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Thursday, September 18, 2014

## NEWS

### Republic Nashville Promotes Coonrod

Republic Nashville and Big Machine Label Group have promoted **Angie Coonrod** to Director of Northeast Promotion. Coonrod previously served as Republic Nashville president and BMLG Exec. VP **Jimmy Harnen**'s Executive Assistant. She spent more than 14 years in the pharmaceutical field and management prior to joining Republic Nashville. Coonrod replaces **Cliff Blake**, beginning Sept. 30.



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### Clawson Receives No. 1 Challenge Coins

Big Loud Shirt's **Rodney Clawson** was recently presented three No. 1 Challenge Coins for reaching the top of the *MusicRow* Country Breakout Chart. He co-wrote **Lady Antebellum**'s "Bartender," **Florida Georgia Line**'s "Dirt" (which spent two weeks at No. 1) and **Kenny Chesney**'s "American Kids." All songwriters and artists that reach No. 1 receive the Challenge Coin. To see the list of recipients, click [HERE](#).



Pictured (L-R): MusicRow Chart Director Troy Stephenson, Clawson

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### Elliott Promoted At Arista Nashville

Arista Nashville has promoted **Andy Elliott** to Director, National Promotion. Reporting to VP, National Promotion **Lesly Tyson**, Elliott will assume the new role Monday, Sept. 22. Prior to joining Arista in December 2011, Elliott worked for New Revolution Entertainment, and is an 18-year radio veteran who began his career as Program Director for KJJY and KHKI in Des Moines, Iowa. Elliott previously served as Regional Promotion Manager for Arista Nashville. The previous position will be filled, with an announcement to be made in coming weeks.



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**Top Ten**— **Brantley Gilbert** and his friends **Thomas Rhett** and **Justin Moore** are at No. 1 this week with "Small Town Throwdown." Another collaboration is at No. 2 with **Miranda Lambert** and **Carrie Underwood**'s "Somethin' Bad" taking the spot. Last week's top song is at No. 3 this week, **Luke Bryan**'s "Roller Coaster." **Little Big Town**'s "Day Drinking" is up one spot to No. 4, followed by **Chase Rice** with "Ready Set Roll" at No. 5. **Jason Aldean** gained three spots this week with "Burnin' It Down" at No. 6. **Sam Hunt** made it into the top 10. His new song "Leave The Night On" is at No. 7, followed by **Keith Urban**'s "Somewhere In My Car" at No. 8. **Cole Swindell** drops three spots this week with "Hope You Get Lonely Tonight" at No. 9. **David Nail** is at No. 10 with "Kiss You Tonight."

**Greatest Gainers**— **Tim McGraw**'s "Shotgun Rider" had the biggest gain this week with 498 new spins. **Brad Paisley** jumped "Perfect Storm" to No. 27 this week after 412 additional spins. **Darius Rucker** had 394 additional plays this week for "Homegrown Honey." In its first week, **Eric Church**'s "Talladega" had 365 spins. **Blake Shelton** moves closer to the top 10 with "Neon Light" coming in at No. 11 after 340 more plays this week.

**Debuts**— **Eric Church** was the highest debut this week with "Talladega" at No. 69. **Josh Turner** is new this week at No. 70 with "Lay Low." **Erica Nicole** breaks into the chart in her first week with "It's Comin' Down" debuting at No. 73. **Macy Martin** makes the chart this week at No. 75 with "Me With You." **Olivia Lane**'s "Steal Me Away" is at No. 77 and **Johnny Orr** is at No. 78 with "Down South."

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Anozira/GMV artist J. Michael Harter (L) visits KFAV/Warrenton, Mo. PD Mike Thomas (R) during a recent radio tour stop.

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### September 22

**Kelsea Ballerini**/Love Me Like You Mean It/Black River Ent.

**Jon Pardi**/When I've Been Drinking/Capitol

**Katie Armiger**/One Night Between Friends/Cold River

**Brittany Bexton**/Free Fall/Indie Records

**Brad Puckett**/Kiss Me In The Rain/Phoenix Records Nashville

### September 29

**Eric Church**/Talladega/EMI Nashville

**Sara Evans**/Put My Heart Down/RCA Nashville

**Chuck Wicks**/Saturday Afternoon/Blaster

### October 6

**Dierks Bentley**/Say You Do/Capitol Nashville



Mont-Merc/Nine Nort/Edgehill Music Artist Troy Bullock visits WXFL/Florence, Ala. Pictured (L-R): Big River Broadcasting Owner Jerry Phillips, Bullock, Big River Broadcasting's Halley Phillips, WXFL's Fletcher Keys.

