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'MusicRow' Reveals 2015 Rising Women Honorees

MusicRow revealed the honorees of the fourth annual Rising Women on the Row celebration. The event will be held Tuesday, March 24, 8:30 a.m. at the Omni Nashville. This year's honorees are **Kele Currier** (ASCAP), **Tiffany Dunn**



(Loeb & Loeb), **Dawn Gates** (Universal Music Group), **Jensen Sussman** (Sweet Talk Publicity), and **Lou Taylor** (Tri Star Sports & Entertainment). To read more about this year's honorees, click <u>HERE</u>. For tickets, click <u>HERE</u>.

MusicRow CountryBreakout Awards

The 2015 CountryBreakout Awards were presented on Wednesday (Feb. 25) at *MusicRow's* Country Radio Meet & Greet at Margaritaville in Nashville. Industry members and CRS attendees gathered to celebrate secondary market radio, and enjoy spectacular performances by **Chase Bryant** and **Austin Webb**. To see the full list of winners, click HERE.



Chase Bryant

CRB Announces 2015 Country Radio Hall Of Fame Inductees

The Country Radio Broadcasters announced Feb. 25 the five inductees into the Country Radio Hall of Fame. The inductees were revealed at CRS by surprise guests **Garth Brooks** and **Trisha Yearwood** at the Nashville Convention Center. This year's inductees include: **Mike Kennedy**-



KBEQ (Kansas City) PD and morning host, **Joel Raab**consultant, **Randy Carroll**-KAJA (San Antonio) morning host, **Karen Dalessandro**-WMIL

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Top Ten— Dierks Bentley secured the No. 1 spot this week with "Say You Do." Jason Aldean is one step away from the top with "Just Gettin' Started" at No. 2. Tyler Farr's "A Guy Walks Into A Bar" moves up one to No. 3, followed by Easton Corbin's "Baby Be My Love Song" at No. 4. The *MusicRow* Breakout Artist of 2014, Cole Swindell, is at No. 5 with "Ain't Worth The Whiskey." Eric Paslay moves "She Don't Love You" to No. 6 and Zac Brown Band is up to No. 7 with "Homegrown." Billy Currington jumps two spots to No. 8 with "Don't It." Josh Turner pauses and remains at No. 9 another week and Miranda Lambert's "Little Red Wagon" moves in at No. 10.

Greatest Gainers— **Florida Georgia Line** was the biggest gainer this week with "Sippin' On Fire" up 378 plays from last week. **Carrie Underwood** moved up eight spots after 303 new spins and **Eric Church** accelerated "Like A Wrecking Ball" up with 292 more plays. **Kenny Chesney's** "Wild Child" gained 248 more spins and **Keith Urban** w/ **Eric Church** jumps to No. 12 thanks to 243 additional plays.

Debuts— Presley & Taylor had the highest debut at No. 72 with "Looking For A Cowboy." Also new to the chart this week was **Johnny Orr Band's** "You Can't Hide Love" at No. 74 and **Gary Allan** at No. 79 with "Hangover Tonight."



Bison Creek Records' James Robert Webb (R) stops in at Renegade Radio Nashville to discuss proper ways to wear shades with Captain Jack (L). Webb's single "Daddy Made A Million" is at country radio now.



SINGLES CALENDAR

March 2

Gary Allan/Hangover Tonight/MCA
John King/On Your Lips/Black River
Kayla Calabrese/Whisper/SMG
LiveWire/Quit You/Way Out West Records
Alan Turner/Bull Riding Babe/HMG Nashville
Jake Gill/Say It Goodbye/HMG Nashville

March 9

Eric Church/Like A Wrecking Ball/EMI Nashville
Trisha Yearwood/I Remember You/Gwendolyn-RCA Nashville
Eli Young Band/Turn It On/Republic Nashville
Montgomery Gentry/Folks Like Us/Blaster Records
Logan Mize/Can't Get Away From A Good Time/Arista Nashville
Ashley Monroe/On To Something Good/Warner Bros.
Ruthie Collins/Ramblin' Man/Sidewalk Records
Dexter Roberts/Dream About Me/First Launch Records
David Shelby/Oh Yeah/Star Farm

