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**Gorley Receives No. 1 Challenge Coins** 

Hit songwriter Ashley Gorley was recently presented three No. 1 Challenge Coins for his work on three songs that went to the top of the MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart. Gorley co-wrote **Luke Bryan's** "I See You" which went No. 1 on January 8, Jason Aldean's "Just Gettin' Started" which hit the top March 5, and Billy Currington's "Don't It" which was No. 1 on April 9. All artists and

songwriters that reach the No. 1 milestone receive the *MusicRow* Challenge Coin. To see the full list of recipients, click HERE.

Big Machine To Release 'Nashville' Season 3, Volume 2 Soundtrack

Big Machine Records will release The Music Of Nashville: Original Soundtrack Season 3, Volume 2 just before the Season 3 finale of the hit ABC TV series on May 12. The album will be released to digital retailers and Target and will feature 18 tracks sung by cast members throughout Season 3 with two tracks exclusively available at Target.



To see the full story with track listing click HERE.

Top Ten— "Smoke" from A Thousand Horses is the No. 1 song in Week 17. Eric Paslay moves one spot closer to the top with "She Don't Love You" landing at No. 2. Tim McGraw's "Diamond Rings And Old Barstools" is also up one to No. 3 followed by Carrie Underwood's "Little Toy Guns" at No. 4. **Brad Paisley** is still working his way up with "Crushin' It" at No. 5. **Florida Georgia Line** leaps three spots to No. 6 with "Sippin On Fire." Kelsea Ballerini continues her momentum with "Love Me Like You Mean It" moving up one spot to No. 7. Little Big Town's "Girl Crush" loses one spot and is at No. 8. Last week's No. 1 song, "Wild Child" by Kenny Chesney, drops to No. 9. Brantley Gilbert breaks the Top 10 with "One

**Greatest Gainers**— In their first week being reported, **Zac** Brown Bands' "Loving You Easy" had 549 spins. Blake Shelton's "Sangria" was up 424 and Brett Eldredge's "Lose My Mind" was up 253 spins. Erica Nicole had a big first week with her new single "I'm Making Mine" gaining 222 spins in its first week. Thomas Rhett saw 208 new spins for "Crash And Burn," moving it up 9 spots to No. 39.

Hell Of An Amen" at No. 10.

Debuts— Zac Brown Band had the highest debut with "Loving You Easy" landing at No. 51 in its first week. Brett **Eldredge** broke into the chart at No. 68 with "Lose My Mind." Also new to the chart this week are Dan + Shay's "Nothin' Like You" at No. 76, Livewire's "Quit You" at No. 77, and Blackberry Smoke's "Living In The Song" at No. 80.



Creation Lab Records' Mitchell Tenpenny stops by KSNI/Santa Maria, CA and played some songs from his debut CD Black Crow. (L-R): KSNI's Dave Daniels, Tenpenny and promoter Greg Stevens



# **SINGLES CALENDAR**

#### May 4

Brett Eldredge/Lose My Mind/Warner Bros.
Darius Rucker/Southern Style/Capitol Nashville
Zac Brown Band/Loving You Easy/Southern Ground-Varvatos-BMLG

Corey Farlow/Country Never Stops/HMG
Josh Goodlett/Why You Gotta Be That Way/Good Entertainment
Cody Wayne/Makin' Love In The Moonlight/Edgehill Music
Adrian Duffy & The Mayo Bros/Having It All/SR Records
Dannie Marie/Anything I Wanna Be/Highway 8

# **May 11**

Jackie Lee/Headphones/Broken Bow John Anderson/I Work A Lot Better/Bayou Boys Music

#### **May 18**

Randy Houser/We Went/Stoney Creek
Rick Monroe/Great Minds Drink Alike/MRG Recordings
Ashley Clark/Greyhound/I.R.S. Nashville-Star Farm Nashville
Love & Theft/Whiskey On My Breath/Thirty Tigers
Blaise Streets/Bring On The Sunshine/Edgehill Music

#### June 8

Olivia Lane/You Part 2/Big Spark Music Group

# ALBUMS CALENDAR

### May 4

**Granger Smith**/4X4 [EP]/Thirty Tigers

#### May 5

**Chris Stapleton**/*Traveller*/Mercury Records Nashville **Shelby Lynne**/*I Can't Imagine*/Rounder

# May 8

Sara Watkins, Sarah Jarosz, Aoife O'Donovan/Crossing Muddy Waters, Be My Husband [vinyl release]/Sugar Hill Records-Yep Roc Records

#### **May 12**

Various/The Music Of Nashville: Original Soundtrack Season 3, Volume 2/Big Machine Records

# **WEEKLY CHART DATA**

# New On The Chart —Debuting This Week

Artist/song/label—chart pos.

