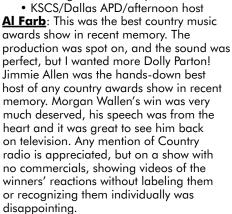
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ACM Awards Reactions

After two years away, the **57th ACM Awards** made a return to Las Vegas last Monday (3/7) with two key differences – a relocation to Allegiant Stadium and a broadcast made available only via Amazon Prime streaming. Country Aircheck asked

radio pros in attendance and watching at home to weigh in on the experience.







 WNCY/Green Bay-Appleton, WI MD/ morning co-host **Charli McKenzie**: We learned you can do awards shows in two hours! I was a little shocked the Academy didn't give "Buy Dirt" one of the Song or Single of the Year awards, and I also felt Chris Young got robbed. I was also a little upset with the way TJ [Osborne] handled his acceptance speech. We had listeners calling

and chewing us out, even after we had played

[the Brothers Osborne single] 1,300 times!



But, this is the most I have enjoyed the ACM Awards in a long time. KRTY/San Jose GM <u>Nate Deaton</u>: My wife and I were in Allegiant, and it was the absolute worst in-person experience ever.

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Bee Haw: WBYT/South Bend, IN's Keith Moody, Jesse Garcia, Deb Miles, Liz Goshert, Brittney Baily and Zach **Miller** (I-r) raise a station record of \$321,425 for St. Jude.

Seen & Heard: ACMs Quotebook

As heard on the virtual red carpet and inside the virtual press room during the 57th ACM Awards:

"I feel like LeBron James here right now in this press conference!" -New Male Artist of the Year Parker McCollum

That comment was made in jest. It's not completely wrong, but that was made in fun, in the moment. Some people in radio have been really, really great to us. Not entirely, and that's okay, so we keep pushing and try to persevere. What has kept us going for the past eight years are these [awards]. It has kept wind in our sails ... what it does for us as

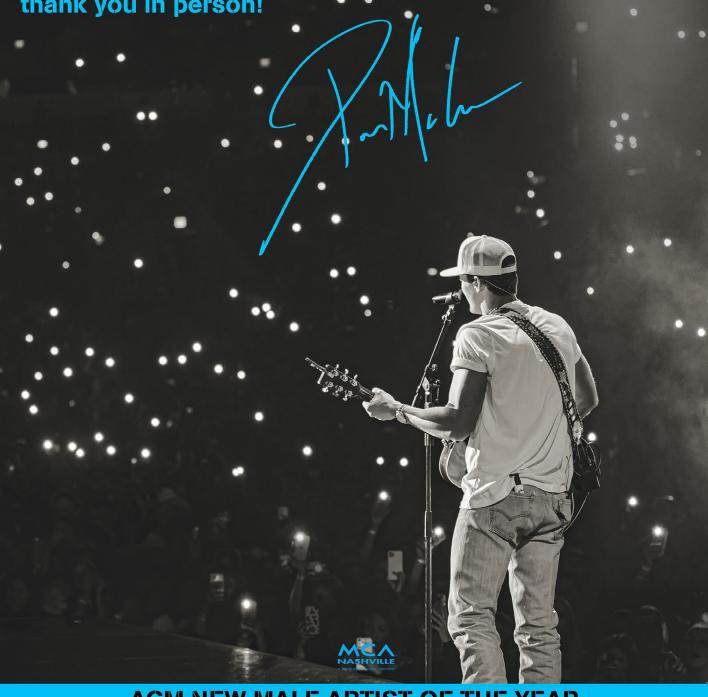


people that are constantly fighting what we feel like is an uphill battle ... is a lot bigger than what I think people actually know." –

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THANK YOU, COUNTRY RADIO, for giving me and my team a second #1 with "To Be Loved By You." You have changed my life, and I am so grateful for your continuing support of my music. I can't wait to thank you in person!



ACM NEW MALE ARTIST OF THE YEAR



RECORD

Off The Record with Records' Erin Kinsey: I learned just how much I love to perform live during the pandemic. I've always loved to write songs and — luckily, thanks to Zoom — could still have plenty of writing sessions. But man, I missed shows with live crowds.

The radio station I listened to growing up was [KPLX/Dallas]. It was (and still is) my hometown Country station, and it truly was the place I fell in love with country music. Probably where I fell in love with music in general.



ERIN KINSEY

The first time I heard myself on the

radio was this past fall on [SiriusXM] The Highway's On The Horizon. The last several years, I've listened to a mixture of FM, XM and my own playlists, and my go-to XM station is The Highway. It was surreal to hear a song of mine on a show I have heard so many of my inspirations on. Also, to hear Buzz Brainard introduce my song was crazy!

"Just Drive" is my first radio single, and even though it's a driving summer song, it couldn't be more personal to my story. I absolutely love Paramore, and I have driven a white Toyota 4Runner since I got my license. The mixture of fun country lyrics with big electric guitars and drums helps me connect with fun parts of my artistry like playing the electric guitar in my live show and a throwback to when I was in drumline in high school. I wrote the song with two amazing guys that haven't had a single taken to Country radio yet either, so we're all just so excited for the world to hear our song!

One of my favorite songs of all time is "The House That Built Me" by Miranda Lambert and written by Tom Douglas and Allen Shamblin. It was the first song to make me cry, because I could truly see every word they wrote like a movie in my head. That kind of detail in the lyrics is what I strive for in my own writing.