March 16

Drake White/It Feels Good/Dot Records
Striking Matches/Hanging On A Lie/I.R.S. Nashville
Wade Bowen/When I Woke Up Today/AMP
Sammy Hakim/Empty Bottle/EXT Records

ALBUMS CALENDAR

March 2

Aaron Tippin/Aaron Tippin 25/Nippit Records Casting Crowns/Glorious Day: Hymns of Faith/Cracker Barrel

March 3

Shania Twain/SHANIA: Still The One Live from Vegas [CD/DVD]/ Mercury Nashville

March 9

Jordyn Stoddard/Southern Tide/ J Stodd

March 10

Luke Bryan/*Spring Break...Checkin' Out*/Capitol Nashville **Eli Young Band**/*Turn It On* [EP]/Republic Nashville



After a recent stop in San Antonio, Texas, Cole Swindell (R) will always remember The Alamo and taking a photo with KAJA/San Antonio PD Don Gosselin (L).

WEEKLY CHART DATA

New On The Chart —Debuting This Week

Artist/song/label—chart pos.

Presley & Taylor/Looking For A Cowboy/SMG Nashville— 72 **Johnny Orr Band**/You Can't Hide Love/J.O.B.— 74 **Gary Allan**/Hangover Tonight/MCA— 79

Greatest Spin Increase

Artist/song/label—Spin Increase

Florida Georgia Line/Sippin' On Fire/Republic Nashville— 378
Carrie Underwood/Little Toy Guns/Arista— 303
Eric Church/Like A Wrecking Ball/EMI Nashville— 292
Kenny Chesney/Wild Child/Blue Chair-Columbia— 248
Keith Urban w/ Eric Church/Raise 'Em Up/Capitol Nashville— 243

Most Added

Artist/song/label—No. of Adds

Florida Georgia Line/Sippin' On Fire/Republic Nashville—23
Eric Church/Like A Wrecking Ball/EMI Nashville—20
Carrie Underwood/Little Toy Guns/Arista—13
Gary Allan/Hangover Tonight/MCA—11
Kip Moore/I'm To Blame/MCA—10
Parmalee/Already Callin' You Mine/Stoney Creek—7
Maddie & Tae/Fly/Dot Records—7
Reba/Going Out Like That/Nash Icon—6
Kenny Chesney/Wild Child/Blue Chair-Columbia—6
Brad Paisley/Crushin' It/Arista—6
Frankie Ballard/Young & Crazy/Warner Bros.—6

On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

Artist/song/label—No. of Spins

Bryson Jennings/Young Nights/Cocky Martin— 144
Jeremy Starkel/Burn/Biting Sow—141
Crystal Yates/Goodbye Letter/Yates— 133
Will Corey/Scattered Covered Smothered/Rockin-Rodeo— 132
James Robert Webb/Daddy Made A Million/Bison Creek— 132
Waterloo Revival/Hit The Road/Big Machine— 132

Frozen Playlist— KBKB, KDKD, KBXB, KFAV, KHBZ, KSMA, KYCK, KZPK, Renegade Radio, WDHR, WEIO, WKDZ, WLLX, WMEV, WOKA, WOLF, WTHO, WTRS



Skytone Records' Morgan Riley sits with Santa Steve Ferguson of WTHO/ Thomson, Ga., and lets him know that all she wants is an Add for her song "Down South." Pictured (L-R): Producer Frank Green, Riley, Ferguson.

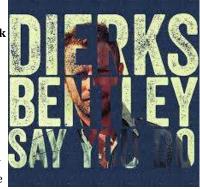


NO. 1 SONG

Seven ACM Awards nominee Dierks Bentley will be honored this week for his song "Say You Do" reaching the No. 1 spot on

MusicRow's CountryBreakout Chart.

The song was written by **Shane McAnally** with **Old Dominion's Matt Ramsey** and **Trevor Rosen**. It is the fourth single released from



the Grammy-nominated, *Riser*. In fact, the last two singles, "I Hold On" and "Drunk On A Plane" both reached the top of our chart in 2014.

