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## **NEWS**

Jason Aldean Producer Michael Knox To Launch Radio Show



Producer **Michael Knox** will debut a new radio show, KNOX Country 360, on Friday, June 29. Based in Nashville, the new show is managed by Michael Knox along with **Donny Walker** (former executive at Westwood One, Cumulus Media, BDS, *Billboard* Magazine), and **Shalacy Griffin**, currently the Senior Vice President of Operations for Music Knox, LLC. Click here for the full article.

#### **Cumulus Media Completes Financial Restructuring**



Cumulus Media Inc. has completed its financial restructuring and emerged from Chapter 11 having reduced its debt by more than \$1 billion. The company plans to utilize its enhanced financial flexibility to continue its ongoing business transformation and drive value creation on behalf of all its stakeholders. Click <u>here</u> to read the full article.

#### Lisa Smoot Goes Viral

Traffic woes have nothing on Jerry Duncan Promotions Vice President, **Lisa Smoot**. She may be known in the Nashville music industry for her highly respected work in radio promotions, but now the world knows her for some very contagious dance moves recently displayed in the middle of highway I-65. Click here for the video. #whatsnext



## **CHART ACTION**

New On The Chart — Debuting This Week

song/artist/label—Chart Position Simple/Florida Georgia Line/BMLG — 41 Hotdamalama/Parmalee/Stoney Creek Records/BBR Music Group/BMG — 75 Friends Don't/Maddie & Tae/Mercury — 77 What I Gotta Do/Tommy Steele Band/Triple Creek Records — 78 Jack Of All Trades/Amy Jack/Amy Jack Music — 79 Here We Are/Wild Blue Country/The United States Air Force Academy Band — 80

#### **Greatest Spin Increase**

song/artist/label—Spin Increase Simple/Florida Georgia Line/BMLG — 627 Sunrise, Sunburn, Sunset/Luke Bryan/Capitol Nashville — 387 Downtown's Dead/Sam Hunt/MCA — 322 Drowns The Whiskey/Jason Aldean ft. Miranda Lambert/Broken Bow — 246 Tequila/Dan + Shay/Warner Bros. — 195 Life Changes/Thomas Rhett/Valory — 188 Babe/Sugarland ft. Taylor Swift/Big Machine — 135 Born To Love You/LANCO/Arista Nashville — 126

#### Most Added

song/artist/label—No. of Adds Simple/Florida Georgia Line/BMLG — 46 Sunrise, Sunburn, Sunset/Luke Bryan/Capitol — 14 Downtown's Dead/Sam Hunt/MCA — 10 Summer Fever/Little Big Town/Capitol — 8 Millionaire/Chris Stapleton/Mercury Nashville — 7 Drowns The Whiskey/Jason Aldean feat. Miranda Lambert/Broken Bow — 6 I Probably Won't/Bucky Covington/Barefootin' Records — 6

#### **On Deck—Soon To Be Charting**

song/artist/label—No. of Spins E/Matt Mason — 171 Coastin'/Alexandra Demetree/SSM Nashville — 163 American Things/Ryan Sims/High 4 Recordings — 149 Never Turned Around/Dallas Remington/Road Warrior Records — 140 Maybe/Sam Austin/Plateau Music — 136





Pictured: Southern Halo's Natalia, Christina and Hannah Morris with WMEV/Marion, VA's Lynn Rutledge.



Pictured (L-R): NashFM's Jesse Addy, Cale Dodds, NashFM's Kylie April, WMN's Mallory Opheim, and NashFM's Mike Allan at the NashFM studio in New York City.



Pictured (L-R): WTNJ/Mount Hope, WV's Cindy Taylor and Charles Parker.



Runaway June won \$8000 for the Children's Miracle Network at KNCI/Sacramento's "Golf and Guitars" event. Pictured (back, L-R): Wheelhouse Dir./West Coast Promotion Lexi Willson, KNCI's Tom Mailey, Runaway June's Jennifer Wayne and Hannah Mulholland, KNCI's Cody, KNCI MD Sonia Jimenez, KNCI PD Chad Rufer; (front): Runaway June's Naomi Cooke.



Pictured (L-R): Dallas Remington with KZPK/St. Cloud, MN's Kelly Jordan and Brook Stephens.



Pictured (L-R): Gwen Foster (BIG Label Records), Andy Winford (KATM/Modesto, CA PD), Aaron Watson, Craig Campbell and Kendra Whitehead (Red Bow Records).