My favorite song at Country radio right now is probably "'Til You Can't" by Cody Johnson. There are so many fun songs in country music, and a lot of songs that are there for you on your bad days, but this song is one I try to listen to as much as possible because of the important sentiment behind it. Even though it's a deeper topic, it's still one I can't

My current binge show is — you're gonna laugh — Master Chef. I love hearing all the contestants' stories and how they use the same ingredients a million different ways. Also, Gordon Ramsey is so funny.

In 2022, you can expect more music, more shows and plenty more pictures of my German Shepherd Chewy on Instagram. I can't believe a song of mine will be out on Country radio! It's been such a bucket list moment for me, and I feel so lucky I get to cross it off.

Brothers Osborne's John Osborne regarding brother **TJ**'s acceptance speech mentioning their single being pulled from radio.

"So many amazing women are in our format right now, and I'm just proud to be a part of it ... it feels so good to see people I admire and people that I've championed win." -Carly Pearce

"My prayer from the beginning has been for people to love me and love my heart, and then love my music. That's the way I feel right now.' –Lainey Wilson

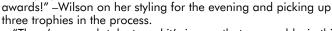
"It started with [Florida Georgia Line] - RIP!" -Songwriter of the Year **Hardy** on who has championed him as a songwriter.

"Jimmie Allen, if you see him tonight, he looks like the ghetto Tin Man from The Wizard Of Oz! He's sharp, though. I love his music, I love his energy, [and] I love his whole essence." -Presenter Guy Torry

"This is my home-away-from home with our residency not too far from here, so I feel like I've gotten a taste for Vegas showmanship, and it's so much fun!" - Carrie Underwood on her grand entrance descending from the ceiling.

"It doesn't change anything. Strike while the iron's hot. This [Songwriter of the Year award] is amazing, and it's a huge milestone, but there is a grind embedded in pretty much every hit songwriter's brain, and it's 'never stop.' We'll be 80 years old and still write a song every day or every other day." –Hardy

"For me, it depends on the song and what voice I hear. I love working with all of them and with other artists in general ... so I'm definitely down to do it again." -Jason Aldean on continuing his track record of success with male-female duets. "The bigger the better, you know what I'm saying?! About the hair and the



'There's so much talent, and it's insane that we would win this thing five years in a row. We're still ready for people to be like, 'Okay, you're done.' But we're going to keep pushing until that happens." -Old Dominion's Matt Ramsey on winning Group.

"I chose to sing 'Pretty Heart,' because the ACMs told me that I had to sing 'Pretty Heart.' I wanted to sing 'To Be Loved By You' just because it's rockin' and has big energy, but it's an honor to

Brothers Osbo



Jason Aldean

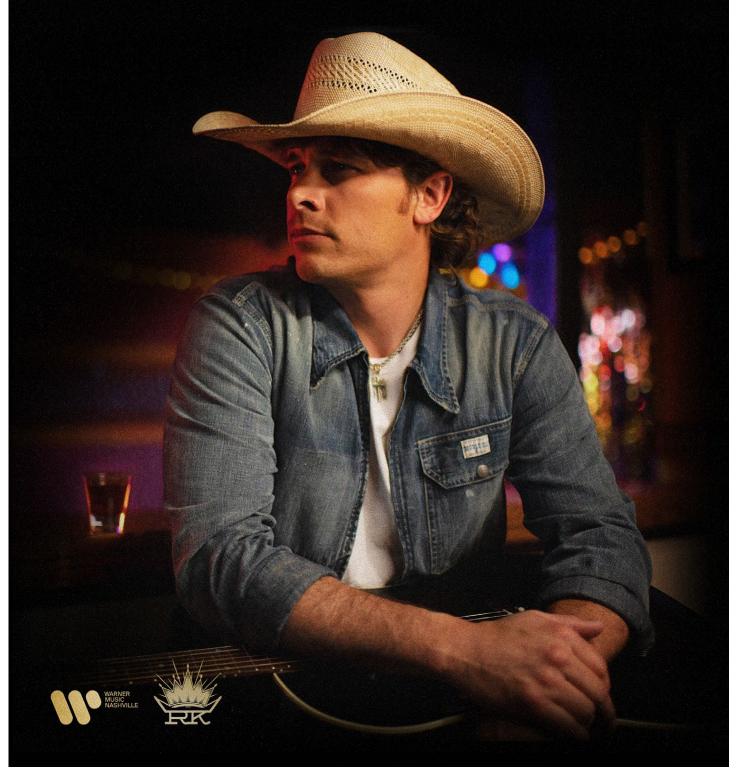
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sing 'Pretty Heart' and to sing at the ACMs at all." -McCollum on his song selection process.

'They had a great one this past time ... but if you could get a whole bunch of country stars, past and present, I think that would be awesome. If [NFL Commissioner Roger] Goodell is listening, I think that's the route we should go." –Las Vegas Raiders Quarterback and ACM Awards presenter Derek Carr on whether he thinks the NFL should have a country music themed Super Bowl Halftime Show.

"This sounds terrible, but I think I might be putting my new ACM trophy next to my dog, Puddin, on the mantel." –New Female Artist of the Year Wilson -Monta Vaden

Chart Chat

Congratulations to Parker McCollum, Royce Risser, Katie Dean, David Friedman, Chris Schuler and the MCA promotion team on landing McCollum's second No. 1 with "To Be Loved By You." Songwriters are **Rhett Akins** and McCollum. With fellow Texan Cody Johnson landing at No. 2 this week, this is the first time Texas acts have held the top two positions since the week



of Jan. 26, 2001 when Lonestar's "Tell Her" was No. 2 and The Chicks held the top spot with "Without You."

