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#### **NEWS**

#### **Overton To Exit Sony Music Nashville**

Sony Music Entertainment Inc. announced this week that Gary **Overton** will step down from his role as Chairman and CEO of Sony Music Nashville as of March 31, 2015. This is a result of a mutual agreement between Mr. Overton and SME. Overton arrived at Sony in 2010 after 15 years as Exec. VP /GM of EMI Music Publishing, BMI, and/or SESAC



**Gary Overton** 

a total of twelve times. Prior to joining EMI, Overton was manager for **Alan Jackson**, and served tenures as head of A&R for BNA Entertainment and VP of Warner/ Chappell Music. To read the full story, click **HERE**.

### CMT's Leslie Fram To Be Guest Speaker At 'Rising Women On The Row'

CMT Senior Vice President of Music Strategy and creator of the 'Next Women of Country' franchise, Leslie Fram, will be the special guest for MusicRow's 'Rising Women on the Row' breakfast at the Omni Nashville on March 24. The 2015 Rising Women honorees are Kele Currier (ASCAP), Tiffany Dunn (Loeb & Loeb), Dawn Gates (UMG Nashville), Jensen Sussman (Sweet Talk Publicity), and Lou **Taylor** (Tri Star Sports & Entertainment). To read more about the honorees click here.



#### **Reba To Launch Beauty Brand**

Reba already has a successful, longstanding clothing and home wares deal with Dillard's, and now the multifaceted music mogul is set to make inroads into the beauty business. The entertainer and her longtime makeup artist Brett Freedman will launch Reba Beauty on April 7. The line will be available at reba.com and Amazon. According to Freedman, first

product from the line is a lipcolor called Reba Deluxstick. Additional products are slated to roll out over the rest of the year. To Read the full story, click HERE.

## **SPINZONE**

Top Ten— Zac Brown Band's "Homegrown" needed only 10 weeks to reach No. 1, which is where they landed this week. Cole Swindell was only four spins behind it with "Ain't Worth The Whiskey," which is at No. 2. Easton Corbin sits another week at No. 3 with "Baby Be My Love Song." Keith Urban and **Eric Church** are quickly moving "Raise 'Em Up" to the top. The song is at No. 4 after only nine weeks. Eric Paslay remains at No. 5 with "She Don't Love You," followed by Billy Currington who also stays put another week with "Don't It" at No. 6. Sam Hunt is up one spot to No. 7 with "Take Your Time." Miranda Lambert's "Little Red Wagon" takes a ride to No. 8. A Thousand Horses gallops into the top 10 with "Smoke" landing at No. 9. Josh Turner stays at No. 10 this week with "Lay Low."

**Greatest Gainers**— **Florida Georgia Line** had the greatest spin gain again this week. "Sippin' On Fire" moved to No. 24 this week after 363 new plays. **Kenny Chesney** is building excitement for his tour and the latest single, "Wild Child." The song is up 349 spins this week. People love the collaboration between **Keith Urban** and **Eric Church**. "Raise 'Em Up" was played 343 additional times in Week 11. Zac Brown Band's "Homegrown" took the No. 1 spot after 341 new spins were recorded. Tim McGraw moved closer to the top 10 with "Diamond Rings And Old Barstools" up 338 spins and landing at No. 11.

**Debuts— Lady Antebellum** had the highest debut with "Long Stretch Of Love" at No. 57. Logan Mize had a big first week with "Can't Get Away From A Good Time" coming in at No. 67. Trisha Yearwood is at No. 70 with "I Remember You." John King's "On Your Lips" debuts at No. 74. Also breaking into the chart this week are Pat Waters' "Crazy That Way" at No. 79 and Jason Aldean's "Tonight Looks Good On You" at No. 80.



WDZQ/Decatur, Ill., recently hosted a fundraising event for The American Red Cross. Pictured at this event are WDZQ's Toby Tucker (R) and Joe Diffie (L).



