenade

Moonglow Stardust

I Can't Get Started The Man I Love

Misty /Tenderly/ Moonlight in Vermont

Laura

Who Can I Turn To? It Might as Well Be Spring

Autumn Leaves September Song

How Long Has This Been Going On?

I Got Lost in His Arms

A Nightingale Sang in Berkeley Square

My Way

## FUNK/ 70's/ DISCO/DANCE

**Brick House** 

Get Down Tonight

Play That Funky Music/Dance and Shout

I Want You Back/ Billie Jean Oh What a Night (Dec. 63)

I Feel Good, Sex Machine, others (James Brown)

Rapper's Delight/ Old-School Rap Mashup

Disco Inferno Boogie Oogie Oogie

She Works Hard for the Money/Last Dance

Fame/ Flashdance

I Will Survive/ Celebration / Gloria

I Had the Time of My Life

Who's Making Love to Your Old Lady?

Dancing Queen/ Venus

# GREAT AMERICAN SONGBOOK, CABARET, SOCIETY, & SHOW TUNES

Anything by Cole Porter, George Gershwin, Rodgers & Hart, Rodgers & Hammerstein, etc.

Anything Goes Night and Day Ain't Misbehavin' Our Love is Here to Stay I Get a Kick Out of You

It's D'Lovely

You Do Something to Me My Heart Belongs to Daddy There's a Small Hotel Puttin' on the Ritz 42<sup>nd</sup> Street

42" Street

Cheek to Cheek

Let's Face the Music and Dance

The Continental Singing in the Rain

Cabaret

Some Enchanted Evening Send in the Clowns What I Did for Love

One

All I Ask of You

Memory

Songs from My Fair Lady, Camelot, Gigi & other shows

#### HOT JAZZ/1920s

Struttin' With Some Barbecue,

When the Saints Go Marching In, Muskrat Ramble

That's a'Plenty Let's Misbehave Doin' the Raccoon Do What Ory Say

I Can't Give You Anything but Love

31<sup>st</sup> Street Blues, Midnight at the Onyx Poor Butterfly

#### OTHER JAZZ

Maiden Voyage, Dolphin Dance

Night in Tunisia

Ornithology, Billie's Bounce

Green Dolphin Street

All Blues/ Milestones/ Freddie the Freeloader

Take Five Java Jive Moondance

Soul Bossa Nova (theme from Austin Powers movies)

Songbird/ Morning Dance

Tunes by Duke Ellington, Louis Armstrong, Sarah Vaughan, Dizzy Gillespie, Charlie Parker, Miles Davis, Billie Holliday, Ella Fitzgerald, Al Jarreau, Manhattan Transfer, etc.

Let us know who your favorite jazz artists are.

## WORLD BEAT, REGGAE, ZYDECO & LATIN

Havana

Tequila

Red Red Wine

Get Up, Stand Up / One Love / 3 Little Birds

You Can Call Me Al

Hot, Hot, Hot

Bang Bang / Soul Sauce, etc. (Latin/salsa/jazz)

Soy Antillana (Celia Cruz)

Under the Sea

I Need to Know (Marc Anthony)

Waiting for Tonight (Jen. Lopez)

Jump in the Line (Shake Senora)

#### Cajun, Zydeco, New Orleans:

Voodoo/ Hey Pocky Way

Les Haricots Son Pas Sale

Jambalaya

Bon Temps Rouler

Mardi Gras Mambo

#### **Rhumbas:**

Besame Mucho

Spanish Eyes

Miami Beach Rhumba

Summertime in Venice

(Many Italian and Jewish rhumbas)

#### Bossa Nova, Samba, Brazil:

Girl from Ipanema/ Wave/ Desafinado, etc.

Blue Bossa

Black Orpheus (A Day in the Life of a Fool)

Chega de Saudade (No More Blues)

Agua de Beber (Water to Drink)

Chove Chuva

#### **Merengues:**

Compadre Pedro Juan

El Negrito Del Batey & many more

#### **Mambos**

#### **Cha-Chas:**

Tea for Two

Never on Sunday

Poco Pelo

Por Favor (ALL BALLROOM STYLES)

**Tangos** 

Sambas

### FOLK, ACOUSTIC, FOLK ROCK, NEW AGE

Danny's Song

You've Got a Friend / Your Smiling Face

Shower the People

Longer Than / Leader of the Band

Someday Soon / Michael from Mountains

Blackbird (Beatles)

If Not for You (Dylan)

James Taylor, Joni Mitchell, Judy Collins, etc.