## WEEKLY CHART DATA

### New On The Chart —Debuting This Week

*Artist/song/label—chart pos.*

**Eric Church**/Talladega/EMI Nashville— 69

**Josh Turner**/Lay Low/MCA— 70

**Erica Nicole**/It's Comin' Down/EN Music-PCL— 73

**Macy Martin**/Me With You/GTR— 75

**Olivia Lane**/Steal Me Away/Big Spark—77

**Johnny Orr**/Down South/John and John Entertainment LLC— 78

### Greatest Spin Increase

*Artist/song/label—Spin Increase*

**Tim McGraw**/Shotgun Rider/Big Machine— 498

**Brad Paisley**/Perfect Storm/Arista— 412

**Darius Rucker**/Homegrown Honey/Capitol Nashville— 394

**Eric Church**/Talladega/EMI Nashville— 365

**Blake Shelton**/Neon Lights/Warner Bros.— 340

### Most Added

*Artist/song/label—No. of Adds*

**Eric Church**/Talladega/EMI Nashville—31

**Erica Nicole**/It's Comin' Down/EN Music-PCL—29

**Tim McGraw**/Shotgun Rider/Big Machine— 26

**Josh Turner**/Lay Low/MCA— 24

**Lee Brice**/Drinking Class/Curb— 19

### On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

*Artist/song/label—No. of Spins*

**Eric Von**/I Can't Help But Smile/HMG— 196

**Cody Johnson**/Me And My Kind/None Listed— 185

**Gracia Harrison**/Jezebel/Broken Compass Music Group— 160

**Gunnar and the Grizzly Boys**/Standard American/Average Joe's— 156

**Ray Scott**/Drinkin' Beer/decibel Nashville— 153

### Frozen Playlists - WHWY

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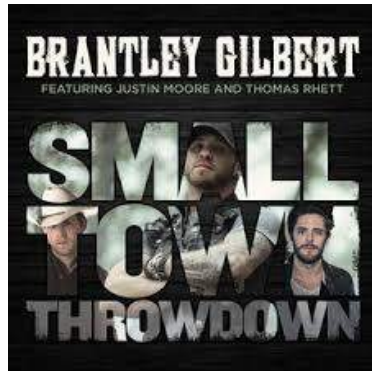
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## NO. 1 SONG

It's a "Small Town Throwdown" for secondary radio this week with **Brantley Gilbert's** Valory Music Co. single, featuring **Justin Moore** and **Thomas Rhett**. The Big Machine Label Group artists reached the No. 1 position on this week's *MusicRow* CountryBreakout Chart on this 19th week of airplay.



Written by Gilbert with the Peach Pickers (**Ben Hayslip, Dallas Davidson** and **Rhett Akins**), the boys take us into the woods for a redneck concert. Despite event concierges, similar hometown throw down shows will take place when the songwriting trio joins **Luke Bryan's Farm Tour 2014**, along with **Cole Swindell** and **Chancie Neil**.

Individually, Justin Moore is rising at No. 19 this week with "Home Sweet Home," while Thomas Rhett takes No. 24 this week with his quickly rising "Make Me Wanna."

Gilbert's latest album *Just As I Am* has sold +563K units since its release this May. "Small Town Throwdown" is the second single.

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

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## Voices Of Independent Promotions

**Jessica Banish**/Edgehill Music Nashville,  
Director of Promotion and Marketing (based in Jacksonville, FL)

### How did you get into Radio Promotions?

I was too short and not hot enough to be a Victoria's Secret model. Figured that the music biz was the next best thing. I started as an intern in High School at WSPK in New York where I was bit by the radio bug early in on. Spent the next 10+ years in radio, both in the on-air and promotions capacities, before switching over to the "dark side" of record promo.

### What is your favorite thing about your work?

I love getting to talk to my radio friends each week, and sharing my passion for music with them.