Bentley will be taking the *Sounds Of Summer Tour* on the road beginning June 5 in Raleigh, N.C. Joining him will be **Canaan Smith, Kip Moore**, and **Maddie & Tae**. To celebrate the tour announcement, all of the artists took part–some reluctantly– in the CHILLY <u>polar plunge</u> last month in Nashville.

During a not much warmer CRS this week, Dierks, or "Doug Douglason," had some fun at Nashville music venue The Stage on Broadway with "Shelby Shelton" (Miranda Lambert), "Dallas Houston" (Randy Houser), "Ronnie Bunns" (Lady Antebellum's Charles Kelley), Canaan Smith and Kip Moore.

Click <u>here</u> to view a full list of *MusicRow's* Challenge Coin recipients.

MusicRow Spotlight

Heather Stupeck/Secondary Promotions Manager/Jerry Duncan Promotions/Nashville, Tenn.

Tell us about the road that took you to your current position?

Before moving to Nashville I was in radio in Evansville, Ind. My passion has always been on the industry side of country music. I moved down to Nashville on a Saturday, Jerry called me Sunday, and by Wednesday I was part of his promotions team.

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What is your favorite part of the job?

I've always been a huge advocator for new artists trying to pursue their dreams and that's what my company specializes in. Knowing that JDP had a hand in helping to break BK and Tyler from Florida Georgia Line makes me extremely excited for what the future of this company holds.

What is best about working the stations on the Music Row Panel?

I've been in their shoes and understand what they go through on a day-to-day basis. It's also a lot of fun to talk to my radio friends and get them just as excited to be a part of these new acts as I am.

Give an interesting fact about yourself!

I'm deathly afraid of driving behind vehicles with trailers or loose items like wood or furniture. I'd rather risk a speeding ticket. That's all thanks to the Final Destination movies by the way.

What artists are going to make their name known this year? Dylan Scott, Chris Lane and Granger Smith all have a lot going for them. Dylan's had multiple single cuts for songs he's written, Chris has been a part of some major tours and Granger has grown one of the biggest fan bases for an independent I've ever seen. I think it's just a matter of time before these guys are at the top of the game.

MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart Reporting Stations

WHMA Anniston AL WXFL Florence AL KCJC Russellville AR KCNY Conway AR KHBZ Harrison AR KDXY Jonesboro AR **KQUS Hot Springs AR** KWCK Searcy AR KSED Flagstaff AZ KTTI Yuma AZ **KVAY Lamar CO** WHWY Destin FL WTRS Ocala FL WBYZ Baxley GA WOKA Douglas GA WTHO Thomson GA WUBB Savannah GA KBOE Oskaloosa IA KIAI Mason City IA

KLMJ Hampton IA KMGO Centerville 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 Connersville IN KAIR Atchison KS KKOW Pittsburg KS KVWF Wichita 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 WKTT Salisbury MD WVMD Cumberland MD WATZ Alpena MI WTCM Traverse City MI WJNR Iron Mountain MI WUPY Ontonagon MI WMKC Cheboygan, MI KZPK St. Cloud, MN KBXB Sikeston, MO KDKD Clinton, MO KFAV Warrenton, MO KWWR Mexico, MO KZZY Devils Lake, ND KYCK Grand Forks, ND KRVN Lexington, NE

KRGI Grand Island, NE WKPQ Hornell NY WFRY Watertown NY WCJW Warsaw 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 WFGE State College PA WWBE Selinsgrove PA KYTN Union City TN WDKN Dickson TN WEIO Huntingdon TN WLLX Lawrenceburg TN WOWF Crossville 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 WAKG Danville VA WMEV Marion VA WAXX Altoona, WI WCOW Sparta, WI WGLR Platteville WI WJMQ Shawano WI WBWI West Bend WI WJVL Janesville WI WOPC, Prairie du Chien WI WDGG Huntington WV WKKW Morgantown WV WTNJ Mount Hope WV WKWS Charleston WV WTCR Huntington WV