#### SWING, JIVE and BIG BAND

Jump, Jive and Wail

Go Daddy Go

In the Mood

L.O.V.E. (Nat King Cole)

Route 66

I've Got a Gal in Kalamazoo

Don't Sit Under the Apple Tree

Bei Mir Bist du Shoen

Chattanooga Choo-Choo

Night Train

Make Believe Ballroom Time

Tuxedo Junction

Boy from New York City

Woodchoppers Ball

Tangerine

Sing, Sing, Sing

Begin the Beguine

Shiny Stockings

Mack the Knife

Satin Doll

Take the A-Train

It Don't Mean a Thing

In a Mellow Tone

Opus One

Let's Get Away From It All

They Can't Take That Away from Me

Sinatra

We Are in Love

I Left My Heart in San Francisco

You Make Me Feel So Young

Fly Me to the Moon

The Summer Wind I've Got You Under My Skin

New York, New York

#### **COUNTRY**

Achy Breaky

Friends in Low Places

Hey Good Lookin'

On the Road Again

To Make You Feel My Love

Down at the Twist and Shout / I Feel Lucky

Rocky Top

I'm Alright

When You Say Nothing at All

That's How You Know It's Love

You Never Even Called Me by My Name

San Antonio Rose

Little Things Mean a Lot

Don't It Make My Brown Eyes Blue?

Forever and Ever Amen

Where Have You Been?

Full Moon Full of Love / Big Big Love

Walk Through This World With Me

#### CONTEMPORARY BALLADS

What a Wonderful World

Unforgettable

Have I Told You Lately That I Love You?

Still the One (Shania Twain) Everything (Michael Buble) I Just Called to Say I Love You

Don't Know Why / Come Away with Me

(Norah Jones)

The Way I Am (Ingrid Michaelson)

The Power of Love/ Because You Loved Me

Crazy Love

That's What Friends Are For

Beauty and the Beast, Somewhere Out There

Wind Beneath My Wings

And I Love Her Fields of Gold (Sting)

All My Life/Don't Know Much The Bones (Maren Morris) Save the Best for Last

Always

All I Ask of You Just the Way You Are

Memory

The Way We Were / Evergreen

Sweet Love / Caught Up in the Rapture

Just You and I

Nobody Loves Me Like You Do

Saving All My Love for You / The Greatest Love

Vision of Love Just the Two of Us Endless Love / Truly I Just Fall in Love Again Could I Have This Dance?

Through the Eyes of Love (Ice Castles)

One in a Million You Can't Help Falling in Love

Blue Bayou / Desperado / Ooh Baby Baby.

Always and Forever Through the Years Times of Your Life True Companion Your Song

Wonderful Tonight

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Line Dances: Macarena, Electric Slide, Achy Breaky,

Alley Cat, Chicken Dance, Hokey Pokey

Limbo

The Twist, The Shout, Locomotion, etc.

Anniversary Waltz / Strauss Waltzes

Charleston / Peabody

Yale Songs and songs from other colleges

Sesame Street Songs

Games for children & adults.

(We've played so many unusual things over the years! Ask us about whatever you're looking for.)

#### ETHNIC MUSIC

ITALIAN: Tarantella Eh Cumpari Arriverderci Roma Mala Femmena Non Dimenticar Torna a Surriento

JEWISH:

Hava Nagila

Other horas and frailachs Fiddler on the Roof Medley Hevenu Sholom Alechem

Yossel Yossel Ose Shalom Shein Vi Di L'vone Klezmer music

POLISH:

Beerbarrel Polka
Pennsylvania Polka
Liechtensteiner Polka
Otherselles by Liels Wells, Her

Other polkas by Little Wally, Happy Louie, etc.

Pytala Sie Pani

Obereks, mazurkas, czardas

**IRISH** 

When Irish Eyes Are Smiling

Danny Boy

MacNamara's Band Irish Washerwoman Jig

Harrigan

I'll Take You Home Again Kathleen Other Irish jigs, reels, and waltzes

GREEK:

Miserlou

Zorba the Greek

Traditional Greek music

ARMENIAN:

Erevan Erepooni

AFRICAN:

Wanamelameta (Swahili)

You Are Home (African jazz waltz)

CHINESE:

Jasmine (Jiang-su Province folk song)

Melody from the Tea Garden (Zhejiang Province folk song) Colorful Cloud Chasing Moon (Cantonese folk song) The Moon Speaking for My Heart (1980s pop song)

#### **CLASSICAL**

Bach, Mozart, Handel, Haydn, Brahms, Scarlatti, Pachelbel, Grieg, Schubert, Gounod, Poulenc, Faure, Debussy, Satie, **Bridgerton style -** pop tunes played as if in classical style (must request in advance so that we can bring sheet music.)