**Zac Brown Band**/Loving You Easy/Varvatos-BMLG-Southern Ground — 51

Brett Eldredge/Lose My Mind/Warner Bros. — 68

**Dan + Shay**/Nothin' Like You/Warner Bros. — 76

Livewire/Quit You/Way Out West— 77

Blackberry Smoke/Living In The Song/Rounder Records—80

#### **Greatest Spin Increase**

Artist/song/label—Spin Increase

**Zac Brown Band**/Loving You Easy/Varvatos-BMLG-Southern Ground — 549

Blake Shelton/Sangria/Warner Bros.— 424

Brett Eldredge/Lose My Mind/Warner Bros. — 253

Erica Nicole/I'm Making Mine/GTR— 222

Thomas Rhett/Crash And Burn/Valory—208

#### **Most Added**

Artist/song/label—No. of Adds

**Zac Brown Band**/Loving You Easy/Varvatos-BMLG-Southern Ground — 37

Erica Nicole/I'm Making Mine/GTR— 23

Brett Eldredge/Lose My Mind/Warner Bros. — 20

Brothers Osborne/Stay A Little Longer/EMI Nashville— 10

**Thomas Rhett/**Crash And Burn/Valory— 9

**Darius Rucker**/Southern Style/Capitol Nashville—9

Chris Stapleton/Traveller/Mercury Nashville— 8

# On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

Artist/song/label—No. of Spins

Erica Nicole/I'm Making Mine/GTR—222

Darius Rucker/Southern Style/Capitol Nashville— 130

SaraBeth/I'm Sick Of It/Circle S Records—213

George Ducas/LoveStruck/Loud Ranch— 211

Jon Wolfe/Smile On Mine/Tone Tree Music— 204

Frozen Playlist— KVAY

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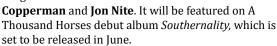


# NO. 1 SONG

A Thousand Horses

A Thousand Horses released their debut song "Smoke" to radio and like a stampede, stations started playing it. And after only 15 weeks on the chart, the song takes the No. 1 position on *MusicRow's* CountryBreakout Chart.

The hit was written by the band's **Michael Hobby** along with super songwriters **Ross** 



The Republic Nashville band will perform "Smoke" on the *Today* show on May 11 and then on *Fox & Friends* on May 13. From there, they will join **Darius Rucker's** *Southern Style* tour with **Brett Eldredge** and **Brother Osborne**.

The steamy music video has over 3 million views and can be viewed here.



John Anthony/PD/WPHR/Vero Beach, FL

How long have you been at the station? 16 months

How many "hats" do you wear each day? PD for (WPHR) Hot Country and 937 The Breeze

What is your philosophy on adding new music? I have an in-market format competitor, so I take adding songs very seriously. Looking for songs that will connect with the audience and that fit the feel of the station.

Why is it important to report to *MusicRow?* I like being part of

the process. We need the music industry and the music industry needs us.

Tell us something great about your city and/or station. (Feel free to brag!) Vero Beach is Jake Owens' home.