#### **SINGLES CALENDAR**

#### March 23

Lady Antebellum/Long Stretch Of Love/Capitol Nashville
Jason Aldean/Tonight Looks Good On You/Broken Bow
Cam/My Mistake/Arista
RaeLynn/For A Boy/Valory Music Co.
Sarah Dunn Band/Bye Bye/Audacity Records
Claire Petrie/C'est La Vie, You Never Can Tell/Playback Records
Outshyne/Moonlight Crush/in2une

#### March 30

Chase Bryant/Little Bit Of You/Red Bow Records
Brothers Osborne/Stay A Little Longer/EMI Nashville
Jana Kramer/I Got The Boy/Warner Bros.
Casey James/Fall Apart/19-Columbia Nashville
Cash Creek/Even Angels Have Bad Days/Heartland Records
Rebel Hearts/Broke The Mold/Rebel Hearts Records

#### April 6

Blake Shelton/Sangria/Warner Bros.
SaraBeth/I'm Sick Of It/Quarterback Records
Bryan Mayer/This Is Me/Nine North

#### ALBUMS CALENDAR

#### March 24

Striking Matches/Nothing But The Silence/I.R.S.
Easton Corbin/It's About To Get Real/Mercury Nashville
Montgomery Gentry/TBD/Blaster Records
Canaan Smith/Canaan Smith [EP]/Mercury Records Nashville

#### March 31

**Darius Rucker**/Southern Style/Capitol **Various**/*NOW That's What I Call The ACM Awards 50 Years*/UMG-Sony Music Entertainment-ACM **Jon Wolfe**/*Natural Man*/Tone Tree Music

#### April 7

Kristian Bush/Southern Gravity/Streamsound Records Will Hoge/Small Town Dreams/Cumberland-Thirty Tigers

#### **April 14**

Reba McEntire/Love Somebody/Nash Icon Dwight Yoakam/Second Hand Heart/Reprise Amy Grant/Be Still And Know...Hymns & Faith/Sparrow Records-Capitol Christian Music Group SaraBeth/SaraBeth [EP]/Circle S Records

#### WEEKLY CHART DATA

#### New On The Chart —Debuting This Week

Artist/song/label—chart pos.

Lady Antebellum/Long Stretch Of Love/Capitol Nashville— 67
Trisha Yearwood/I Remember You/Gwendolyn-RCA Nashville— 70
John King/On Your Lips/Black River Entertainment— 74
Pat Waters/Crazy That Way/Big Valley— 79
Jason Aldean/Tonight Looks Good On You/Broken Bow— 80

#### **Greatest Spin Increase**

Artist/song/label—Spin Increase

Florida Georgia Line/Sippin On Fire/Republic Nashville— 363 Kenny Chesney/Wild Child/Blue Chair-Columbia— 349 Keith Urban w/ Eric Church/Raise 'Em Up/Capitol Nashville— 343 Zac Brown Band/Homegrown/Southern Ground— 341

Tim McGraw/Diamond Rings And Old Barstools/Big Machine—338

#### **Most Added**

Artist/song/label—No. of Adds

Miranda Lambert/Little Red Wagon/RCA Nashville— 45

Little Big Town/Girl Crush/Capitol Nashville— 25

**Jason Michael Carroll**/God Only Knows/For The Lonely Records—

Austin Webb/All Country On You/Streamsound— 16

DOWNDAY/Stuck On You/Render—11

Frankie Ballard/Young & Crazy/Warner Bros.— 11

Maddie & Tae/Fly/Dot Records—11

Sam Hunt/Take Your Time/MCA Nashville— 10

Josh Dorr/Save Your Breath/RCA Nashville— 10

Reba/Going Out Like That/Nash Icon-8

Rascal Flatts/Riot/Big Machine—8

Brantley Gilbert/One Hell Of An Amen/Valory—7

**Cole Swindell**/Ain't Worth The Whiskey/Warner Bros.— 6

**Haley & Michaels**/Just Another Love Song/New Revolution— 6 **James Otto**/Somewhere Tonight/Ottopilot Records— 6

#### On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

Artist/song/label—No. of Spins

**Diana Upton Hill**/Do Love Well/Third Floor Records— 177

Tate Stevens/Better At Night/RPM— 154

Chase Likens/Playing It Safe/HMG— 149

Crystal Yates/Goodbye Letter/Yates— 143

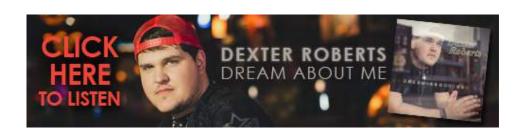
**Rodney Atkins**/Eat Sleep Love You Repeat/Curb— 140

