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NEWS

Luke Bryan Tour Announcement

Luke Bryan has announced five stadium shows for 2016, including Boston's Gillette Stadium (July 16), Minneapolis' US Bank Stadium (Aug. 19), Chicago's Wrigley Field (Aug. 27), Dallas' AT&T Stadium (Oct. 22) and Detroit's Ford Field (Oct. 29). Additionally, Bryan's *Kill The Lights* Tour has been extended through this fall, adding 40 concerts to his previously released 2016 schedule. For the full story, [click here](#).



No. 1 Challenge Coin: Josh Osborne & Shane McAnally

Josh Osborne and **Shane McAnally** were presented No. 1 Challenge Coins this week for writing chart-topping hits. Even though they have written No. 1 songs together (**Keith Urban's** "John Cougar, John Deere, John 3:16," **Kenny Chesney's** "Wild Child," and **Sam Hunt's** "Take Your Time"), this time it was for different songs.



MusicRow's Troy Stephenson (L), Osborne (R)

Osborne collected his fifth Challenge Coin of 2015 for **Tim McGraw's** "Top Of The World." McAnally also collected his fifth for **Brothers Osborne's** "Stay A Little Longer." Every artist and songwriter that reaches the top of the CountryBreakout chart receive the Challenge Coin. To view the list of recipients, [click here](#).



MusicRow's Troy Stephenson (L), McAnally (R)

Carrie Underwood Collects Another Platinum Album

Carrie Underwood's *Greatest Hits: Decade #1* has been certified platinum by the RIAA. The accomplishment makes Underwood the only country artist to release an album to platinum success since *Greatest Hits: Decade #1* was issued in December 2014. Upon release, the double-disc set debuted at No. 1 on *Billboard's* Top Country Albums chart with first-week sales of 94,000 according to Nielsen Music. To read the full story, [click here](#).



CHART ACTION

New On The Chart —Debuting This Week

Artist/song/label—chart pos.

- Chris Young**/Think Of You/RCA Nashville— 61
- Jennifer Nettles**/Unlove You/Big Machine— 65
- Maren Morris**/My Church/Columbia Nashville— 70
- Big & Rich**/Lovin' Lately/New Revolution—74
- Trace Adkins**/Jesus And Jones/Wheelhouse Records— 75

Greatest Spin Increase

Artist/song/label—Spin Increase

- Carrie Underwood**/Heartbeat/Arista Nashville— 432
- Old Dominion**/Snapback/RCA Nashville— 369
- Luke Bryan**/Home Alone Tonight/Capitol Nashville—369
- Cole Swindell**/You Should Be Here/Warner Bros.— 349
- Keith Urban**/Break On Me/Capitol Nashville— 332

Most Added

Artist/song/label—No. of Adds

- Chris Young**/Think Of You/RCA Nashville—26
- Jennifer Nettles**/Unlove You/Big Machine—22
- Old Dominion**/Snapback/RCA Nashville—22
- Maren Morris**/My Church/Columbia Nashville—20
- Cole Swindell**/You Should Be Here/Warner Bros.—15
- Chris Lane**/Fix/Big Loud Records—10
- Big & Rich**/Lovin' Lately/New Revolution—9

On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

Artist/song/label—No. of Spins

- Makenna & Brock**/Burnin' The Night Down/Soundbyte Records— 176
- Lindsay Ell**/By The Way/Stoney Creek Records— 145
- Angel Marie & The Tennessee Werewolves**/Ramblin—136
- Olivia Lane**/Make My Own Sunshine/Big Spark Music Group—133
- Bianca Moon**/Fireball/GTR— 129

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ARTIST SPOTLIGHT



Eric Chesser

Sponsored by: Big Big Records Nashville, LLC

Current Single:
"I Can't Read Your Mind"

Written By:
Eric Chesser

Hometown:
Plainfield, IL

Career Accomplishments:

-Eric's current single was awarded *MusicRow's* first DIScovery Award for 2016 by industry critic and music aficionado Robert K. Oermann.

-In 2015 Eric successfully established the Tailgate Nation Scholarship Foundation, a non profit 501(c)(3) charitable organization to help students in need of financial assistance.

-Eric will be reintroducing the Scholarship Program in June 2016.

-As a graduate from law school, Eric is an advocate for education.

