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MusicRow Magazine announces the date for its 2016 Country Radio Meet & Greet and CountryBreakout Awards. The invitation-only event will welcome MusicRow subscribed members and radio executives in downtown Nashville on Monday, Feb. 8, 2016, at 1 p.m. Invitations requesting RSVPs will be sent in January. The ceremony occurs before Country Radio Seminar which will be held from Feb. 8-11, 2016. For the full story, click here.

CMT Artists Of The Year Honorees

CMT has announced the five country artists that will be honored during the 6th annual CMT Artists of the Year special that will premiere live from Nashville's Schermerhorn Symphony Center, on Wednesday, Dec. 2 at 8 p.m. ET/PT.

This year's list includes Blake Shelton, Florida Georgia Line, Little Big Town, Luke Bryan, and

Sam Hunt. To read the full story, click here.



Chris Young has announced extended dates for his headlining I'm Comin' Over Tour, presented by AEG Live. The singer-songwriter has invited **Cassadee Pope** to join as special guest to open the 13 shows. Pope is also featured on Young's new album as a duet partner on the song, "Think Of You." For a list of dates, click here.



SPINZONE

Top Ten—Blake Shelton's "Gonna" takes the No. 1 position this week followed by Jason Aldean at No. 2 with "Gonna Know We Were Here." Brad Paisley moves "Country Nation" up three spots to No. 3 while **Dierks Bentley** remains at No. 4 with "Riser." Kelsea Ballerini calls "Dibs" again for the No. 5 spot and Thomas Rhett leaps into the top 10 with "Die A Happy Man" at No. 6. A Thousand Horses is at No. 7 with "(This Is Ain't No) Drunk Dial," and Billy Currington falls to No. 8 with "Drinking Town With A Football Problem." Randy Houser's "We Went" remains at No. 9 and LoCash is right behind with "I Love This Life" at No. 10.

Greatest Spin Gainers— Chris Stapleton continues his hot streak with "Nobody To Blame" gaining the most spins this week with 567. Eric Church moves "Mr. Misunderstood" with 426 new plays and **Thomas Rhett** gets a big chart push after "Die A Happy Man" receives 421 new spins. Florida Georgia Line breaks "Confession" onto the chart thanks to an increase of 348. Keith Urban's "Break On Me" moves up seven spots after 320 more plays this week.

Debuts— Chris Stapleton also had the top debut this week with "Nobody To Blame" landing at No. 49. Florida Georgia Line followed with "Confession" at No. 54. Eric Church moves "Mr. Misunderstood" to No. 58 and Justin Moore debuts "You Look Like I Need A Drink" at No. 72. Luke Bryan's "Home Alone Tonight" debuts at No. 76 and Amber Hayes lands at No. 80 with "A Hero's Heart."



KWHW/Altus, Okla., receives a visit from Macy Martin on her "Baby What Ya Doing" radio tour. Pictured (L-R): KWHW's Phil Ortiz, Martin, and KWHW's ID



SINGLES CALENDAR

November 16

Justin Moore/You Look Like I Need A Drink/Valory Music Co. Frankie Ballard/It All Started With A Beer/Warner Bros. Don Henley feat. Trisha Yearwood/Words Can Break Your Heart/I.R.S.-Capitol Nashville

Sarah Dunn Band/Backwoods Party/Audacity Records **Scott Brantley**/Good Thing Going/Studio Gold Nashville

November 23

Justin Timberlake/"Drink You Away"/RCA Nashville

December 7

Chris Lane/Fix/Big Loud Records

ALBUMS CALENDAR

November 13

Chris Young/*I'm Comin' Over*/RCA Nashville **Spencer's Own**/*Spencer's Own* [EP]/5 Plus Records

November 27

Johnny Cash/Johnny Cash's Man In Black: Live in Denmark 1971 [RSD:2-LP red and white vinyl]/Columbia-Legacy Recordings

December 4

Johnny Cash/*Johnny Cash*'s Man In Black: Live in Denmark 1971/ Columbia-Legacy Recordings

December 11

Cam/Untamed/Arista Nashville-RCA Records

January 15

Hank Williams Jr./It's About Time/Nash Icon Records Brothers Osborne/Pawn Shop/EMI Nashville Randy Rogers/Nothing Shines Like Neon

WEEKLY CHART DATA

New On The Chart —Debuting This Week

Artist/song/label—chart pos.