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Weeks On Chart	Last Wk Position	This Wk Position	Artist/Song/Label	Spins/ Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +-	Last Wk # Spins				
21	2	1	Dierks Bentley/Say You Do/Capitol Nashville	3434/99	3	94	3340				
15	3	2	Jason Aldean/Just Gettin' Started/Broken Bow	3400/95	4	115	3285				
28	4	3	Tyler Farr/A Guy Walks Into A Bar/Columbia Nashville	3139/98	3	86	3053				
23	5	4	Easton Corbin/Baby Be My Love Song/Mercury	2764/99	3	79	2685				
17	6	5	Cole Swindell/Ain't Worth The Whiskey/Warner Bros.	2753/89	4	96	2657				
18	7	6	Eric Paslay/She Don't Love You/EMI Nashville	2620/97	5	119	2501				
7	8	7	Zac Brown Band/Homegrown/Southern Ground	2597/90	9	209	2388				
16	10	8	Billy Currington/Don't It/Mercury Nashville	2471/97	5	126	2345				
22	9	9	Josh Turner/Lay Low/MCA	2431/94	3	81	2350				
8	13	10	Miranda Lambert/Little Red Wagon/RCA Nashville	2407/96	9	202	2205				
11	12	11	Sam Hunt/Take Your Time/MCA	2389/87	7	151	2238				
6	17	12	Keith Urban w/ Eric Church/Raise 'Em Up/Capitol Nashville	2267/97	12	243	2024				
28	1	13	Jake Owen/What We Ain't Got/RCA Nashville	2249/67	-35	-1211	3460				
6	19	14	A Thousand Horses/Smoke/Republic Nashville	1938/95	12	206	1732				
19	18	15	Kelsea Ballerini/Love Me Like You Mean It/Black River	1847/83	4	65	1782				
10	20	16	Little Big Town/Girl Crush/Capitol Nashville	1817/83	9	151	1666				
31	22	17	Canaan Smith/Love You Like That/Mercury Nashville	1759/77	8	124	1635				
6	23	18	Tim McGraw/Diamond Rings And Old Barstools/Big Machine	1726/90	11	167	1559				
15	21	19	The Swon Brothers/Pray For You/Arista Nashville	1712/87	2	40	1672				
14	24	20	Brantley Gilbert/One Hell Of An Amen/Valory	1618/84	7	106	1512				
5	28	21	Kenny Chesney/Wild Child/Blue Chair-Columbia	1532/82	19	248	1284				
21	25	22	Branch & Dean/Green Light/SSM	1500/60	0	6	1494				
11	27	23	Rascal Flatts/Riot/Big Machine	1457/76	5	72	1385				
12	26	24	Rachel Holder/I Think Of You/Curb	1441/62	3	43	1398				
6	29	25	Brad Paisley/Crushin' It/Arista	1439/80	15	187	1252				
17	15	26	Toby Keith/Drunk Americans/Showdog-Universal	1305/50	-38	-789	2094				
7	30	27	Mickey Guyton/Better Than You Left Me/Capitol Nashville	1281/81	5	66	1215				
11	32	28	Chris Weaver Band/Time Has Wings/American Roots Records	1280/64	6	75	1205				
11	31	29	Lonestar/Pretty Good Day/4Star Records	1262/57	4	49	1213				
4	38	30	Carrie Underwood/Little Toy Guns/Arista	1249/83	32	303	946				
22	16	31	Erica Nicole/It's Comin' Down/EN Music-PCL	1219/43	-40	-811	2030				
7	33	32	Reba/Going Out Like That/Nash Icon	1203/72	12	132	1071				
14	35	33	Chase Rice/Gonna Wanna Tonight/Columbia Nashville	1104/64	5	54	1050				
7	36	34	Craig Wayne Boyd/My Baby's Got A Smile On Her Face/Dot Records	1077/61	4	45	1032				
18	37	35	Mike Ryan/Dancing All Around it/Rock & Soul Records	993/45	3	31	962				
11	39	36	Haley & Michaels/Just Another Love Song/New Revolution Entertainment	938/54	3	24	914				



