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NEWS

MusicRow To Debut Touring Print Issue In December



MusicRow is excited to debut its upcoming print magazine devoted to the country music touring business. The Touring Issue will offer exclusive editorial content focusing on current issues impacting touring and live events and the team members making it happen. Slated for December release, the issue also features MusicRow's annual Next Big Thing list. To read more, [click here](#).

Maren Morris to Headline Hero Tour in 2017



Maren Morris has announced she'll hit the road on her own Hero Tour next year, which will kick off in February 2017 in Boston. Eleven dates for the upcoming tour have been announced so far, with more to come. Morris will wrap her stint on the 50-plus city, Keith Urban ripCORD World Tour on Nov. 19. To read more and see the list of dates, [click here](#).

Garth Brooks Inks Deal With Amazon For Streaming

Amazon announced this week that music from Garth Brooks is now available to stream exclusively on Amazon Music Unlimited, a service [announced last week](#). This is the first time that Brooks' music is available to stream on-demand. More music from Brooks will be added to Amazon Music Unlimited later this year, including his upcoming holiday album with Trisha Yearwood, and his forthcoming project *Gunslinger*. [View the full story here.](#)



CHART ACTION

New On The Chart —Debuting This Week

Artist/song/label—chart pos.

- Love And Theft/Candyland/Curb— 66
- Dan + Shay/How Not To/Warner Bros.— 76
- Jake Owen/If He Ain't Gonna Love You/RCA Nashville— 78
- Jennifer Nettles/Hey Heartbreak/Big Machine— 79
- Matt Austin/The Island/Austin Music— 80

Greatest Spin Increase

Artist/song/label—Spin Increase

- Garth Brooks/Baby, Let's Lay Down And Dance/Pearl Records— 662
- Brad Paisley/Today/Arista Nashville— 499
- Thomas Rhett/Star Of The Show/Valory Music Co.— 404
- Jason Aldean/A Little More Summertime/Broken Bow— 279
- Blake Shelton/A Guy With A Girl/Warner Bros.—258

Most Added

Artist/song/label—No. of Adds

- Garth Brooks/Baby, Let's Lay Down And Dance/Pearl Records—42
- Brad Paisley/Today/Arista Nashville—25
- Thomas Rhett/Star Of The Show/Valory Music Co.—16
- George Strait/Goin' Goin' Gone/MCA Nashville—9
- Love And Theft/Candyland/Curb—9
- Blake Shelton/A Guy With A Girl/Warner Bros.—8
- Justin Moore/Somebody Else Will/Valory Music Co.— 7
- Kelsea Ballerini/Yeah Boy/Black River Ent.— 7

On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

Artist/song/label—No. of Spins

- Mike Smith/Green Eyed Girl— 168
- Jake McVey/Back Seat— 165
- Curtis Braly/Love You Down/Go Time Records— 163
- Peyton Davis/Nowhere America/Carole Davis— 152
- Chase Bryant/Room To Breathe/Red Bow— 151

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ARTIST ROSTER THE 2016 REPORT

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Look for the follow-up, **Ring On Every Finger** on your desktop Tuesday 10/25

REVIVERRECORDS



Pictured: (L - R) KFAV/Warrenton, MO's Mike Thomas with artist Matt Austin.



Pictured: (L - R) WEIO/Huntingdon, TN's Ken Folkes, artist Evan Blankenship holding creepy baby, and WEIO's Kelly Green.



Pictured: (L - R) Artist Scotty McCreery with KTHK/Idaho Fall, ID's Cory Daniels.



Members of the KITX/Hugo, OK staff meet Toby Keith.



Smith and Wesley visit with WMC/Mattoon, IL's Lane Blickman.



Pictured: (L - R) WJVL/Janesville, WI's Justin Brown with artist Skye Claire.

ARTIST SPOTLIGHT**David Shelby**

Sponsored By: Highway South Records

Single:

"Back To Us"

Songwriters:

David Shelby, Kenton Bryant

Hometown:

Detroit, MI

Website: www.davidshelbymusic.com

Artist Bio:

Somewhere along the interstates and freeways between Nashville and Detroit, David Shelby mapped out his musical direction with the final destination to arrive at country radio with a sound all his own. Capturing the salt-of-the-earth and grit of Motor City, Michigan, the rock n' roll history the culture is known for, and melding it with Nashville's signature musicianship and storylines, Shelby created a sound he proudly identifies as "Rust Belt Country." He is a performer wired for sound whose talents are branded by his roots—the heart of America, built on hope and tenacity for the future.

Fun Facts:

- David is proficient on accordion, piano and guitar and it's a good bet he'll perform one or more at his shows.
- Also an ace trumpeter, David toured internationally with award-winning recording artists such as The Glenn Miller Orchestra, The Turtles, Little Anthony & The Imperials, Stevie Wonder.
- David has also shared the stage with the likes of Kenny Chesney, Hank Williams Jr., Eric Church, Jake Owen, Justin Moore and others.
- He recorded his newest music at the Cowboy Arms Hotel and Recording Spa, former home and studio of Cowboy Jack Clement in Nashville.