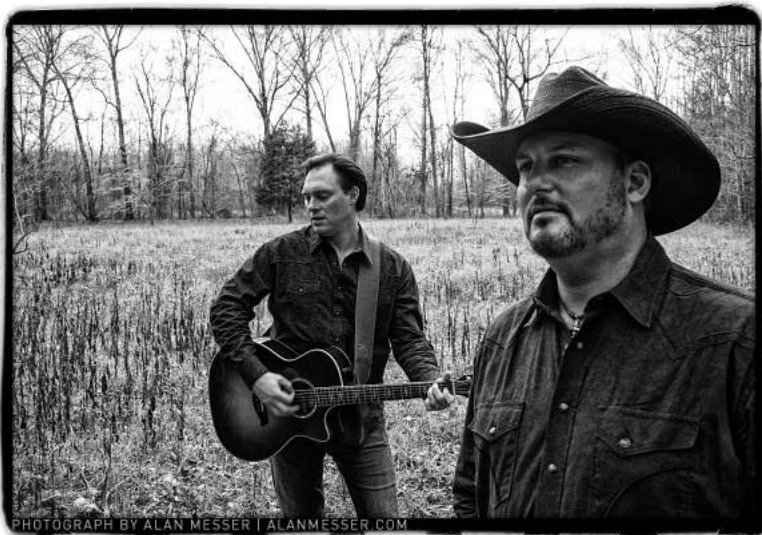
Artist Facts:

-Eric is a singer/songwriter and recording artist. His passions include writing and performing music, sports, helping others, and spending time with his family.

-The 27-year-old will be releasing his first EP in Spring 2016.

-Eric will be releasing his tour dates in Spring 2016.

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Singles

January 18

Trace Adkins/Jesus And Jones/Wheelhouse Records
Maren Morris/My Church/Columbia Nashville
Delaney Grant/Better/HMG Nashville
Corey Farlow/Burnin' Me Up/HMG Nashville
Eric Chesser/I Can't Read Your Mind/BIGBIG Entertainment
Tony Jackson/Drink By Drink/Independent
Maggie Rose/Broken/Independent
Brenda Burch/Sparks Will Fly/SMG Nashville
David McArthur/Local Honey/SMG Nashville
Tobacco Rd Band/Jesus & Guns/Big Southern
Backroad Anthem/Torn/in2une Nashville

January 25

Chris Young Feat. **Cassadee Pope**/Think Of You/RCA Nashville
Jordan Rager/Feels Like One Of Them/Broken Bow Records
Steven Tyler/Red White & You/Dot Records
The Cains/Knock Knock/GMV Nashville

Albums

January 15

Hank Williams Jr./*It's About Time*/Nash Icon Records
Brothers Osborne/*Pawn Shop*/EMI Nashville
Randy Rogers Band/Nothing Shines Like Neon
Allie Louise/Allie Louise [EP]/Six Beat Productions

January 22

Green River Ordinance/Fifteen/Residence Music

January 29

Aubrie Sellers/New City Blues/Carnival-Thirty Tigers



Keith Urban takes the No. 1 position with "Break On Me." It is the second single from his forthcoming ninth studio album, *RipCORD*.

The song was penned by **Jon Nite** and **Ross Copperman**. Both are familiar names since Copperman co-wrote four chart toppers in 2015 and Nite co-wrote three.

Urban recently announced his [2016 RipCORD tour](#) with special guests **Brett Eldredge** and **Maren Morris**.

The Country Radio Broadcasters have announced Keith Urban as the recipient of the [2016 CRS Artist Humanitarian Award](#) to be presented next month.



Click [here](#) to view a full list of **MusicRow's Challenge Coin recipients.**

MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart Reporting Stations

WHMA Anniston AL
 WXFL Florence AL
 KCJC Russellville AR
 KCNY Conway AR
 KDXY Jonesboro AR
 KQUS Hot Springs AR
 KWCK Searcy AR
 KTTI Yuma AZ
 KVAY Lamar CO
 WHWY Destin FL
 WTRS Ocala FL
 WPHR Ft Pierce FL
 WBYZ Baxley GA
 WOKA Douglas GA
 WTHO Thomson GA
 WUBB Savannah GA
 KBOE Oskaloosa IA
 KIAI Mason City IA
 KLMJ Hampton IA
 KSMA Mason City IA

KBKB Burlington IA KXIA
 Marshalltown IA
 KICR Sandpoint ID
 KTHK Idaho Falls ID
 WAAG Galesburg IL
 WIBL Normal IL
 WOOZ Carterville IL
 WDZQ Decatur IL
 WMCI Mattoon IL
 WIFE Connorsville IN
 WYGB Franklin IN
 KAIR Atchison KS
 KKOW Pittsburg KS
 KYEZ Salina KS
 WBKR Owensboro KY
 WDHR Pikeville KY
 WKFC London KY
 WGGC Bowling Green KY
 WKDZ Cadiz KY

WLVK Elizabethtown KY
 KRRV Alexandria LA
 KXKZ Ruston LA
 WKPE Hyannis, MA
 WKTT Salisbury MD
 WVMD Cumberland MD
 WATZ Alpena MI
 WTCM Traverse City MI
 WJNR Iron Mountain MI
 WUPY Ontonagon MI
 KZPK St. Cloud MN
 KYSM Mankato MN
 KBXB Sikeston MO
 KDKD Clinton MO
 KFAV Warrenton MO
 KWWR Mexico MO
 WQNZ Natchez MS
 KZZY Devils Lake ND
 KYCK Grand Forks ND