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7	45	37	Maddie & Tae/Fly/Dot Records	885/66	20	145	740
4	48	38	Kip Moore/I'm To Blame/MCA Nashville	848/63	27	182	666
17	34	39	Kristian Bush/Trailer Hitch/Streamsound	825/37	-21	-218	1043
16	41	40	Brian Collins/Never Really Left/Blue Light Entertainment	819/52	3	26	793
12	43	41	John Spicer/Pretty Good At Loving You/Legend Group Records	814/42	4	33	781
8	46	42	Austin Webb/Country On You/Streamsound	809/54	10	74	735
10	42	43	Dallas Smith/Wastin Gas/Big Loud Mountain	808/51	3	26	782
10	44	44	Steven Lee Olsen/Raised By A Good Time/Columbia Nashville	807/53	4	33	774
7	51	45	Frankie Ballard/Young And Crazy/Warner Bros.	727/50	14	91	636
13	47	46	Gloriana/Trouble/Warner Bros.	705/36	1	9	696
6	53	47	Bobby Wills/Never Didn't Love You/Willing Nashville	700/50	6	42	658
8	52	48	Josh Dorr/Save Your Breath/RCA Nashville	695/49	5	30	665
14	49	49	Frank Ortega/My Old Man/Villa One	680/34	0	2	678
13	54	50	The Cains Trio/Be Yourself With Me/DayStreet Records-GMV Nashville	607/29	-3	-22	629
8	56	51	James Otto/Somewhere Tonight/Ottopilot Records	597/37	5	29	568
10	55	52	Granger Smith/Bury Me In Blue Jeans/Pioneer Music	587/36	1	5	582
2	76	53	Florida Georgia Line/Sippin' on Fire/Republic Nashville	554/42	215	378	176
11	57	54	Chris Chitsey/Lonely In Tucson/Premier Nashville Records	535/28	1	6	529
11	58	55	Jo Dee Messina/He's Messed Up/Dreambound Records LLC	534/31	1	7	527
8	59	56	Dylan Scott/Lay It On Me/Sidewalk Records	513/30	9	44	469
2	71	57	Eric Church/Like A Wrecking Ball/EMI	493/35	145	292	201
8	60	58	Jason Michael Carroll/God Only Knows/For The Lonely Records	491/37	5	23	468
8	62	59	Denny Strickland/Swerve On/SMG Records	438/28	8	32	406
9	61	60	Crab Apple Lane/Hit The Ground Runnin/Chevelle Records	417/25	2	8	409
14	63	61	Aaron Watson/That Look/HTK Records	372/23	0	1	371
4	64	62	DOWNDAY/Stuck On 17/Render	359/28	7	24	335
2	72	63	Parmalee/Already Callin' You Mine/Stoney Creek	311/25	57	113	198
14	65	64	Ricky Skaggs w/ Sharon White/Forever's Not Long Enough/Skaggs Family Records	306/17	9	25	281
3	66	65	Ricky Gunn/King Of This Town/New Canvas Entertainment	292/24	12	32	260
4	67	66	James Carothers/I Must Be Alive/	279/16	10	25	254
3	68	67	Big & Rich/Run Away With You/New Revolution	232/17	5 9	10	222
3	70	68	Kaitlyn Baker/Burn/Silvercreek Records	229/15	19	19 25	210
3	74 75	69 70	Cody Johnson/Cowboy Like Me/Cojo Music	217/10		35	182
2 3	75 73	70 71	Rachael Turner/Matches and Moonshine/Rustic Records Emily Haines/Baby It's You/Evolution	211/18 194/13	17 4	31 8	180 186
1	81	71		194/13	19	30	162
3	80	73	Presley & Taylor/Looking for a Cowboy/SMG-Nashville	192/23		21	171
1 1	82	73 74	Matt Farris/She's Done/Skytone Entertainment Johnny Orr Band/You Can't Hide Love/	192/15	12 20	31	157
3	78	7 4 75	Smith N Western/Fallen Angel/80 Proof Music Group Inc.	185/13	7	12	173
2	77	75 76	Kayla Calabrese/Whisper/SMG Nashville	181/18	3	5	173
3	79	76 77	Mitchell Tenpenny/Black Crow/Creation Lab Records	172/14	0	0	170
10	69	77 78	Colt Ford/Crank It Up/Average Joe's	169/11	-24	-53	222
1 10	168	76 79	Gary Allan/Hangover Tonight/MCA	156/13	680	136	20
15	83	80	Will Hoge/Middle Of America/Cumberland Recordings	150/15	9	12	138
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