Macy Martin



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CALENDAR

Singles

October 24

Brian Milson/Gonna Be A Song Someday/First Short Road Productions

Hunter Hayes/Yesterday's Song/Warner Bros.

Jake Gill/Story Of Your Tattoo

Cash Creek/She Got Me/Heartland Records Nashville

Gary West/Right/Stanley Music Group

Jeff Dane/Hillbilly Fire/SMG-Nashville

Band Steele/Tan Lines/Fire River

October 31

Rebel Hearts/Mountain Country

Scott DeCarlo/Tippin' It Up

November 7

Tucker Beathard/Momma And Jesus/Dot Records

Albums

October 21

Oak Ridge Boys/Celebrate Christmas/Capitol Christian Group

Luke Bryan/Greatest Hits Karaoke Vol. 1/Capitol Nashville

Amy Grant/Tennessee Christmas/Capitol Christian Group

Rascal Flatts/Greatest Gift Of All/Big Machine Records

October 28

Kenny Chesney/Cosmic Hallelujah/Columbia Nashville-Blue Chair Records

Cole Swindell/Down Home Sessions III [EP]/Warner Bros.-Warner Music Nashville

Kip Moore/Underground [five-song EP]/Universal Music Group

Steve Wariner/All Over The Map/SelecTone Records

Loving Mary Band/Little Bit Of Love/Round Hill Records-Sony Red

Kacey Musgraves/Very Kacey Christmas/Mercury Nashville

Jennifer Nettles/To Celebrate Christmas/Big Machine Records

Thomas Rhett/Tangled Up Deluxe/The Valory Music Co.

NO. 1 SONG



Brett Young's debut single, "Sleep Without You," reached the top of the *MusicRow* CountryBreakout Chart this week.

The single was written by Young with Justin Ebach and Kelly Archer and is featured on Young's debut EP from BMLG Records.

Lee Brice and Justin Moore have named Young, in addition to William Michael Morgan, as openers on their [American Made Tour in 2017](#).

Get a list of tour dates and watch the music video for "Sleep Without You" by visiting [BrettYoungMusic.com](#)



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



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COUNTRY BREAKOUT CHART

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Weeks On Chart	Last Week	This Week	Artist / Song / Label	Spins / Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +/-
27	3	1	Brett Young / Sleep Without You / Republic	3232/88	7	209
17	2	2	Tim McGraw / How I'll Always Be / Big Machine	3210/92	5	164
14	4	3	Jason Aldean / A Little More Summertime / Broken Bow	3169/85	10	279
11	8	4	Florida Georgia Line w/ Tim McGraw / May We All / BMLG Records	2974/91	9	255
10	7	5	Keith Urban / Blue Ain't Your Color / Capitol Nashville	2884/89	6	162
24	5	6	Cole Swindell / Middle Of A Memory / Warner Bros.	2874/74	2	58
18	6	7	Maren Morris / 80s Mercedes / Columbia Nashville	2867/89	4	118
9	9	8	Carrie Underwood / Dirty Laundry / Arista	2565/89	7	178
20	11	9	Chris Young / Sober Saturday Night / RCA Nashville	2364/89	2	56
26	10	10	Chris Stapleton / Parachute / Mercury	2347/82	2	37
23	12	11	Brett Eldredge / Wanna Be That Song / Warner Bros.	2259/80	2	54
32	13	12	Granger Smith / If The Boot Fits / Wheelhouse Records	2213/81	2	41
9	15	13	Eric Church / Kill A Word / EMI Nashville	2212/91	7	150
24	16	14	Jerrod Niemann w/ Lee Brice / A Little More Love / Curb	1846/74	0	-2
20	17	15	Josh Turner / Hometown Girl / MCA Nashville	1807/82	2	32
19	1	16	Old Dominion / Song For Another Time / RCA Nashville	1673/50	-47	-1458
8	18	17	Lauren Alaina / Road Less Traveled / Mercury Nashville	1642/81	12	179
22	19	18	Easton Corbin / Are You With Me / Mercury	1412/66	1	17
12	20	19	Brantley Gilbert / The Weekend / Valory Music Co.	1388/72	7	86
16	21	20	Darius Rucker / If I Told You / Capitol Nashville	1370/71	6	75
3	34	21	Thomas Rhett / Star Of The Show / Valory Music Co.	1333/75	43	404
4	28	22	Blake Shelton / A Guy With A Girl / Warner Bros.	1309/71	25	258
25	22	23	Chris Janson / Holdin' Her / Warner Bros	1259/61	1	13
2	39	24	Brad Paisley / Today / Arista Nashville	1226/70	69	499
5	27	25	Jon Pardi / Dirt On My Boots / Capitol Nashville	1174/72	10	111
10	24	26	Ronnie Dunn w/ Kix Brooks / Damn Drunk / BMLG	1146/56	5	50
25	26	27	Michael Ray / Think A Little Less / Warner Bros.	1128/63	5	49
14	23	28	Toby Keith / A Few More Cowboys / Show Dog Nashville	1120/56	1	9
16	30	29	Dustin Lynch / Seein' Red / Broken Bow	1062/57	6	56
10	31	30	LANco / Long Live Tonight / Arista Nashville	1058/59	5	53
17	29	31	Gary Allan / Do You Wish It Was Me? / EMI Records Nashville	1021/49	1	9
10	32	32	Vince Gill / Me And My Girl / MCA Nashville	1012/58	3	25
9	36	33	Dylan Scott / My Girl / Curb	948/65	7	60
7	37	34	Chris Lane / For Her / Big Loud Records	879/60	5	42
2	79	35	Garth Brooks / Baby, Let's Lay Down And Dance / Pearl Records	873/55	314	662
13	38	36	Presley & Taylor / My Hometown / SMG Records Nashville	847/49	6	48
5	35	37	Artists of Then, Now, and Forever / Forever Country / MCA	825/41	-10	-88
10	41	38	Trent Harmon / There's A Girl / Big Machine	767/47	7	53
11	42	39	Smith & Wesley / You're The One / Garage Door Records	723/53	3	24
20	40	40	Darryl Worley / Rainmaker / Worleybird Records	713/38	-1	-5