KRVN Lexington, NE
 KRGJ Grand Island, NE
 WFRY Watertown NY
 WDNB Liberty NY
 WOLF Syracuse NY
 KWHW Altus OK
 KITX Hugo OK
 KKAJ Ardmore OK
 KWOX Woodward OK
 KWEY Weatherford OK
 KRKT Albany OR
 WFGS State College PA
 WWBE Selinsgrove PA
 KYTN Union City TN
 WDKN Dickson TN
 WEIO Huntingdon TN
 WLLX Lawrenceburg TN
 WOWF Crossville TN
 WMYL Clinton, TN
 WUCZ Carthage TN

Renegade Radio Nashville TN
 KFTX Corpus Christi TX
 KGKL San Angelo TX
 KMKS Bay City TX
 KXOX Sweetwater TX
 KYYK Palestine TX
 KMRK Odessa, TX
 WAKG Danville VA
 WMEV Marion VA
 WAXX Altoona, WI
 WCOW Sparta, WI
 WGLR Platteville WI
 WJMQ Shawano WI
 WJVL Janesville WI
 WQPC Prairie du Chien WI
 WDDG Huntington WV
 WKKW Morgantown WV
 WTNJ Mount Hope WV
 WKWS Charleston WV
 WTCR Huntington WV

MUSIC ROW

COUNTRY BREAKOUT CHART

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Weeks On Chart	Last Week	This Week	Artist / Song / Label	Spins / Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +/-
11	2	1	Keith Urban / Break On Me / Capitol Nashville	3361/98	11	332
8	6	2	Luke Bryan / Home Alone Tonight / Capitol Nashville	3104/93	13	369
15	3	3	Sam Hunt / Break Up in a Small Town / MCA Nashville	3035/82	8	212
30	4	4	Lee Brice / That Don't Sound Like You / Curb	2891/95	3	73
22	7	5	Tyler Farr / Better In Boots / Columbia Nashville	2802/98	5	127
14	8	6	Granger Smith / Backroad Song / Wheelhouse Records	2751/88	6	157
8	9	7	Eric Church / Mr. Misunderstood / EMI Nashville	2643/99	14	329
5	14	8	Carrie Underwood / Heartbeat / Arista Nashville	2530/96	21	432
8	12	9	Chris Stapleton / Nobody To Blame / Mercury	2439/96	9	204
23	11	10	Easton Corbin / Yup / Mercury Nashville	2309/90	3	66
18	10	11	Mo Pitney / Boy And A Girl Thing / Curb	2291/86	2	43
8	18	12	Florida Georgia Line / Confession / Republic Nashville	2238/92	15	296
16	17	13	Rascal Flatts / I Like The Sound of That / Big Machine	2206/87	8	168
19	13	14	Little Big Town / Pain Killer / Capitol Nashville	2186/88	4	86
18	19	15	Brantley Gilbert / Stone Cold Sober / Valory Music	2082/95	8	149
14	16	16	George Strait / Cold Beer Conversation / MCA Nashville	2052/78	-1	-21
27	20	17	Jana Kramer / I Got The Boy / Warner Bros.	2023/61	5	99
14	21	18	Zac Brown Band / Beautiful Drug / Southern Ground Artists	2004/74	5	99
24	22	19	David Nail / Night's On Fire / MCA Nashville	1877/83	5	92
15	23	20	Jon Pardi / Head Over Boots / Capitol Nashville	1846/90	5	82
15	24	21	Michael Ray / Real Men Love Jesus / Warner Bros- WEA	1844/91	5	90
10	26	22	Maddie & Tae / Shut Up & Fish / Dot Records	1574/88	11	159
19	25	23	Canaan Smith / Hole In A Bottle / Mercury Nashville	1574/80	8	110
9	31	24	Brett Eldredge / Drunk On Your Love / Warner Bros.	1430/74	14	179
13	28	25	Craig Morgan / When I'm Gone / Black River	1419/71	5	70
21	27	26	Kayla Adams / Burn A Little Colder / SSM Entertainment	1418/64	4	52
13	30	27	Aaron Watson / Getaway Truck / Big Label-Thirty Tigers	1412/79	10	127
12	32	28	Dustin Lynch / Mind Reader / Broken Bow	1378/80	13	162
13	34	29	Rachael Turner / I Don't Love You / Rustic Records	1287/62	8	98
3	39	30	Cole Swindell / You Should Be Here / Warner Bros.	1281/74	37	349
12	33	31	Eric Paslay / High Class / EMI	1269/68	5	58
8	36	32	Justin Moore / You Look Like I Need A Drink / Valory	1187/77	12	129
11	38	33	Kip Moore / Running For You / MCA Nashville	1166/67	14	147
18	35	34	Scotty McCreery / Southern Belle / Mercury Nashville	1161/61	5	51
3	45	35	Old Dominion / Snapback / RCA Nashville	1159/82	47	369
11	37	36	Charles Kelley / The Driver / Capitol Nashville	1141/63	9	90
26	1	37	A Thousand Horses / (This Ain't No) Drunk Dial / Republic Nashville	1027/42	-67	-2042
19	42	38	Bucky Covington / I Feel Ya / Barefootin' Inc	999/45	18	155
4	46	39	Chris Lane / Fix / Big Loud Records	995/74	26	207
6	41	40	Frankie Ballard / It All Started With A Beer / Warner Bros.	991/65	16	137