### What is best about working with the stations on the *MusicRow* panel?

I love working with stations on the MR panel because many of them are the first to discover unbelievable talent that isn't necessarily attached to a major label. Sometimes it just takes a few early believers to turn a song into a hit! *MusicRow* stations have the ability to seek out the gems and share them with their audiences.

### Tell us about one of your proudest accomplishments?

My number one accomplishment is my 3 year old daughter, Lyla - I am a VERY proud mom. I am also proud of helping to create and implement the hugely successful Free Concert Series at The Jacksonville Landing. The series maximized promotion and marketing for WJAX while it created revenue and drew thousands of people to Downtown Jacksonville to see their favorite artists perform.

### What is an interesting fact about you?

Interesting fact??? I am allergic to corn. It sucks, because corn and it's derivatives are in everything. My daughter has inherited this sexy allergy as well. Most packaged items are out for us, so I do a lot of baking. You haven't lived until you have tried my dark chocolate dipped Irish shortbread cookies and my chocolate mousse cake. Just sayin'...



## MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart Reporting Stations

WHMA Anniston AL	KSMA Mason City IA	KRRV Alexandria LA	WDNB Liberty NY	KDOL Livingston TX
WXFL Florence AL	KBKB Burlington IA	KXKZ Ruston LA	WKLI Latham NY	KGKL San Angelo TX
KCJC Russellville AR	KXIA Marshalltown IA	WKTT Salisbury MD	KWHW Altus OK	KMKS Bay City TX
KCNY Conway AR	KICR Sandpoint ID	WATZ Alpena MI	KITX Hugo OK	KXOX Sweetwater TX
KHBZ Harrison AR	KTHK Idaho Falls ID	WTCM Traverse City MI	KKAJ Ardmore OK	KYYK Palestine TX
KDXY Jonesboro AR	WAAG Galesburg IL	WJNR Iron Mountain MI	KREK Bristow OK	WAKG Danville VA
KQUS Hot Springs AR	WIBL Normal IL	WUPY Ontonagon MI	KWOX Woodwards OK	WMEV Marion VA
KWCK Searcy AR	WOOZ Carterville IL	WMKC Cheboygan, MI	KWEY Weatherford OK	WAXX Altoona, WI
KSED Flagstaff AZ	WDZQ Decatur IL	KZPK St. Cloud, MN	KRKT Albany OR	WCOW Sparta, WI
KTTI Yuma AZ	WMCI Mattoon IL	KBXB Sikeston, MO	WFGE State College PA	WGLR Platteville WI
KVAY Lamar CO	WIFE Connerville IN	KDKD Clinton, MO	WWBE Selinsgrove PA	WJMQ Shawano WI
WHWY Destin FL	KAIR Atchison KS	KFAV Warrenton, MO	KYTN Union City TN	WBWI West Bend WI
WTRS Ocala FL	KKOW Pittsburgh KS	KWWR Mexico, MO	WTKN Dickson TN	WJVL Janesville WI
WBYZ Baxley GA	KVWF Wichita KS	KZZY Devils Lake, ND	WEIO Huntingdon TN	WQPC, Prairie du Chien WI
WOKA Douglas GA	KYEZ Salina KS	KYCK Grand Forks, ND	WLLX Lawrenceburg TN	WDGG Huntington WV
WTHO Thomson GA	WBKR Owensboro KY	WXXX Lebanon, NH	WOWF Crossville TN	WKKW Morgantown WV
WUBB Savannah GA	WDHR Pikeville KY	KRVN Lexington, NE	WUCZ Carthage TN	WKWS Charleston WV
KBOE Oskaloosa IA	WKFC London KY	KRGI Grand Island, NE	Renegade Radio Nashville TN	WTCR Huntington WV
KIAI Mason City IA	WGGC Bowling Green KY	WKPQ Hornell NY	KFTX Corpus Christi TX	
KLMJ Hampton IA	WKDZ Cadiz KY	WFRY Watertown NY		
KMGO Centerville IA		WCJW Warsaw NY		



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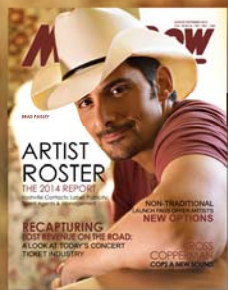