This week sees a chart first as "Never Wanted To Be That Girl" by Carly Pearce & Ashley McBryde moves into the top 10. With "Drunk (And I Don't Wanna Go Home)" by Elle King & Miranda **Lambert** at No. 4, this is the first time there has ever been two female/female duets in the top 10 simultaneously.

Kudos to Adrian Michaels and the Stoney Creek crew on racking up 63 adds for Jimmie Allen's "Down Home." It becomes Allen's largest ever add date, surpassing the 55 adds "Make Me Want To" scored the week of Jan. 28, 2019.

News & Notes

East Arkansas Broadcasters Owner/CEO Bobby Caldwell has been appointed to the **National Association of Broadcasters** (NAB) Board of Directors by Radio Board Chair Bill Wilson. He fills the seat previously held by **Bradford Caldwell**, who recently joined the NAB as VP/Member Experience.

CBS-TV is now casting die-hard Kelsea Ballerini fans age 18 and older from across the U.S. for an upcoming project. Information here.

LoCash, Breland, Robyn Ottolini, Lainey Wilson, Danielle Bradbery and Lindsay Ell are among the first round of guest

artists stepping into the role of Bailey Stone during the world premiere engagement of May We All: A New Country Musical at Nashville's Tennessee Performing Arts Center June 7-July 17. Dates, details and tickets here.

CoJo/Warner/WMN's Cody Johnson will join Zac Brown **Band** on two shows this summer during the group's Out In The Middle Tour. Johnson has been added to the July 15 (Boston) and Aug. 18 (New York City) shows.

A new duets collection, Gershwin Country, is available now with a portion of all proceeds benefiting **MusiCares**. The reimagining of classic songs from George and Ira Gershwin's catalog includes cuts from Dolly Parton, Alison Krauss, Brad Paisley and Rosanne Cash. More here.

Broken Bow's Craig Morgan has partnered with AriensCo to represent the **Gravely** commercial lawn mower brand, as well as Ariens, its residential snow and lawn mower brand. Also, Blackstone Publishing will release his memoir God, Family, Country Sept. 27. Pre-order here.

Lance Carpenter, Angie K, Brinley Addington, Wynn **Varble**, **Hailey Steele** and more will perform during the four-day inaugural Treasure Coast Songwriter Festival May 19-22 in Martin County, FL. The festival is presented by BMI and iHeartMedia WAVW/Ft. Pierce, FL.

Miranda Lambert's MuttNation Foundation and Tractor Supply Company donated more than \$250,000 to animal shelters, with \$5000 going to a shelter or rescue in each state plus Washington, DC. Full details here.

The Recording Academy Sr. Advisor/Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Ryan Butler has been appointed VP/Diversity, Equity & Inclusion.

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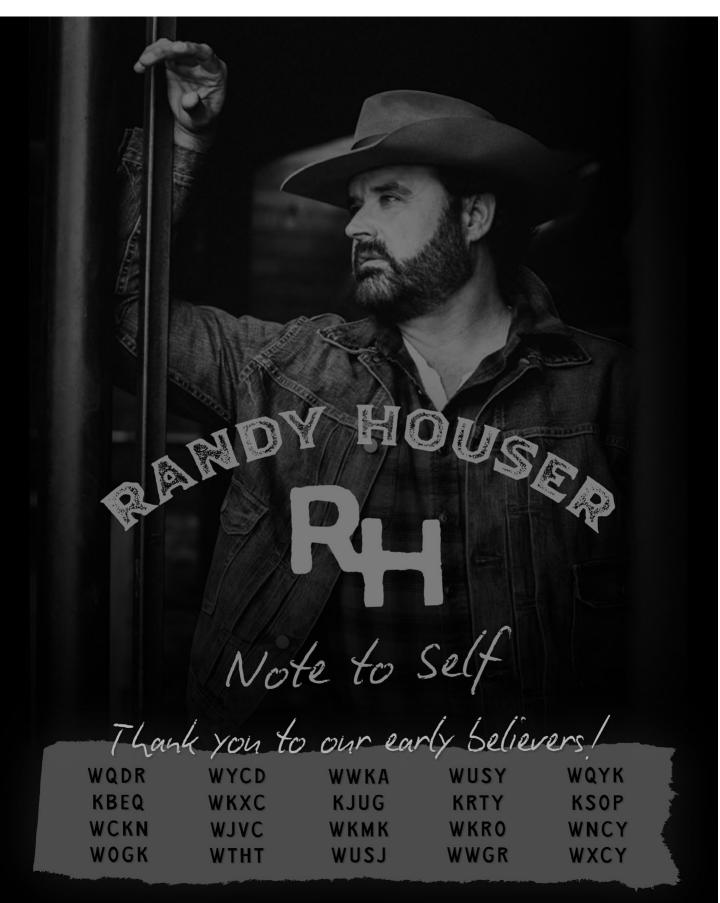
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The stage at the back of the stadium meant performances were unwatchable [from the floor]. The show was well-paced and featured mostly excellent performances from artists who sound like Country radio does today, but where was Old Dominion? This is going to be controversial, but does anyone beside the [radio winners] and their listeners really care if they're acknowledged? [Winners should be making] a big deal about it in their own

 WGKX/Memphis APD/MD/midday personality <u>Kay Manley</u>: Almost everyone thanked Country radio, unlike at the CMA Awards, but the Academy's acknowledgement of radio left something to be desired. The show looked great from my recliner! The sound was spotty at times, but there was tons of music,

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and I liked that more artists were given an opportunity to perform. I was thrilled to see Lainey Wilson win for Song. The setting was too big, and it took too long for winners to get to the stage, but overall, I liked it.

