



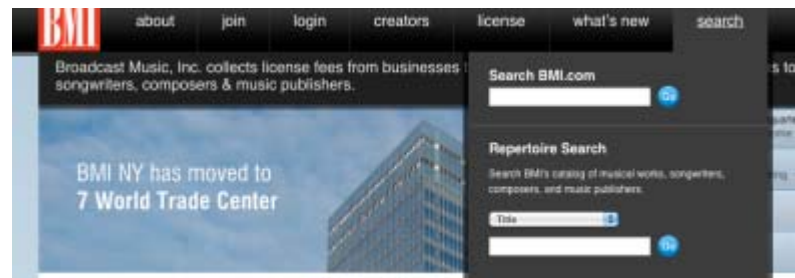
## What Music Can I Play at my Event?

Northland maintains a licensing agreement with Broadcast Music Inc. (BMI). BMI collects license fees on behalf of songwriters, composers, and music publishers. BMI then distributes these fees as royalties to those members whose works have been performed. This service allows us to legally play and perform any musical piece that is found in BMI's repertoire for all Northland events. (Please note: prior approval by the Fine Arts Department is required for student music presentations (see the Student Guide for details).

### How to Search the Repertoire

Go to [www.bmi.com](http://www.bmi.com).

Choose which search you would like from the drop down: Title, Writer, Publisher, or Artist. Then type what you want to search for in the text box below and click **Search**. Your results will show on the right side of your screen in groups of twenty. You will be able to view more results by using the navigation links that will be above your search results.



### Title Search

Choose **Title** from the drop down (it is the default) and then type in all or part of the title you want to search for. You can select one of six different types of results to display by clicking on the checkboxes below the textbox.

- Titles Only
- Titles with Writers
- Titles with Publishers
- Titles with Artists
- Titles with Writers and Publishers (default)
- Titles with Writers, Publishers, and Artists

You can look at the [Hints](#) page to find out more on searching by title.

### Writer Search

Choose **Writer** from the drop down box, and then type all or part of the writer's name in the textbox below the drop down box and click **Search**. If you are entering both the writer's first name and last name, always type the writer's last name first.

### Publisher Search

Choose **Publisher** from the drop down and then type all or part of the publisher in the textbox below the drop down box and then click **Search**. For assistance with publisher addresses and contact information, call 212.830.8362.

### Artist Search

Choose **Artist** from the drop down and then type all or part of the artist's name in the textbox below the drop down menu and click **Search**. If you find the title you are looking for in the repertoire, you may legally play it.