Name some new artists that really get you excited! Mo Pitney, Sam Hunt, Brothers Osborne

Click <u>here</u> 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 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 WDZO 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 WKPE Hyannis, MA 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

KQBA Santa Fe, NM KRVN Lexington, NE KRGI Grand Island, NE WKPO Hornell NY 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 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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Weeks On Chart	Last Wk Position	This Wk Position	Artist/Song/Label	Spins/ Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +-	Last Wk # Spins				
15	2	1	A Thousand Horses/Smoke/Republic Nashville	3791/104	2	72	3719				
27	3	2	Eric Paslay/She Don't Love You/EMI Nashville	3526/103	2	64	3462				
15	4	3	Tim McGraw/Diamond Rings And Old Barstools/Big Machine	3451/103	2	68	3383				
13	5	4	Carrie Underwood/Little Toy Guns/Arista	3321/104	5	163	3158				
15	6	5	Brad Paisley/Crushin' It/Arista	3167/103	3	79	3088				
11	9	6	Florida Georgia Line/Sippin' on Fire/Republic Nashville	3124/99	6	171	2953				
28	8	7	Kelsea Ballerini/Love Me Like You Mean It/Black River	3055/96	3	94	2961				
19	7	8	Little Big Town/Girl Crush/Capitol Nashville	3025/101	2	60	2965				
14	1	9	Kenny Chesney/Wild Child/Blue Chair-Columbia	2998/79	-19	-725	3723				
23	11	10	Brantley Gilbert/One Hell Of An Amen/Valory	2709/102	8	206	2503				
35	10	11	Canaan Smith/Love You Like That/Mercury Nashville	2705/89	2	47	2658				
11	12	12	Eric Church/Like A Wrecking Ball/EMI	2428/102	8	180	2248				
20	13	13	Rascal Flatts/Riot/Big Machine	2269/91	3	67	2202				
5	20	14	Blake Shelton/Sangria/Warner Bros.	2215/92	24	424	1791				
16	14	15	Mickey Guyton/Better Than You Left Me/Capitol Nashville	2195/96	5	112	2083				
7	17	16	Jason Aldean/Tonight Looks Good On You/Broken Bow	2123/94	8	157	1966				
21	16	17	Rachel Holder/I Think Of You/Curb	2060/75	3	59	2001				
23	15	18	Chase Rice/Gonna Wanna Tonight/Columbia Nashville	2059/90	2	31	2028				
13	18	19	Kip Moore/I'm To Blame/MCA Nashville	2053/94	6	110	1943				
16	19	20	Frankie Ballard/Young And Crazy/Warner Bros.	1947/80	5	87	1860				
20	21	21	Chris Weaver Band/Time Has Wings/American Roots Records	1853/72	5	82	1771				
16	22	22	Maddie & Tae/Fly/Dot Records	1803/93	2	30	1773				
16	23	23	Reba/Going Out Like That/Nash Icon	1765/79	0	0	1765				
7	25	24	Lady Antebellum/Long Stretch Of Love/Capitol	1694/92	8	132	1562				
9	26	25	Michael Ray/Kiss You In The Morning/Warner Bros.	1549/80	9	128	1421				
9	28	26	Eli Young Band/Turn It On/Republic Nashville	1504/87	8	111	1393				
8	27	27	Kacey Musgraves/Biscuits/Mercury Nashville	1465/84	4	59	1406				
20	31	28	Haley & Michaels/Just Another Love Song/New Revolution Entertainment	1396/62	4	57	1339				
17	30	29	Austin Webb/All Country On You/Streamsound	1366/71	1 1	12	1354				
10	32	30	Gary Allan/Hangover Tonight/MCA	1356/74	4	51	1305				
19	33	31	Steven Lee Olsen/Raised By A Good Time/Columbia Nashville	1260/56	0	6	1254				
15	34	32	Bobby Wills/Never Didn't Love You/Willing Nashville	1195/64	1	15	1180				
19	36	33	Dallas Smith/Wastin' Gas/Big Loud Mountain	1137/56	-1	-13	1150				
6	39	34	Luke Bryan/Games/Capitol Nashville	1095/59	17	159	936				
17	37	35	James Otto/Somewhere Tonight/Ottopilot Records	1058/59	1 1	7	1051				
6	38	36	Cam/My Mistake/Arista Nashville	1048/74	9	88	960				