- Silverfish Pres. and Big D & Bubba Exec. Prod./co-host **Patrick Thomas**: The sound was great, but I was disappointed in some of the production elements. When the general public is making comments on social media about how empty the stadium looks, that is a problem. I also wish it hadn't been scheduled as the same time as the C2C so we could have had Miranda [Lambert], Luke [Combs] and Darius [Rucker]. Morgan Wallen's speech was humble, honest and thoughtful ... and he was dressed exactly like the Prince from Beauty And The Beast! This was definitely the best in a while.
- Westwood One VP/GM Network Formats **George King**: I thoroughly enjoyed the non-stop entertainment. The production, and especially the sound, was incredible! Breland with Thomas Rhett was one of my favorite performances, Gabby Barrett's "I Hope You Dance" gave me chills and Carly Pearce with Ashley McBryde was acoustically amazing. Album of the Year went to who it was supposed to, but I must've blinked and missed the acknowledgement of the radio winners by the ACM. If Prime can reproduce that quality, it doesn't matter where they do the show.
- WXTU/Philadelphia afternoon personality **Nicole Michalik**: I was curious how it would differ not being on network television, but it felt the same. Breland with Thomas Rhett was my favorite, the hosts were great together and the stadium looked pretty good. I was surprised to see Miranda Lambert win Entertainer. I was

obviously happy to see a woman win but thought it was going to be Luke Combs. This was up there as one of the best awards shows. How can you not love no commercials?!

• WXCY/Wilmington, DE PD/MD/morning host **Tyler Daniel**: I was in the stadium but didn't like the experience. Having a seat close to the front only to find out a majority of the performances were going to be in the upper deck was a bit foolish. I was surprised by Miranda winning Entertainer – did she have any sort

of tour last year? – and the face of the format, Luke Combs, was [absent]. Overall, the show was "meh" for me, and it ranks pretty low among recent years.

- WGAR/Cleveland PD/morning host **Carletta Blake**: It was well produced, and I enjoyed the shorter format ... especially since I do mornings! Doing awards back-to-back was enjoyable. Kelly Clarkson, Walker Hayes and Breland all had stand-out performances, and the fireworks going off behind Thomas Rhett during "Slow Down Summer" were aesthetically pleasing. Jimmie Allen is a star, and I vote he gets to host everything! There were a couple hiccups, but for a first show, I was happy.
- WUBE/Cincinnati APD/afternoon personality **Jesse Tack**: Seeing production workers in shots was distracting. I was excited to see Walker Hayes, but it was odd seeing fans walking directly behind and in front of him while he was singing. The hosts did well, yet I find myself partial to having a single host for cohesion. The stadium was too large to accommodate a tightly produced broadcast. [Most viewers] probably don't care about radio winners, but the love you give radio people can go a long way. I liked the shorter run-time, and I love how the party theme separates ACMs from the CMAs. Overall, it was average, but I applaud the thought and creativity that went into many of the decisions.
- Nights With Elaina host **Elaina Smith**: I was excited about the fast pace. While they're always fun, awards shows can feel tedious during commercials. I cried during Kelly Clarkson's performance, Carrie Underwood coming down from the ceiling literally took my breath away, and I couldn't not dance during

Breland's performance. I liked the enormity of the stadium and loved the multiple stages instead of remote performances, as it gave a different vibe and cool visual. This was my favorite ACM Awards yet. Being back in person was incredible, the team was top notch, the red carpet was a next-level production, the host was a living legend and my date was hot! I am just so grateful for the entire experience. Next year, let's just make sure it isn't immediately following CRS.

—Monta Vaden CAC









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MIDWEST

Summit **KFDI/Wichita** OM **Justin Case** is searching for a morning co-host. See the complete posting <u>here</u>; send résumés and airchecks to Case <u>here</u>.

Alpha KZEN/Columbus, NE Dir./Content David Gustafson is seeking a morning host. See the complete job description and apply here; reach Gustafson here.

description and apply here; reach Gustafson here. Midwest/Peoria, IL VP/MM Mike Wild is looking and an OM for the cluster that includes Country WXCL. See the complete job description here; send résumés, cover letters and airchecks to Wild here.

Townsquare **KOEL/Waterloo**, **IA** Dir./Content **Johnny Marks** is searching for a Brand Mgr./morning host. See the complete job description and apply <u>here</u>; send résumés and airchecks to Marks <u>here</u>.

Zimmer **KATI/Jefferson City, MO** OM **Jeremy**

Zimmer KATI/Jefferson City, MO OM Jeremy Washington is seeking a PD/morning co-host. Send résumés, social media samples and airchecks to him here.

Townsquare SVP/Content & Programming Kurt Johnson is looking for a Dir./Content for the Lansing, MI cluster that includes Country WITL. Send résumés and airchecks <u>here</u>.

Cumulus/Bloomington, IL VP/MM Paula Williams is looking for an OM for the five-station cluster and PD for Country WBWN & Classic Country WBBC. Complete job description and application here.

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Cumulus **WDRQ/Detroit** PD **David Corey** is seeking a midday personality. Send résumés and airchecks to him <u>here</u>.