## COUNTRY BREAKOUT Chart

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Weeks On Chart	Last Wk Position	This Wk Position	Artist/Song/Label	Spins/Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +-	Last Wk # Spins
19	2	1	Brantley Gilbert/Small Town Throwdown/Valory	3529/97	3	96	3433
16	3	2	Miranda Lambert & Carrie Underwood/Somethin' Bad/RCA-Arista Nashville	3482/99	4	147	3335
12	1	3	Luke Bryan/Roller Coaster/Capitol Nashville	3199/82	-12	-431	3630
16	5	4	Little Big Town/Day Drinking/Capitol	3137/99	4	117	3020
27	7	5	Chase Rice/Ready Set Roll/Columbia Nashville	3063/87	2	57	3006
9	9	6	Jason Aldean/Burnin' It Down/Broken Bow	3050/86	8	227	2823
13	11	7	Sam Hunt/Leave the Night On/MCA	2947/97	7	199	2748
14	10	8	Keith Urban/Somewhere In My Car/Capitol	2932/98	6	173	2759
26	6	9	Cole Swindell/Hope You Get Lonely Tonight/Warner Bros.	2921/81	-3	-95	3016
29	12	10	David Nail/Kiss You Tonight/MCA Nashville	2773/92	1	30	2743
6	15	11	Blake Shelton/Neon Light/Warner Brothers	2609/92	15	340	2269
23	14	12	Scotty McCreery/Feelin' It/Mercury	2529/94	5	114	2415
16	16	13	Rascal Flatts/Payback/Big Machine	2269/92	4	84	2185
25	18	14	Brothers Osborne/Rum/EMI Nashville	2189/89	3	67	2122
22	19	15	Frankie Ballard/Sunshine & Whiskey/Warner Bros.	2172/77	3	64	2108
9	20	16	Maddie & Tae/Girl In A Country Song/Dot Records	2109/93	10	197	1912
26	21	17	Rachel Holder/Shining Now/Curb Records	1965/68	3	64	1901
3	27	18	Garth Brooks/People Loving People/Pearl-RCA Nashville	1706/81	24	325	1381
11	23	19	Justin Moore/Home Sweet Home/Valory	1648/82	4	66	1582
19	24	20	John King/Tonight Tonight/Black River Entertainment	1598/72	7	106	1492
18	25	21	Randy Houser/Like A Cowboy/Stoney Creek	1549/76	6	83	1466
7	28	22	Jake Owen/What We Ain't Got/RCA Nashville	1539/90	16	212	1327
19	26	23	Chris Weaver Band/American Dreamer/American Roots Records	1529/61	5	72	1457
8	29	24	Thomas Rhett/Make Me Wanna/Valory	1429/81	8	106	1323
4	38	25	Brad Paisley/Perfect Storm/Arista	1403/83	42	412	991
12	30	26	Craig Morgan/We'll Come Back Around/Black River	1309/69	6	70	1239
6	41	27	Darius Rucker/Homegrown Honey/Capitol Nashville	1305/81	43	394	911
6	36	28	Chris Young/Lonely Eyes/RCA	1249/81	22	229	1020
3	52	29	Tim McGraw/Shotgun Rider/Big Machine	1152/79	76	498	654
28	37	30	Big & Rich/Look at You/Big & Rich Records-New Revolution	1144/44	13	136	1008
10	33	31	Brett Eldredge/Mean To Me/Atlantic-WMN	1120/62	9	91	1029
15	32	32	Robby Johnson/Feel Good Song/Contrast Music Records	1113/47	5	49	1064
23	31	33	Deana Carter/Do Or Die/Little Nugget Records	1112/49	3	31	1081
12	34	34	Dolly Parton/Home/Sony Masterworks	1109/52	9	88	1021
11	39	35	Ben Rue/I Can't Wait (Be My Wife)/Arista Nashville	1054/52	15	138	916
20	35	36	DOWNDAY/Crank It Up/Render	1050/43	3	29	1021