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Weeks On Chart	Last Wk Position	This Wk Position	Artist/Song/Label	Spins/ Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +-	Last Wk # Spins
17	41	37	Denny Strickland/Swerve On/Red Star Productions	974/45	15	124	850
17	40	38	Jason Michael Carroll/God Only Knows/For The Lonely Records	966/54	7	60	906
3	48	39	Thomas Rhett/Crash and Burn/Valory	950/61	28	208	742
5	47	40	Brothers Osborne/Stay A Little Longer/EMI Nashville	922/67	23	172	750
7	42	41	Logan Mize/Can't Get Away From A Good Time/Arista Nashville	906/65	11	90	816
9	43	42	Mo Pitney/Country/Curb Records	901/65	11	90	811
4	49	43	Toby Keith/35 Mph Town/Showdog	867/60	19	137	730
8	44	44	Eric Lee Beddingfield/I Just Wanna Play/Rebel Dawg Records	832/51	6	44	788
22	45	45	Gloriana/Trouble/Warner Bros.	831/44	9	69	762
3	51	46	George Strait/Let It Go/MCA	816/56	27	171	645
10	50	47	Presley & Taylor/Looking for a Cowboy/SMG-Nashville	809/42	17	115	694
11	46	48	Parmalee/Already Callin' You Mine/Stoney Creek	774/51	2	17	757
7	52	49	John King/On Your Lips/Black River Entertainment	631/42	7	43	588
11	53	50	Rachael Turner/Matches and Moonshine/Rustic Records	601/32	10	54	547
1	0	51	Zac Brown Band/Loving You Easy/Varvatos/BMLG/Southern Ground	549/37	0	549	0
10	55	52	Johnny Orr Band/You Can't Hide Love/	542/38	5	27	515
9	56	53	Bryson Jennings/Young Nights/Cocky Marlin	511/38	3	13	498
4	58	54	Casey James/Fall Apart/Columbia Nashville	429/37	6	23	406
12	59	55	Big & Rich/Run Away With You/New Revolution	424/30	8	31	393
12	57	56	Kaitlyn Baker/Burn/Silvercreek Records	422/25	2	9	413
12	60	57	Matt Farris/She's Done/Skytone Entertainment	413/26	13	47 25	366
11	65	58	Kayla Calabrese/Whisper/SMG Nashville	394/25	10	35	359
9	62	59	Amber Hayes/Running Out Of Memories/GMV Nashville	390/22	8	28	362
5	64	60	Callie Twisselman/Breathe/Callie Twisselman Music	389/28 380/28	8	29 20	360 360
6	63	61	Diana Upton Hill/Do Love Well/Third Floor Records	370/26	6		359
7	66 72	62 63	Trisha Yearwood/I Remember You/Gwendolyn / RCA Nashville	351/28	3 33	11 87	264
1	72 78	63 64	Drake White/It Feels Good/Dot Records	345/22	52		204
2 9	68	65	Cole Swindell/Let Me See Ya Girl/Warner Bros.  James Robert Webb/Daddy Made A Million/Bison Creek Records	336/21	5	118 15	321
5	67	66		335/21	1	4	331
12	69	67	Montgomery Gentry/Folks Like Us/Blaster Mitchell Tenpenny/Black Crow/Creation Lab Records	326/22	3	10	316
1 1	138	68	Brett Eldredge/Lose My Mind/Warner Bros.	296/25	588	253	43
5	71	69	Chase Likens/Playing It Safe/HMG	287/21	3	8	279
7	70	70	Pat Waters/Crazy That Way/Big Valley	285/18	2	6	279
5	76 74	70 71	Macy Martin/Back To Reality/Go Time Records	268/18	7	17	251
2	79	72	Homegrown Band/I'm Gonna Be Me/	265/18	18	40	225
2	77	73	Thompson Square/Trans Am/Stoney Creek Records	263/18	14	32	231
6	76	73 74	Waterloo Revival/Hit The Road/Big Machine	258/17	8	20	238
3	75	75	Mitch Goudy/My Girl's Hand/Third Floor Records	257/22	5	13	244
1 1	84	76	Dan + Shay/Nothin' Like You/Warner Bros.	242/17	17	36	206
Ιi	82	77	Livewire/Quit You/Way Out West	238/15	13	28	210
4	83	78	RaeLynn/For A Boy/Valory Music Co.	229/21	10	20	209
2	80	79	Chase Bryant/Little Bit Of You/Red Bow	228/21	3	7	221
1 1	81	80	Blackberry Smoke/Living In The Song/Rounder Records	227/17	7	14	213