Ingstad/Thief River Falls, MN VP/Broadcasting
Jake Weber is looking for a GM to oversee the cluster that
includes Country KKDQ & Classic Country KKAQ-AM.
Send résumés and cover letters to Weber here.
Alpha/Dayton, OH is seeking a MM/DOS for the

Alpha/Dayton, OH is seeking a MM/DOS for the cluster that includes Classic Country **WCLI**. Complete job description and application <u>here</u>.

Alpha/Mankato, MN MM Shannon Magers is looking for a Dir./Content for Country KYSM. Complete job description and application here.
Townsquare WITL/Lansing, MI is searching for an

Townsquare **WITL/Lansing**, **MI** is searching for an Asst. Brand Mgr./morning host to succeed **Cadillac Jack**. Complete job description and application here.

NRG WYTE/Wausau, WI GM Aleese Fielder is looking to add a morning co-host to join Brand Mgr./ morning personality Larry "Big Red" Wnorrowski. See complete job description and application here.

Townsquare KUSB/Bismarck, ND Brand Mgr. Rick

Townsquare **KUSB/Bismarck**, **ND** Brand Mgr. **Rick Acker** is seeking a talent to join the on-air team for a newly created future opening. Send résumés and airchecks <u>here</u>.

Saga Group PD Scott Chase is searching for a PD/morning host for Country WIXY/Champaign, IL. Send résumés and airchecks to him here.

NORTHEAST

Audacy/Rochester, NY VP/GM **Sue Munn** is looking for an OM for the five-station cluster that includes Country **WBEE**. Complete job description and application here.

Townsquare/Atlantic City, NJ Dir./Content Joe Kelly is on the hunt for an Asst. Dir./Digital & Radio Content to join the cluster that includes Country WPUR. Complete job description and application here. Townsquare WFRG/Utica, NY Market Pres. Karen

Townsquare **WFRG/Utica**, **NY** Market Pres. **Karen Carey** is seeking a Brand Mgr./Digital Content Leader.
Complete job description and application <u>here</u>; send
résumés and airchecks <u>here</u>.

Connoisseur **WFRE/Frederick**, **MD** PD **Andy Webb** is searching for an APD/midday personality who is also a skilled social media and digital media content creator. Send résumés and airchecks to Webb here.

résumés and airchecks to Webb <u>here</u>. **Forever/Ocean City, MD** MM **Mark Schollenberger** is looking for a morning personality to join Country **WCHK**. Send résumés and airchecks to him <u>here</u>.

VerStandig **WAYZ/Hagerstown, MD** APD/MD **Dan** "**Tiny" Michaels** is searching for a prime-time on-air personality. Send résumés and airchecks to him <u>here</u>.

SOUTHEAST

Summit/Louisville OM **Cagle** is seeking a full-time midday personality with at least two years of on-air experience to join Country **WQNU**; PPM experience is a plus. Send résumés and airchecks to Cagle <u>here</u>.

Mel Wheeler **WSLC/Roanoke, VA** Dir./HR **Cheryl Skinner** is looking for a midday personality. Send résumés and airchecks to her <u>here</u>.

Gulf South **WTVY/Dothan, AL** GM **Bryan Holladay** is seeking an OM/PD/morning co-host who can also handle

PD duties for Top 40 sister WKMX. Send résumés and airchecks <u>here</u>.

Townsquare **KMDL/Lafayette, LA** PD **Jude Walker** is searching for a midday personality. Complete job description and application <u>here</u>.

iHeartMedia **WUBL/Atlanta** SVP/Programming **Meg Stevens** is "looking for future stars" to join for mornings.
Complete job posting and application <u>here</u>.

Cumulus **WIVK/Knoxville** PD **Rich Bailey** is seeking a midday personality. Complete job description and application <u>here</u>; reach Bailey <u>here</u>.

Saga Group PD Scott Chase is looking for a morning host to join WCVL/Charlottesville, VA. Complete job posting here; send résumés and airchecks to Chase here.

Saga Classic Country **WSIG/Harrisonburg**, **VA** OM/PD **Paul "Uncle Pauly" McDaniel** is searching for a morning co-host. Send résumés and airchecks to him <u>here</u>.

McDaniel is also seeking his own replacement as WSIG/Harrisonburg, VA PD following his move to the Charlottesville, VA market. Send résumés and airchecks to him here.

ADX WYCT/Pensacola PD Brent Lane is looking for a midday personality. See the complete job description here; send résumés, social media samples and airchecks to Lane here.

iHeartMedia EVP/Country Programming Strategy Rod Phillips and RSVP/Programming, Virginia-Carolina Region Chadwick "AJ" Hausknecht are seeking a PD/midday personality for Country WNCB/Raleigh to succeed Carson Blackley. Send résumés and airchecks to Phillips here and Hausknecht here.

Summit/Birmingham Chief of Staff Kori White is looking for an APD/MD/afternoon personality for Country WZZK. Complete job posting here; send résumés and airchecks here.

iHeartMedia/Arkansas-Texas SVPP Dave Ashcraft is searching for an APD to join Country KKIX/Fayetteville, AR. Candidates will also handle promotional duties for the cluster and a TBD airshift. Complete job posting and application here.

Cumulus/Huntsville, AL VP/MM John Lewis and OM Steve Smith are seeking a Dir./Promotions & Marketing for the six-station cluster that includes Country WWFF. Complete job description and application here.

Forever **WOGY/Jackson, TN** EVP **Jared Mims** is searching for a morning co-host who will also write and produce newscasts each morning. Send résumés and airchecks to him here.