Jerry Don/Down In Caroline/Jerry Don—134

Callie Twisselman/Breathe/Callie Twisselman Music—133

Frozen Playlist— KKAJ, KMKS, KZZY, KYYK, KYTN, KWEY

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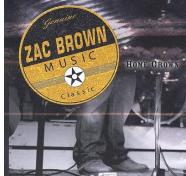
#### NO. 1 SONG

MusicRow Spotlight Paul Ciliberto, General Manager/ WDNB/Liberty, NY

It only took 10 weeks for **Zac** Brown Band to make it to the top. "Homegrown" is the lead single from the soon-tobe released Jekyll + Hyde album and is the No. 1 song on the MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart this week.

Georgia boys Zac Brown, Wyatt Durrette, and Niko **Moon** wrote the title, which

took the band to No. 1 for the first time since 2012.



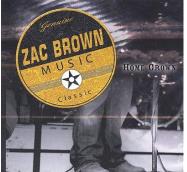
The forthcoming 16-track project will release April 28 on Southern Ground/John Varvatos Records/Big Machine Label Group/Republic Records. It was announced in September of 2014 that Brown's Southern Ground Artists was entering a partnership with the three label groups for releases by the band and other acts signed to his label.

For this album, Brown called upon Jay Joyce to help produce the project after previously using **Keith Stegall** for his first three.

The lyric video for the song can be viewed by clicking <u>here.</u>

In support of the new music, the band will launch its North American tour at Nashville's Bridgestone Arena on May 1.

Click here to view a full list of MusicRow's Challenge Coin recipients.



How long have you been at the station?

10 years

How many "hats" do you wear every day?

Morning Show Co-Host, General Manager. So...Pretty much all of them.

#### What is your philosophy on adding new music? If it's a song that sounds

good and enhances the sound of the station allowing us to provide a good product for

our listeners, we consider adding it.



WDNB's Paul Ciliberto (L) and Michelle Semerano (R)

#### Why is it important to report to MusicRow?

It gives us the opportunity to present new music and new artists to our listeners. We're constantly amazed by the talent that we have the pleasure of experiencing and we have made some great friends over the years.

#### Tell us something great about your station and/or city.

Liberty, N.Y. and is about an hour and a half from New York City. We strive to provide our listeners with a "Big Market" sound and "Small Market" accessibility. I'm very proud that I was the MusicRow 2013 Country Breakout Reporter of the Year. For years during CRS, our morning show co-host and Program Director Michelle Semerano and I have hosted "Thunder Country Night" on the Billy Block Show featuring many new independent artists.

## 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 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 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 WYGB Franklin 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 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 KRGI Grand Island, NE WKPO 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 WQPC, Prairie du Chien WI WDGG Huntington WV WKKW Morgantown WV WTNJ Mount Hope WV WKWS Charleston WV WTCR Huntington WV