Chris Stapleton/Nobody To Blame/Mercury— 49
Florida Georgia Line/Confession/Republic Nashville— 54
Eric Church/Mr. Misunderstood/EMI Nashville— 58
Justin Moore/You Look Like I Need A Drink/Valory— 72
Luke Bryan/Home Alone Tonight/Capitol Nashville— 76
Amber Hayes/A Hero's Heart/AOK Ent.-GMV Nashville— 80

Greatest Spin Increase

 $Artist/song/label-Spin\ Increase$

Chris Stapleton/Nobody To Blame/Mercury—567
Eric Church/Mr. Misunderstood/EMI Nashville—426
Thomas Rhett/Die A Happy Man/Valory— 421
Florida Georgia Line/Confession/Republic Nashville—348
Keith Urban/Break On Me/Capitol Nashville—320

Most Added

Artist/song/label—No. of Adds
Chris Stapleton/Nobody To Blame/Mercury—42
Eric Church/Mr. Misunderstood/EMI Nashville—32
Florida Georgia Line/Confession/Republic Nashville—24
Keith Urban/Break On Me/Capitol Nashville—13
Luke Bryan/Home Alone Tonight/Capitol Nashville—13
Justin Moore/You Look Like I Need A Drink/Valory—9
Maddie & Tae/Shut Up & Fish/Dot Records—9
Toby Keith/Beautiful Stranger/Show Dog Nashville—8
Zac Brown Band/Beautiful Drug/Southern Ground—8

On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

Artist/song/label—No. of Spins

Presley & Taylor/While You Were Gone/SMG Nashville— 276
SaraBeth/Runnin' Outta Lipstick/Circle S Records—274
Broseph E Lee/Fill 'Em On Up— 274
Callie Twisselman/Hung Me On The Line/Sugar Cube Records—231

Holly Spears/Who Said/Girl On A Mission Music, LLC—229

Frozen Playlist— KMKS, KITX

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NO. 1 SONG

Blake Shelton is back in familiar territory as he takes "Gonna" to the top of MusicRow's CountryBreakout Chart this week. It is the third chart-topper for Shelton this year and the fourth straight from his album Bringing Back The Sunshine. The song was also



included in his Reloaded: 20 #1 Hits album that was released last month.

"Gonna" was written by songwriting powerhouses Luke Laird and Craig Wiseman. Laird collects his sixth No. 1 challenge coin after also penning hits for Tim McGraw, Luke Bryan, Eric Church, Kenny Chesney, and more.

Wiseman has done enough hit writing to get himself elected to the Nashville Songwriters Hall Of Fame this year and was also named the NSAI 'Songwriter of the Decade' in 2009.

Shelton continues to be in the spotlight for many reasons. But the focus will remain on the music aspect of his career. He continues to release hit songs and is a star on one of the mostwatched television shows (NBC's The Voice). He will also hit the road in 2016. Special guest will be labelmate **Chris Janson**.

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



Artist Spotlight Homegrown Band Sponsored by: Homegrown Entertainment

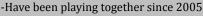
Current Single: "She Loves To Ride"

Written By: Craig Brannon, Jason Cole

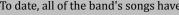
Hometown: Carrollton, Ga.

Artist Facts:

-Met in high school and college in Carrollton, Ga.



-To date, all of the band's songs have been written in-house



Career Accomplishments:

- -Opened for Corey Smith, Andy Griggs, Ashton Shepherd
- -Fourth consecutive year headlining for the National Barrel Horse Association Youth and Open World Championships
- -Played for max capacity at our hometown amphitheater for Summer Song album release party