Stephens Country KLAA & Classic Country KBBK/ Alexandria, LA SVPP Bob Thornton is looking for an experienced PD/on-air talent to join the cluster. Send résumés, references and airchecks to him here.

South Georgia Broadcasters **WBYZ/Baxley**, **GA** PD **Caleb Karnoutsos** is seeking a morning host to succeed the retiring **Alan DuPriest**. Send résumés, cover letters and airchecks to Karnoutsos <u>here</u>.

Consultancy **RWPC** Pres. **JJ Jobe** has a client at a small market cluster in the South looking for "an innovative, hardworking, hands on, trustworthy" GM. Send résumés and references here.

Curtis/Lenoir, NC OM **Dave Thomas** is looking for an Asst. OM & Country **WKVS** midday personality. Send résumés and airchecks to him <u>here.</u>

W&B/Elizabethtown, KY GM **René Bell** is seeking an on-air personality to do live mornings on Classic Hits WAKY and track middays on Country **WLVK**. Send résumés, salary requirements and airchecks to her <u>here.</u>

Saga WVVR/Clarksville, TN PD Mike Sanders is looking for a morning host to join incumbent Mandi Michaels. Send résumés, social media links and airchecks to Sanders here.

iHeartMedia/Alabama Area SVPP Tom Hanrahan is searching for a Dir./Regional Marketing & Promotions for the Birmingham, Huntsville, Montgomery and Tuscaloosa markets. See the complete job description and apply here.

SOUTHWEST

Cumulus VP/Country Charlie Cook is looking for a PD/midday personality for KAYD/Beaumont, TX. See the complete job description and apply <u>here</u>. Alpha/Amarillo, TX MM Cal Hall is seeking a

Alpha/Amarillo, TX MM Cal Hall is seeking a Content Dir./Brand Mgr. for the cluster that includes Country KGNC. Complete job description and application here.

Cumulus **KSCS/Dallas** PD **Mike Preston** is looking to add a morning show producer to join *Hawkeye In The Morning* alongside **Mark "Hawkeye" Louis** and **Michelle Rodriguez**. Complete job description and apply <u>here</u>.

Townsquare/Midland-Odessa, TX Dir./Content Robb Rose is seeking his own successor as he steps down to handle Brand Mgr./on-air duties for Country KNFM. See the complete job description and application here.

Cox/Houston VP/GM Keith Lawless is searching for an OM to lead the cluster that includes Country KKBQ. Complete job description and application here.

iHeartMedia **KHUD/Tucson** SVPP **Nick Bruns** is looking for a midday host who can also handle afternoons on Top 40 sister KRQQ. See the complete job description and apply <u>here</u>.

WEST COAST

Cumulus **KBUL/Reno**, **NV** PD/morning host **Bob Richards** is seeking a full-time morning co-host to join *The* Moo Crew. Complete job description <u>here</u>; send résumés and airchecks to Richards <u>here</u>.

Cumulus KATM/Modesto, CA PD Andy Winford is looking for a third-mic morning co-host to join DJ Walker and Jaimee Lee. See complete job description and apply here.

Townsquare **KAWO/Boise** Brand Mgr. **Chris Pickett** is searching for a live midday personality. Job description and application here.

Bicoastal/Centralia, WA OM/Sports Dir. & Country WMNT afternoon personality Ryan Trotter is heading up the search for his own successor. Send résumés and airchecks to him here.

AGM Regional Mgr. **Rich Watson** is looking for a PD/ morning host for Country **KSNI/Santa Maria**, **CA**. See the complete job posting <u>here</u>; send résumés, social links and airchecks <u>here</u>.

Riverbend KTHK/Idaho Falls, ID Group PD Viktor Wilt is looking to add a PD/on-air talent to handle Country duties. See the complete job description here; send résumés, social media links and airchecks here.

OTHER

Townsquare Country Format Lead **Doug Montgomery** has immediate openings for PDs and morning talent. Send résumés and airchecks to him <u>here</u>.

iHeartMedia EVP/Country Programming Strategy **Rod Phillips** has current openings for "great PDs in various size markets." Send résumés and airchecks to him <u>here</u>.

Pandora is adding a Dir./Country Programming to manage the programming and curation of country music destinations on the platform. See the complete job description and apply <u>here</u>.

Townsquare Country Format Lead **Doug Montgomery** is searching for an Exec. Prod./Content
Prod./on-air talent to join nationally syndicated *Taste Of*Country Nights. Complete job description and application
here.

Midwest VP/Programming Jeff McCarthy is currently recruiting future air talent and managers. Interested candidates can send résumés, programming materials and airchecks here.

BBR Music Group has two current openings for Nashville-based staff: Dir./Streaming and Dir./Digital Marketing. Complete job descriptions and applications here and here, respectively.

Riser House SVP/Promotion Bob Reeves is looking for a person with Country radio promotion experience – multi-regional experience is a bonus – to join the label's expanding team. Send résumés to him here.

ALSAC Sr. Talent Acquisition Specialist Lisa Kerr is searching for a Sr. Dir./Music & Audio Engagement to join the fundraising and awareness organization for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. See a complete job description and apply here.

A Top 50 market Dir./Programming is currently searching for an on-air talent with APD/MD experience. Interested candidates can send résumés and airchecks here.

OH Creative owner **Olivia Hanceri** is looking to add a publicist with three-to-five years of experience to her growing team. See the complete job description <u>here</u>; send résumés to Hanceri here.