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Weeks On Chart	Last Wk Position	This Wk Position	Artist/Song/Label	Spins/Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +-	Last Wk # Spins
7	44	37	Tyler Farr/A Guy Walks Into A Bar/Columbia Nashville	1030/70	19	168	862
12	40	38	Hunter Hayes/Tattoo/Warner Bros.	1029/57	12	114	915
12	43	39	Kayla Adams/Sober & Sorry/SSM Entertainment	1028/56	15	135	893
13	42	40	LiveWire/Drivin' You Outta My Mind/Way Out West	974/47	8	71	903
18	4	41	Eric Church/Cold One/EMI Nashville	961/39	-70	-2203	3164
11	46	42	Chase Bryant/Take It On Back/Red Bow	959/53	13	113	846
9	48	43	Jerrod Niemann/Buzz Back Girl/Sea Gayle-Arista	911/60	20	152	759
15	47	44	Jordan Anderson/American Dream/GTR	848/44	3	21	827
10	49	45	Chris Lane/Broken Windshield View/Big Loud Mountain	773/47	6	41	732
3	61	46	Lee Brice/Drinking Class/Curb	772/60	51	262	510
14	50	47	Craig Morrison/Phone Call/Lucky53	722/36	5	34	688
17	53	48	Dan + Shay/Show You Off/Warner Bros	715/42	9	61	654
8	54	49	RaeLynn/God Made Girls/Valory	706/45	11	72	634
10	55	50	Canaan Smith/Love You Like That/Mercury Nashville	693/48	15	92	601
17	60	51	Lee Ann Womack/The Way I'm Livin'/Sugar Hill Records	615/49	20	104	511
7	58	52	Montgomery Gentry/Headlights/Blaster	608/50	15	81	527
16	51	53	Granger Smith/If Money Didn't Matter/Pioneer	587/31	-12	-79	666
2	73	54	Easton Corbin/Baby Be My Love Song/Mercury	572/46	75	246	326
10	57	55	Philip Claypool/Come On Back Home/HeyDay Records	571/26	6	34	537
2	74	56	Trisha Yearwood/PrizeFighter/Gwendolyn Records-RCA Nashville	539/47	74	230	309
6	63	57	SaraBeth/Nowhere With You/Circle S Records	536/33	20	88	448
7	65	58	Native Run/Good On You/Showdog-Universal	533/37	26	110	423
10	59	59	Jana Kramer/Love/WAR	523/35	0	-1	524
10	62	60	Veronica Ballestrini/Cookies & Cream/Timbob Records	516/34	3	13	503
3	71	61	Joe Nichols/Hard To Be Cool/Red Bow	486/36	46	153	333
11	66	62	Marianne Allison/Till It Breaks My Heart/CD Baby	458/27	10	41	417
10	64	63	The Cadillac Three/Party Like You/Big Machine	456/34	5	22	434
25	17	64	Love And Theft/Night That You'll Never Forget/RCA Nashville	436/26	-80	-1746	2182
7	68	65	Kelleigh Bannen/You Are What You Love/EMI Nashville	433/34	20	71	362
7	67	66	George Ducas/All Kinds of Crazy/Loud Ranch	415/30	13	47	368
11	72	67	Presley & Taylor/Kickin' Back/SMG	394/26	20	66	328
7	69	68	Colt Ford/Workin' On/Average Joe's	372/23	11	36	336
1	0	69	Eric Church/Talladega/EMI Nashville	365/31	0	365	0
1	96	70	Josh Turner/Lay Low/MCA	357/33	231	249	108
3	75	71	Gator Park/Hayseed Highway/First Base Records	313/24	6	17	296
2	77	72	Rick Monroe/Fires Out/MRG Recordings	289/23	29	65	224
1	0	73	Erica Nicole/It's Comin' Down/EN Music/PCL	271/29	0	271	0
7	76	74	Kari & Billy/Are You Ready For The Weekend/Kari & Billy	267/13	7	17	250
1	82	75	Macy Martin/Me with you/GTR	248/13	24	48	200
2	78	76	Matt Williams w/ Alyssa Morrisey/Make Love Tonight/MTS	248/11	19	39	209
1	86	77	Olivia Lane/Steal Me Away/Big Spark	231/25	51	78	153
1	83	78	Johnny Orr/Down South/John and John Entertainment LLC	224/16	14	28	196
2	80	79	Tyler Barham/More Than A Cotton Dress/YN Records	215/15	5	10	205
2	79	80	Mitch Goudy/Ain't My Fault/3rd Floor Records	213/14	3	7	206

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