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Weeks On Chart	Last Wk Position	This Wk Position	Artist/Song/Label	Spins/ Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +-	Last Wk # Spins				
16	2	1	Blake Shelton/Gonna/Warner Bros.	3385/91	6	178	3207				
15	3	2	Jason Aldean/Gonna Know We Were Here/Broken Bow	3176/92	4	134	3042				
11	6	3	Brad Paisley/Country Nation/Arista Nashville	3088/100	6	187	2901				
21	4	4	Dierks Bentley/Riser/Capitol Nashville	3085/97	3	86	2999				
18	5	5	Kelsea Ballerini/Dibs/Black River Ent.	3067/96	3	92	2975				
7	11	6	Thomas Rhett/Die a Happy Man/Valory	2652/98	19	421	2231				
19	8	7	A Thousand Horses/(This Ain't No) Drunk Dial/Republic Nashville	2523/92	5	121	2402				
23	7	8	Billy Currington/Drinking Town With A Football Problem/Mercury	2517/95	3	76	2441				
26	9	9	Randy Houser/We Went/Stoney Creek	2504/94	6	135	2369				
18	12	10	LoCash/I Love This Life/Reviver Records	2420/90	9	204	2216				
24	13	11	Lee Brice/That Don't Sound Like You/Curb	2277/91	4	92	2185				
28	16	12	Dan + Shay/Nothin' Like You/Warner Bros.	2123/60	8	157	1966				
15	15	13	Tyler Farr/Better In Boots/Columbia Nashville	2074/91	5	103	1971				
15	1	14	Tim McGraw/Top Of The World/Big Machine	1941/58	-40	-1273	3214				
20	17	15	Brian Collins/Shine A Little Love/Blue Light Entertainment	1895/82	4	73	1822				
8	19	16	Sam Hunt/Break Up in a Small Town/MCA Nashville	1850/76	7	128	1722				
11	20	17	Mo Pitney/Boy And A Girl Thing/Curb	1806/86	6	105	1701				
16	18	18	Easton Corbin/Yup/Mercury Nashville	1798/86	4	65	1733				
7	21	19	George Strait/Cold Beer Conversation/MCA Nashville	1751/84	9	145	1606				
12	22	20	Little Big Town/Pain Killer/Capitol Nashville	1750/77	9	144	1606				
4	28	21	Keith Urban/Break On Me/Capitol Nashville	1537/88	26	320	1217				
17	25	22	David Nail/Night's On Fire/MCA Nashville	1443/72	6	77	1366				
18	24	23	Bobby Wills/Crazy Enough/Willing Nashville	1420/69	3	44	1376				
7	29	24	Granger Smith/Backroad Song/Pioneer Music	1410/74	19	224	1186				
11	26	25	Brantley Gilbert/Stone Cold Sober/Valory Music	1402/79	10	125	1277				
7	35	26	Zac Brown Band/Beautiful Drug/Southern Ground Artists	1316/67	23	242	1074				
9	27	27	Rascal Flatts/I Like The Sound of That/Big Machine	1299/74	5	60	1239				
21	30	28	Jana Kramer/I Got The Boy/Warner Bros.	1248/57	10	118	1130				
8	34	29	Jon Pardi/Head Over Boots/Capitol Nashville	1208/76	10	109	1099				
19	31	30	Denny Strickland/How Far You Wanna Go/Red Star Productions	1168/53	4	41	1127				
12	33	31	Canaan Smith/Hole In A Bottle/Mercury Nashville	1133/65	3	30	1103				
8	36	32	Michael Ray/Real Men Love Jesus/Warner Bros- WEA	1106/71	7	76	1030				
19	37	33	Keith Walker/Honky Tonk Shake/Motion Entertainment	1053/53	6	62	991				
17	10	34	Jerrod Niemann/Blue Bandana/Sea Gayle-Arista	1033/50	-56	-1289	2322				
17	38	35	Rainey Qualley/Me And Johnny Cash/Cingle	1018/52	9	80	938				
20	39	36	The Cains/Journey's End/GMV Nashville	1016/45	9	87	929				