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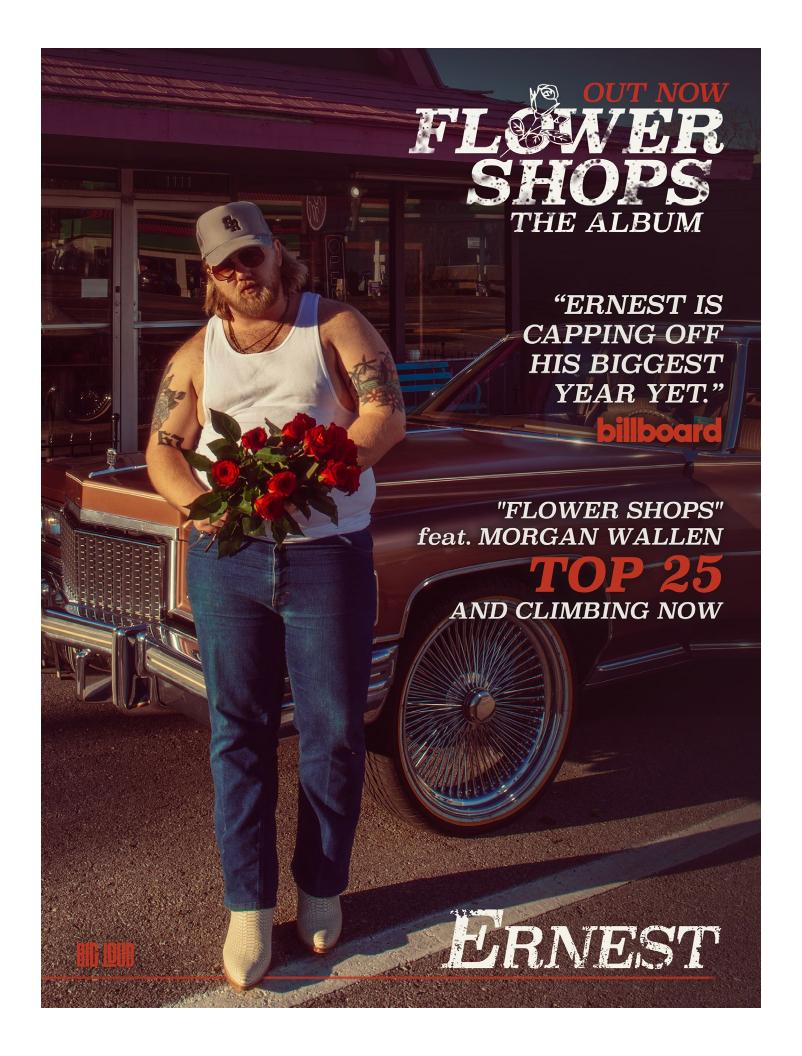
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SCOREBOARD

January 2022 CDM Scoreboard

Here are January 2022 (three-month rolling average, 10/4/21-2/2/22)

Nielsen Audio Continuous Diary

Measurement (CDM) ratings results listed alphabetically by market. Total shares among subscribers in CDM markets on a same-station basis were up 1% month-to-month from 401.5 to 405.3. The

number of stations leading their markets rose from 8 to 11. **WUSY/Chattanooga** claimed the format's largest share with its best showing in a year. Ranks (in parenthesis) are among subscribers. A "+" indicates a Classic Country outlet; a "t" indicates a tie.

JAN CDM TOP TEN SHARE 101 DEC JAN 11.2 4t WUSY/Chattanooga 10.9 2 WIVK/Knoxville WRNS/Greenville, NC 10.2 4t 9.3 6 KUZZ/Bakersfield 3 4t WDRM/Huntsville, AL 9.3 4t WHKO/Dayton 9.1 WBEE/Rochester 8.4 7t 8 KXKT/Omaha 8.2 WCTO/Allentown 8.0 WBCT/Grand Rapids 8.0 9t