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10	4	1	Zac Brown Band/Homegrown/Southern Ground	3333/95	11	341	2992				
20	2	2	Cole Swindell/Ain't Worth The Whiskey/Warner Bros.	3329/93	6	190	3139				
26	3	3	Easton Corbin/Baby Be My Love Song/Mercury	3255/102	7	226	3029				
9	7	4	Keith Urban w/ Eric Church/Raise Em Up/Capitol Nashville	3197/103	12	343	2854				
21	5	5	Eric Paslay/She Don't Love You/EMI Nashville	3129/102	8	235	2894				
19	6	6	Billy Currington/Don't It/Mercury Nashville	3114/102	9	253	2861				
14	8	7	Sam Hunt/Take Your Time/MCA	3032/93	8	219	2813				
11	9	8	Miranda Lambert/Little Red Wagon/RCA Nashville	2922/101	6	169	2753				
9	11	9	A Thousand Horses/Smoke/Republic Nashville	2759/101	12	292	2467				
25	10	10	Josh Turner/Lay Low/MCA	2726/97	6	153	2573				
9	12	11	Tim McGraw/Diamond Rings And Old Barstools/Big Machine	2622/100	15	338	2284				
8	13	12	Kenny Chesney/Wild Child/Blue Chair-Columbia	2517/99	16	349	2168				
22	15	13	Kelsea Ballerini/Love Me Like You Mean It/Black River	2338/90	9	198	2140				
34	16	14	Canaan Smith/Love You Like That/Mercury Nashville	2209/90	9	185	2024				
9	19	15	Brad Paisley/Crushin' It/Arista	2182/95	14	265	1917				
13	17	16	Little Big Town/Girl Crush/Capitol Nashville	2135/91	6	119	2016				
7	21	17	Carrie Underwood/Little Toy Guns/Arista	2101/98	15	277	1824				
17	20	18	Brantley Gilbert/One Hell Of An Amen/Valory	2030/92	10	178	1852				
18	18	19	The Swon Brothers/Pray For You/Arista Nashville	1997/89	4	75	1922				
31	1	20	Tyler Farr/A Guy Walks Into A Bar/Columbia Nashville	1948/58	-44	-1553	3501				
14	22	21	Rascal Flatts/Riot/Big Machine	1803/85	8	131	1672				
10	25	22	Mickey Guyton/Better Than You Left Me/Capitol Nashville	1693/90	10	154	1539				
15	23	23	Rachel Holder/I Think Of You/Curb	1678/70	5	77	1601				
5	29	24	Florida Georgia Line/Sippin' on Fire/Republic Nashville	1638/85	28	363	1275				
24	24	25	Branch & Dean/Green Light/SSM	1585/60	0	3	1582				
14	26	26	Chris Weaver Band/Time Has Wings/American Roots Records	1509/70	4	53	1456				
14	27	27	Lonestar/Pretty Good Day/4Star Records	1459/63	4	60	1399				
17	30	28	Chase Rice/Gonna Wanna Tonight/Columbia Nashville	1435/75	13	169	1266				
10	28	29	Reba/Going Out Like That/Nash Icon	1396/76	4	53	1343				
7	31	30	Kip Moore/I'm To Blame/MCA Nashville	1371/82	10	125	1246				
5	36	31	Eric Church/Like A Wrecking Ball/EMI	1240/84	21	218	1022				
10	33	32	Maddie & Tae/Fly/Dot Records	1216/82	12	134	1082				
10	32	33	Craig Wayne Boyd/My Baby's Got A Smile On Her Face/Dot Records	1157/61	1	10	1147				
14	35	34	Haley & Michaels/Just Another Love Song/New Revolution Entertainment	1129/61	10	104	1025				
21	34	35	Mike Ryan/Dancing All Around it/Rock & Soul Records	1081/46	2	26	1055				
11	37	36	Austin Webb/All Country On You/Streamsound	1065/63	7	71	994				

## **CONGRATULATIONS**

to the SSM Nashville CRS TV giveaway winners!