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## **ARTIST SPOTLIGHT**

**Current Single** Anything Is Possible

**Songwriters** Catt Gravitt and Carl Falk

Bio:

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Since their country radio debut, "Little White Dress," caught the attention of U.S. radio and press, this sibling trio from Cleveland, Mississippi has released the followup singles "Rewind" and "Living Like That."

Their broad appeal and current chart-rising single, "Anything Is Possible," will prove their staying power. Their previous CD, *Southern Halo*, bolstered the trio's profile and launched them light years forward from a National Finals finish in the 2014 Texaco Country Showdown, and now, Natalia (principal songwriter, guitarist, lead vocalist), Christina (drums) and Hannah (bass) are hustling like big leaguers. They've traveled over 18,000 miles and visited over 50 radio stations to promote their latest CD, the concept-driven *Just Like In The Movies*– in between video shoots, songwriting sessions, live performances, rehearsals and media days.

It's been a fast ride to the big stage for these Delta darlings. They've opened for Maren Morris, Old Dominion, Brantley Gilbert, Phil Vassar, Deana Carter, Love and Theft, Eric Paslay, Tyler Farr, Parmalee, American Young, B.B. King and Dionne Warwick. Southern Halo has performed at a pre-show on the rooftop terrace of the Grammy Museum in Los Angeles, launched Townsquare Media's Say It With Pepsi Concert Series, completed two U.K. tours and entertained crowds at CMA Fest 2016. They are thrilled to be performing at CMA Fest again this year.

When they are not on the road, the sisters now call Nashville home.

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### CALENDAR

#### Thursday, June 7, 2018

#### Singles

#### June 11

Little Big Town/Summer Fever/Capitol Carlton Anderson/Drop Everything/Arista Nashville Tony Jackson/Ain't No App For That/DDS Entertainment Mags/Strong Enough/Emerald Fields Productions Ned Ledoux/Brother Highway/Powder River Jaxon/I Need You/A-Sides

#### June 18

Brett Eldredge/Love Someone/Atlantic/WMN Shenandoah/That's Where I Grew Up/BMG Everette/Slow Roll/Broken Bow Records Brandon Lay/Yada Yada Yada/EMI Nashville Dylan Schneider/How Does It Sound/Dylan Schneider/Placer Kaylee Starr/Idiot/Heartland Records Nashville/Ohana Music Group Blair Mathews/Summer Heartbeat/StoneyHill Records Nashville Rebel Hearts/Hero's/Rebel Hearts Records

#### June 25

Kane Brown/Lose It/RCA Nashville Blackjack Billy/Straight Line Sober/1608 Casey Donahew/That Got The Girl/Almost Country Entertainment Regan Ziegler/Take Me Back (Where I Belong)

#### Albums

#### June 8

Dierks Bentley/The Mountain/Capitol Sugarland/Bigger/UMG-BMLG Craig Campbell/See You Try/Red Bow Records The Sisterhood Band/Summer Setlist/Sony Music Nashville Sylvia/Second Bloom: The Hits Re-Imagined/Red Pony Records

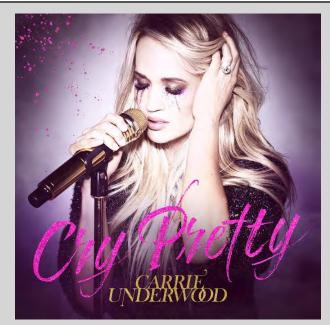
#### June 15

Gene Clark/Sings For You/Omnivore

#### June 22

Dan+Shay/Dan+Shay/Warner Bros.-Warner Music Adam Wright/Dust Ben Rector/Magic/OK Kid Recordings-AWAL Recordings

## NO. 1 SONG



"Cry Pretty" by **Carrie Underwood** claims the top spot on this week's *MusicRow* CountryBreakout Chart. This single is the title track off Underwood's first album released under Capitol Records Nashville. Listen to an album preview <u>here</u>.

Underwood co-wrote "Cry Pretty" with **Hillary Lindsey**, **Liz Rose**, and **Lori McKenna**. "Cry Pretty" is nominated for Song of the Year for the *MusicRow* Awards.

Underwood won the CMT award for <u>Female Video of the Year</u> for "The Champion." Click <u>here</u> to watch the video.



Each songwriter and artist earning No. 1 credit on the *MusicRow* Chart receives a *MusicRow* Challenge Coin. Click <u>here</u> to view a full list of recipients.

## MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart Reporting Stations

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**KQUS Hot Springs AR** KRAZ Santa Maria CA **KRGI Grand Island NE** KRKT Albany OR KRRV Alexandria LA **KRVN** Lexington NE KSMA Mason City IA KTHK Idaho Falls ID **KVAY Lamar CO KWCK Searcy AR KWEY Weatherford OK** KWHW Altus OK KWOX Woodward OK KWWR Mexico MO KXIA Marshalltown IA KXOX Sweetwater TX **KYEZ Salina KS KYSM Mankato MN** 

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WEIO Huntingdon TN WFGE State College PA WFGS Murray KY WFRY Watertown NY WGGC Bowling Green KY WGLR Platteville WI WHMA Anniston AL WIFE Connersville IN WJVL Janesville WI WKDZ Cadiz KY WKKW Morgantown WV WKPE Hyannis MA WLLX Lawrenceburg TN WMCI Mattoon IL WMEV Marion VA WOLF Syracuse NY WOOZ Carterville IL WPCK Green Bay WI

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## COUNTRY**BREAKOUT** CHART

#### Thursday, June 7, 2018

Weeks On Chart	Last Week	This Week	Song / Artist / Label	Spins / Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +/-
9	2	1	Cry Pretty / Carrie Underwood / Capitol	2608/86	4	100
20	4	2	Tequila / Dan + Shay / Warner Bros.	2558/73	8	195
36	3	3	Heart Break / Lady Antebellum / Capitol	2477/76	2	55
9	1	4	Get Along / Kenny Chesney / Blue Chair Records/Columbia Nashville	2399/68	-17	-486
32	5	5	Take Back Home Girl / Chris Lane feat. Tori Kelly / Big Loud Records	2387/75	4	89
17	6	6	Mercy / Brett Young / BMLG	2358/82	5	112
38	7	7	Kinda Don't Care / Justin Moore / Valory	2220/78	0	-4
21	8	8	Shoot Me Straight / Brothers Osborne / EMI Records Nashville	2062/78	-1	-13
9	10	9	Life Changes / Thomas Rhett / Valory	2060/81	10	188
38	11	10	Hooked / Dylan Scott / Curb	1843/69	0	-5
18	12	11	Kiss Somebody / Morgan Evans / Warner Bros./WEA	1799/65	2	40
15	13	12	Break Up In The End / Cole Swindell / Warner Bros.	1660/72	0	-2
24	14	13	Hide the Wine / Carly Pearce / Big Machine	1609/74	4	57
25	15	14	Last Shot / Kip Moore / MCA	1584/67	3	42
14	16	15	I Hate Love Songs / Kelsea Ballerini / Black River Entertainment	1558/75	6	86
5	20	16	Drowns The Whiskey / Jason Aldean feat. Miranda Lambert / Broken Bow	1557/71	19	246
7	21	17	Babe / Sugarland feat. Taylor Swift / Big Machine	1419/69	11	135
17	18	18	Run Wild Horses / Aaron Watson / Big Label Records	1381/66	3	36
9	19	19	Hotel Key / Old Dominion / RCA Nashville	1377/68	4	53
3	30	20	Sunrise, Sunburn, Sunset / Luke Bryan / Capitol	1309/75	42	387
3	28	21	Downtown's Dead / Sam Hunt / MCA	1289/67	33	322
18	23	22	Rich / Maren Morris / Columbia	1164/63	6	63
22	17	23	The Older I Get / Alan Jackson / ACR/EMI	1117/52	-18	-249
34	24	24	Three Chords And The Truth / Chase Rice / Broken Bow	1070/52	2	26
24	22	25	Drunk Girl / Chris Janson / Warner Music Nashville	1051/53	-5	-52
19	29	26	Born To Love You / LANCO / Arista Nashville	1050/53	14	126
16	26	27	Hangin' On / Chris Young / RCA Nashville	1014/53	-1	-15
13	27	28	Power Of Garth / Lucas Hoge / Forge Entertainment	1011/61	4	42
14	31	29	Young Forever / Eric Paslay / EMI Nashville	918/46	5	45
10	33	30	Burn Out / Midland / Big Machine	904/52	12	95
17	32	31	Rearview / Jagertown / G&N Entertainment	863/55	0	0
16	34	32	Cannonball / Cash Campbell / Captain & Bear Media	860/46	7	57
8	37	33	Millionaire / Chris Stapleton / Mercury Nashville	841/58	13	99
13	35	34	Hurt Good / James Dupre / Purrfect Pitch Music	795/52	1	8
7	36	35	Keeper of the Flame / Miranda Lambert / Vanner Records/RCA Nashville	779/45	4	30
20	38	36	I Got You / Tim Elliott / Boggs River Entertainment	731/44	4	31
11	43	37	Anything Is Possible / Southern Halo / Southern Halo Records	716/50	15	91
15	39	38	California Dreamin / Denny Strickland / Red Star Productions	715/42	6	42
11	41	39	David Ashley Parker From Powder Springs / Travis Denning / Mercury Nashville	693/40	6	39
12	40	40	Worth It / Danielle Bradbery / BMLG	663/35	-1	-5