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13	44	41	Mark Chesnutt / Oughta Miss Me By Now / Row Entertainment	691/40	3	21
15	43	42	Bobby Wills / Down by the River / MDM	678/47	0	3
17	25	43	Eli Young Band / Saltwater Gospel / Valory Music Co.	671/33	-38	-416
18	46	44	Southern Halo / Rewind / Southern Halo Records	658/44	2	14
3	57	45	Kelsea Ballerini / Yeah Boy / Black River Ent	655/44	40	186
6	50	46	George Strait / Goin' Goin' Gone / MCA Nashville	617/44	23	114
11	47	47	Runaway June / Lipstick / Wheelhouse Records	590/36	3	19
12	48	48	Macy Martin / Heart Sleeve Soul / GTR Records	569/37	9	49
7	51	49	Cody Jinks / I'm Not The Devil / Cody Jinks Music	568/42	14	70
10	45	50	Eric Paslay / Angels In This Town / EMI Nashville	542/32	-16	-105
6	53	51	David Nail w/ Brothers Osborne / Good At Tonight / MCA Nashville	540/42	10	50
10	59	52	Jeff Bates / That Thing We Do /	536/26	28	117
26	49	53	High Valley / Make You Mine / Warner Bros.	526/29	4	19
15	55	54	Shane Owens / Country Never Goes Out Of Style / AmeriMonte Records	520/32	7	34
17	52	55	The Stickers / Ain't Nothin' Better / Wodarek Music	512/31	3	14
8	58	56	Alex Smith / Load It Up / Lila	503/37	13	57
15	54	57	Steve Dorian / Edge of 18 / VIMH Music	499/30	2	11
8	60	58	Aaron Lewis / That Ain't Country / Dot Records	409/27	7	27
5	70	59	James Dupre / Stoned To Death / Purfectt Pitch LLC	368/33	32	90
10	62	60	Cody Johnson / With You I Am /	353/22	1	2
10	66	61	Sarah Dunn Band / Dirty / Reznam Records	351/26	17	51
11	63	62	SaraBeth / You Rock My Rodeo / Circle S Records	343/23	0	1
5	67	63	Casey Donahew / Kiss Me / Almost Country Entertainment	338/25	13	40
10	64	64	Williams Honor / Send It To Me / All Hour Recordings	327/20	7	20
2	69	65	Morgan Wallen / The Way I Talk / Big Loud Records	316/32	14	38
1	82	66	Love and Theft / Candyland / Curb	310/31	61	117
3	71	67	Denny Strickland / Get A Grip / Red Star Productions	296/22	13	34
28	68	68	Craig Campbell / Outskirts Of Heaven / Red Bow Records	293/18	3	9
3	75	69	Luke Combs / Hurricane / River House Artists-Columbia Nashville	278/22	13	31
4	76	70	Aaron Goodvin / Woman In Love / Warner Music Canada-AJG Music Group	262/21	9	22
6	72	71	Leslie Cours Mather / We Are America / LionEyes Records	257/18	1	3
6	73	72	Madison Station / Back In The Day / ABM Music	252/20	0	-1
6	74	73	Callie Twisselman / Party Lights / Sugar Cube Records	250/17	0	1
2	77	74	Chase Rice / Everybody We Know Does / Columbia Nashville	243/15	13	27
2	80	75	Tyler Farr / Our Town / Columbia Nashville	230/19	10	21
1	81	76	Dan + Shay / How Not To / Warner Bros.	221/16	10	20
3	85	77	RaeLynn / Love Triangle / Warner Bros.	197/13	6	11
1	86	78	Jake Owen / If He Ain't Gonna Love You / RCA Nashville	196/12	11	19
1	97	79	Jennifer Nettles / Hey Heartbreak / Big Machine	180/14	32	44
1	95	80	Matt Austin / The Island / Austin Music	177/14	25	35

No. 1 Song
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