Craig All
WHWY Fort Walton Beach



Branch & Dean TV Winner







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10	41	37	Frankie Ballard/Young And Crazy/Warner Bros.	1061/66	17	154	907
11	42	38	Josh Dorr/Save Your Breath/RCA Nashville	993/59	11	98	895
13	38	39	Steven Lee Olsen/Raised By A Good Time/Columbia Nashville	985/57	5	49	936
13	39	40	Dallas Smith/Wastin' Gas/Big Loud Mountain	972/54	5	49	923
19	40	41	Brian Collins/Never Really Left/Blue Light Entertainment	969/55	6	58	911
15	43	42	John Spicer/Pretty Good At Loving You/Legend Group Records	923/47	3	31	892
9	44	43	Bobby Wills/Never Didn't Love You/Willing Nashville	905/55	9	75	830
11	47	44	James Otto/Somewhere Tonight/Ottopilot Records	799/44	14	100	699
4	51	45	Gary Allan/Hangover Tonight/MCA	795/62	41	230	565
16	46	46	Gloriana/Trouble/Warner Bros.	698/37	-1	-7	705
13	48	47	Granger Smith/Bury Me In Blue Jeans/Pioneer Music	696/42	9	56	640
3	57	48	Eli Young Band/Turn It On/Republic Nashville	633/54	56	226	407
11	49	49	Jason Michael Carroll/God Only Knows/For The Lonely Records	627/40	6	33	594
2	61	50	Kacey Musgraves/Biscuits/Mercury Nashville	603/48	90	285	318
14	52	51	Jo Dee Messina/He's Messed Up/Dreambound Records LLC	562/27	1	5	557
11	53	52	Denny Strickland/Swerve On/Red Star Productions	557/31	2	13	544
5	58	53	Parmalee/Already Callin' You Mine/Stoney Creek	487/36	22	89	398
12	55	54	Crab Apple Lane/Hit The Ground Runnin/Chevelle Records	459/25	3	15	444
17	56	55	Aaron Watson/That Look/HTK Records	451/29	5	23	428
3	66	56	Michael Ray/Kiss You In The Morning/Warner Bros.	445/33	70	183	262
1	86	57	Lady Antebellum/Long Stretch Of Love/Capitol	409/34	171	258	151
4	60	58	Presley & Taylor/Looking for a Cowboy/SMG-Nashville	397/33	21	70	327
6	59	59	Ricky Gunn/King Of This Town/New Canvas Entertainment	366/29	8	26	340
5	63	60	Rachael Turner/Matches and Moonshine/Rustic Records	342/26	19	54	288
4	62	61	Johnny Orr Band/You Can't Hide Love/	342/30	12	36	306
3	71	62	Mo Pitney/Country/Curb Records	333/26	51	112	221
6	65	63	Kaitlyn Baker/Burn/Silvercreek Records	313/20	13	35	278
2	78	64	Eric Lee Beddingfield/I Just Wanna Play/Rebel Dawg Records	293/25	64	114	179
6	67	65	Big & Rich/Run Away With You/New Revolution	285/21	14	34	251
3	68	66	Bryson Jennings/Young Nights/Cocky Marlin	277/26	14	34	243
1	82	67	Logan Mize/Can't Get Away From A Good Time/Arista Nashville	274/25	65	108	166
6	69	68	Matt Farris/She's Done/Skytone Entertainment	255/19	6	14	241
6	70	69	Mitchell Tenpenny/Black Crow/Creation Lab Records	248/18	8	18	230
1	81	70	Trisha Yearwood/I Remember You/Gwendolyn / RCA Nashville	244/21	43	73	171
2	75	71	Kenny Davin Fine/Friendship/Higher Ground Records	237/11	16	32	205
5	72 73	72 72	Kayla Calabrese/Whisper/SMG Nashville	232/18	10	22	210
3	73	73	Amber Hayes/Running Out Of Memories/GMV Nashville	231/17	11	22	209
1 1	88	74	John King/On Your Lips/Black River Entertainment	222/21	63	86	136
11	50	75 74	Dylan Scott/Lay It On Me/Sidewalk Records	218/14	-62	-357	575
3	77	76	James Robert Webb/Daddy Made A Million/Bison Creek Records	213/17	10	20	193
6	76	77	Smith N Western/Fallen Angel/80 Proof Music Group Inc.	197/13	0	0	197
6	74	78 70	Emily Haines/Baby It's You/Evolution	192/12	-7	-14	206
1 1	84	79	Pat Waters/Crazy That Way/Big Valley	183/15	14	23	160
1	0	80	Jason Aldean/Tonight Looks Good On You/Broken Bow	183/15	0	183	0