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Weeks On Chart	Last Week	This Week	Song / Artist / Label S	Spins / Report	% Spin Power	Spins +/-
1	0	41	Simple / Florida Georgia Line / BMLG	627/46	0	627
15	44	42	Tattoos / Shane Runion / Lick Records	547/35	6	29
13	45	43	You Got 'Em All / Trent Harmon / Big Machine	547/35	6	29
7	47	44	Caught Up In The Country / Rodney Atkins / Curb	523/38	15	67
12	46	45	Beautifully Broken / John Berry / JB Music LLC	473/29	3	12
7	49	46	Hook Line & Sinker / Smith & Wesley / Dreamwalkin' Records	464/37	14	56
15	48	47	Nothin' About Love / Ashla Taylor / West End Music Group/Rebel Intelligence	460/35	2	11
4	54	48	Take It From Me / Jordan Davis / MCA	449/34	26	93
17	51	49	Never Give Up / Jake McVey / Purple Cow Records	417/24	13	47
11	50	50	Nowhere With You / Dave McElroy / Free Flow Records	415/34	2	10
6	52	51	Lie / Shane Owens / AmeriMonte Records/Sixteen 08	409/34	11	42
9	53	52	Keep On Rollin / Keeper Of The Plains / Bar Frog Music	393/26	7	27
12	56	53	Junkyard / Heidi Raye / Harlan Howard Records	366/27	4	14
14	55	54	Fish / John Schneider / Maven Music	361/26	2	6
5	57	55	Good Guys Win / Ben Gallaher / Sony Nashville	360/30	8	26
8	58	56	There's Always Now / Wes Hayden feat. Andy Griggs / SSM Nashville	340/28	7	23
7	60	57	Something Blue / Sam Shupak / Southern Pine Music	326/26	9	27
6	63	58	See You Try / Craig Campbell / Red Bow	315/23	20	52
3	66	59	I Probably Won't / Bucky Covington / Barefootin' Records	301/28	32	73
7	61	60	You Came Along / Risa Binder / Warehouse Records	298/25	6	16
7	59	61	Blue Tacoma / Russell Dickerson / Triple Tigers	290/20	-5	-16
4	62	62	Won't You Be Mine / Bobby Wills / MDM	288/24	9	24
6	64	63	Drunk Me / Mitchell Tenpenny / Columbia	283/19	8	21
6	67	64	Ruined This Town / Lee Gantt / HH Entertainment LLC	253/18	13	30
2	75	65	Pour Whiskey On My Grave / Jacob Bryant / American Roots Records	247/20	18	37
3	79	66	Good Girl / Dustin Lynch / Broken Bow	243/20	30	56
3	71	67	Damn I Just Wanna Kiss You / THW /	243/13	11	25
5	68	68	Jump / Sara Spicer / HH Entertainment LLC	243/17	10	22
2	73	69	I Just Need A Drink / Mark Bray / Bar Frog Music	241/19	12	26
4	74	70	Thanks A Lot, Loretta / Ricky Cook / Imperator Records	222/18	4	9
8	69	71	Best Shot / Jimmie Allen / Stoney Creek Records	222/16	1	2
5	76	72	Asking For A Friend / Devin Dawson / Atlantic Records/Warner Music Nashville/WEA Radio & Streamin	g 215/15	2	5
7	78	73	More Of That / Zach Janson / Nashville Nightlife Records	212/14	7	14
2	77	74	The Difference / Tyler Rich / Valory	207/14	2	4
1	81	75	Hotdamalama / Parmalee / Stoney Creek Records/BBR Music Group/BMG	194/11	8	15
4	80	76	You're In It / Granger Smith / BBR Music Group/Wheelhouse Records/BMG	192/16	3	6
1	82	77	Friends Don't / Maddie & Tae / Mercury	191/16	18	29
1	87	78	What I Gotta Do / Tommy Steele Band / Triple Creek Records	179/15	20	30
1	84	79	Jack Of All Trades / Amy Jack / Amy Jack Music	175/17	9	14
1	83	80	Here We Are / Wild Blue Country / The United States Air Force Academy Band	173/16	7	11
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