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Weeks On Chart	Last Wk Position	This Wk Position	Artist/Song/Label	Spins/ Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +-	Last Wk # Spins
14	40	37	Kayla Adams/Burn A Little Colder/SSM	951/55	5	41	910
5	42	38	Eric Paslay/High Class/EMI	875/57	13	102	773
11	41	39	Scotty McCreery/Southern Belle/Mercury Nashville	853/50	8	64	789
6	43	40	Craig Morgan/When I'm Gone/Black River	823/52	9	68	755
6	45	41	Rachael Turner/I Don't Love You/Rustic Records	749/51	9	60	689
40	44	42	Big & Rich/Run Away With You/New Revolution	747/32	3	24	723
11	46	43	James Robert Webb/Makin' Love Tonight/Bison Creek	726/45	6	42	684
12	47	44	Bucky Covington/I Feel Ya/Barefootin Inc	698/42	6	41	657
14	48	45	Mary Fletcher/The Idea Of You/Red & Black Entertainment	682/34	5	34	648
6	50	46	Aaron Watson/Getaway Truck/Big Label-Thirty Tigers	681/54	16	96	585
12	49	47	Levi Riggs/Nothin' I Don't Love/Wind Ridge Records	662/40	3	17	645
4	52	48	Charles Kelley/The Driver/Capitol Nashville	654/47	13	73	581
1	106	49	Chris Stapleton/Nobody To Blame/Mercury	653/50	659	567	86
7	51	50	Joe Nichols/Freaks Like Me/Red Bow	640/43	9	55	585
3	56	51	Maddie & Tae/Shut Up & Fish/Dot Records	576/47	26	119	457
4	55	52	Kip Moore/Running For You/MCA Nashville	569/43	14	72	497
6	54	53	Cassadee Pope/I Am Invincible/Republic Nashville	534/37	5	27	507
1 1	99	54	Florida Georgia Line/Confession/Republic Nashville	483/33	258	348	135
13	57	55	Alexandra Demetree/Outta My Head/SSM Nashville	473/24	4	17	456
5	63	56	William Michael Morgan/I Met A Girl/Warner Bros.	470/29	28	103	367
5	59	57	Dustin Lynch/Mind Reader/Broken Bow	468/33	8	36	432
1 1	159	58	Eric Church/Mr. Misunderstood/EMI Nashville	450/34	1775	426	24
4	62	59	Ashley Gearing/Train Track/Curb Records	436/37	10	41	395
9	61	60	Reba/Until They Don't Love You/NASH Icon	436/24	7	29	407
14	58	61	JB & The Moonshine Band/Shotgun, Rifle, and a .45/	432/24	-2	-11	443
14	60 75	62 63	Soul Circus Cowboys/Gotta Get Me One Of Them/DiamonDisc-Kismet	408/22 407/33	0 40	-1 116	409 291
3		64	Toby Keith/Beautiful Stranger/Show Dog Nashville	407/33			354
2	64 70	65	Lauren Alaina/Next Boyfriend/Mercury Nashville Brett Eldredge/Drunk On Your Love/Warner Bros.	398/29	14 24	48 76	322
10	69	66	Tim Hadler/1 + 1/Yocumtown Records	386/19	17	76 55	331
5	66	67	Sam Austin/Ain't It Good/Plateau Music	369/25	9	30	339
9	68	68	Kayla Calabrese/Give/SMG Records Nashville	367/24	9	31	336
5	67	69	Allie Louise/Perfect Storm/Sixth Beat Productions	360/23	7	22	338
15	65	70	Lucy Angel/Crazy Too/New Revolution-G Force Entertainment	356/21	4	15	341
3	71	71	Chris Janson/Power Of Positive Drinkin'/Warner Bros.	351/30	11	35	316
1 1	83	72	Justin Moore/You Look Like I Need A Drink/Valory	342/30	51	116	226
4	74	73	Stephanie Quayle/That's What I'm Talking About/Rebel Engine	339/25	15	43	296
9	72	74	Blair Mathews/Ride/StoneyHill Records	337/23	8	24	307
5	73	75	Leslie Cours Mather/Hell Hath No Fury/LionEyes Records	321/24	8	24	297
1 1	141	76	Luke Bryan/Home Alone Tonight/Capitol Nashville	319/15	897	287	32
7	76	77	Hoyt Hughes Band/Stomp On/Blue Bolt	298/17	2	7	291
2	78	78	Dallas Smith/Kids With Cars/Blaster Records	295/23	14	37	258
21	23	79	Clare Dunn/Move On/MCA	295/20	-80	-1188	1483
1	81	80	Amber Hayes/A Hero's Heart/AOK Entertainment-GMV Nashville	288/17	20	48	240