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14	40	41	Joe Nichols / Freaks Like Me / Red Bow	925/56	3	23
9	43	42	Toby Keith / Beautiful Stranger / Show Dog Nashville	916/54	9	76
12	44	43	William Michael Morgan / I Met A Girl / Warner Bros.	813/52	2	16
6	50	44	Dylan Scott / Crazy Over Me / Curb	708/50	13	84
10	47	45	Lauren Alaina / Next Boyfriend / Mercury Nashville	705/44	5	34
7	52	46	Presley & Taylor / While You Were Gone / SMG Nashville	669/40	14	80
20	48	47	Alexandra Demetree / Outta My Head / SSM Nashville	669/33	1	4
11	49	48	Ashley Gearing / Train Track / Curb Records	668/43	4	25
12	53	49	Sam Austin / Ain't It Good / Plateau Music	597/33	3	18
16	54	50	Kayla Calabrese / Give / SMG Records Nashville	559/32	3	17
6	57	51	Callie Twisselman / Hung Me On The Line / Sugar Cube Records	508/32	13	58
9	55	52	Dallas Smith / Kids With Cars / Blaster Records	506/30	6	28
8	58	53	Mitchell Tenpenny / Love & Rock N Roll / Creation Lab Records	499/31	13	57
10	56	54	Chris Janson / Power Of Positive Drinkin' / Warner Bros.	499/38	6	30
7	59	55	SaraBeth / Runnin' Outta Lipstick / Circle S Records	448/34	6	26
4	64	56	Hank Williams Jr. w/ Eric Church / Are you Ready for the Country / Nash	441/27	29	100
4	60	57	Curtis Braly / Sooner Or Later / Studio Gold Nashville	422/28	10	40
6	63	58	Alabama / Wasn't Through Lovin You Yet / BMG	406/33	15	53
5	62	59	Robby Johnson / Hate Me Tonight / CMR Nashville	393/31	10	37
14	61	60	Hoyt Hughes Band / Stomp On / Blue Bolt	364/20	0	1
1	117	61	Chris Young / Think of You / RCA	348/31	544	294
3	70	62	Chris Chitsey / Just Don't Know It Yet / Premier Nashville Records	343/28	27	72
6	65	63	Homegrown Band / She Loves to Ride /	343/26	6	18
6	67	64	Jake McVey / Ya'll Girls /	322/20	9	27
1	96	65	Jennifer Nettles / Unlove You / Big Machine Records	321/30	238	226
3	68	66	Macy Martin / Baby What Ya Doing / Go Time Records	305/25	9	25
4	69	67	The Stickers / Countrified / Wodarek Music LLC	302/23	10	28
2	74	68	Drake White / Livin' The Dream / Dot	296/25	42	88
3	72	69	Scott Brantley / Good Thing Going / Studio Gold Nashville	273/17	18	41
1	118	70	Maren Morris / My Church / Columbia Nashville	259/25	389	206
3	71	71	Don Henley & Trisha Yearwood / Words Can Break Your Heart / IRS Re-	243/21	-2	-6
2	76	72	Dave And Whitney / Alibi / Chelsea Creek Entertainment	231/19	23	43
3	73	73	Sammy Sadler / No Place To Land / S Records	231/17	7	15
1	85	74	Big & Rich / Lovin' Lately / New Revolution	214/19	63	83
1	84	75	Trace Adkins / Jesus and Jones / Wheelhouse Records	213/17	51	72
2	75	76	Dianna Corcoran / God Did Good / Krian Music Group	213/16	8	15
2	77	77	Sarah Dunn Band / Backwoods Party / Audacity Records	206/19	13	24
2	80	78	Pete Scobell / Walkin' A Wire / FrogBonz Entertainment	205/17	31	48
2	79	79	Southern Halo / Little White Dress /	203/15	13	23
2	78	80	Sammy Hakim / Kiss Some Boys / EXT Records	198/17	9	17

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