Station/City	Dec 2021 CDM Share	Dec 2021 CDM Rank	Jan 2022 CDM Share	Jan 2022 CDM Rank		Dec 2021 DM Share	Dec 2021 CDM Rank	Jan 2022 CDM Share	Jan 2022 CDM Rank
WQMX/Akron, OH	6.1	1	5.3	3	WUSJ/Jackson, MS	3.8	6	3.7	6
WGAR/Akdron, OH (Cleveland)	3.0	11t	*	*	WHJT/Jackson, MS +	1.8	10	1.6	10
WQXK/Akron, OH (Youngstown)	0.8	20	0.3	14	WIVK/Knoxville, TN	10.3	1	10.9	1
WGNA/Albany, NY	5.4	3	5.6	1	WCYQ/Knoxville, TN	3.8	7	4.2	5
WKLI/Albany, NY	2.6	13t	2.3	11	WDKW/Knoxville, TN +	2.3	12t	2.4	10
WKBE/Albany, NY +	0.4	26	0.5	19t	WMYL/Knoxville, TN	1.8	14	1.5	13
KRST/Albuquerque, NM	4.8	7	3.3	10	KSSN/Little Rock, AR	5.3	8	5.2	8
KBQI/Albuquerque, NM	3.5	11	4.0	6t	KMJX/Little Rock, AR +	5.6	6t	5.8	5t
KBQI-HD2/Albuquerque, NM +	2.4	15t	2.4	13t	WAMZ/Louisville, KY	5.9	3	5.4	4
WCTO/Allentown, PA	6.8	3	8.0	2	WQNU/Louisville, KY	2.7	13	3.0	11
KUZZ/Bakersfield, CA	8.6	1	9.3	1t	WMAD/Madison, WI	4.6	6	4.8	4
KRJK/Bakersfield, CA	1.2	17t	0.9	19t	WWQM/Madison, WI	2.5	11t	*	*
KCWR/Bakersfield, CA +	1.3	14t	1.9	13t	WKSJ/Mobile, AL	5.6	4	5.4	5
WYNK/Baton Rouge, LA	4.1	5	4.3	6	WXBM/Mobile, AL	2.1	12	2.4	9
WZZK/Birmingham, AL	6.3	4	5.8	5	KTOM/Monterey, CA	3.7	5	3.5	6t
WDXB/Birmingham, AL	4.6	7	4.9	7	WNOE/New Orleans, LA	4.5	6	4.9	5
WYRK/Buffalo, NY	7.3	3t	7.4	3	WRKN/New Orleans, LA	0.6	19t	0.5	15
WLKK/Buffalo, NY	1.2	15	1.5	15	KJKE/Oklahoma City+	3.6	8	3.8	7
WCKN/Charleston, SC	4.9	3t	4.6	4t	KTST/Oklahoma City, OK	5.3	3	5.3	4
WEZL/Charleston, SC	4.4	7	4.6	4t	KXXY/Oklahoma City, OK +	3.4	9	3.1	9
WUSY/Chattanooga, TN	9.0	2	11.2	1	KNAH/Oklahoma City, OK +	1.6	16t	*	*
WUUQ/Chattanooga, TN +	4.0	5t	3.0	6	KXKT/Omaha, NE	8.2	1	8.2	1
WOGT/Chattanooga, TN	1.2	12	1.1	12	KFFF/Omaha, NE +	2.4	14t	2.5	12t
KCCY/Colorado Springs, CO	5.1	5	5.5	3	WKHK/Richmond, VA	7.4	2	7.6	2
KATC/Colorado Springs, CO	4.5	8t	4.0	10	WRXL-HD2/Richmond, VA	1.2	14	1.2	14
WCOS/Columbia, SC	6.6	2	7.0	2	WBEE/Rochester, NY	8.1	2	8.4	2
WUDE/Columbia, SC	2.2	15	2.6	12	WDVI/Rochester, NY	2.6	8	3.0	7t
WHKO/Dayton, OH	9.0	1	9.1	1	WNBL/Rochester, NY	0.3	21	0.2	15
WCLI/Dayton, OH +	2.0	12	2.1	9t	KXLY/Spokane, WA	4.7	5	5.2	4
WZDA/Dayton, OH	*	*	1.8	12	KDRK/Spokane, WA	3.3	11t	3.8	7t
KHKI/Des Moines, IA	6.3	3	6.1	4	KICR/Spokane, WA	2.3	14t	2.2	13t
KJJY/Des Moines, IA	3.7	9t	4.4	6	KISC-HD2/Spokane, WA	1.2	21t	0.6	20t
KXNO-HD2/Des Moines, IA	0.3	21t	0.2	27t	WRNX/Springfield, MA	4.2	5t	3.1	6
KHEY/El Paso, TX	5.4	5	5.2	6	WWYZ/Springfield, MA (Hartford)	0.9	14t	*	*
KSKS/Fresno, CA	3.9	5t	4.4	4	WHLL-AM/Springfield, MA	0.4	22t	0.4	13t
KHGE/Fresno, CA	2.3	14	2.7	12	WBBS/Syracuse, NY	6.8	2	7.4	1
WWGR/Ft. Myers, FL	4.1	5t	3.9	4	WOLF/Syracuse, NY	4.0	8	3.3	7t
WCKT/Ft. Myers, FL	2.3	12t	2.2	12	WFRG/Syracuse, NY (Utica, NY)	1.9	12	*	*
WHEL/Ft. Myers, FL	1.9	15	2.1	13t	WKKO/Toledo, OH	8.2	2	7.9	2
WBCT/Grand Rapids, MI	7.6	1	8.0	1	WCKY/Toledo, OH +	0.6	12t	0.8	13
WTNR/Grand Rapids, MI	1.5	17	1.8	14t	WMIM/Toledo, OH	0.6	12t	1.0	12
WRNS/Greenville, NC	11.6	2	10.2	1	KIIM/Tucson, AZ	6.9	2	6.6	2
WSSL/Greenville, SC	5.4	3	5.6	4	KHUD/Tucson, AZ	3.5	10t	3.9	9
WESC/Greenville, SC +	6.7	2	6.6	2	KWEN/Tulsa, OK	5.6	3	5.6	4
WKSF/Greenville, SC (Asheville)	1.4	16	*	*	KXBL/Tulsa, OK +	4.7	4t	5.0	6
WRBT/Harrisburg, PA	3.6	5	4.5	4	KVOO/Tulsa, OK	4.0	8t	3.6	8t
WIOV/Harrisburg, PA	0.8	19	1.3	12	KTGX/Tulsa, OK	2.6	12	2.4	11
WCAT/Harrisburg, PA	1.6	13t	*	*	KFDI/Wichita, KS	7.8	1	7.5	1
WFVY/Harrisburg, PA	1.3	16t	1.7	11	KZSN/Wichita, KS	6.3	3	6.0	3t
WGTY/Harrisburg, PA (York)	0.7	20t	0.7	15t	KFTI-AM/Wichita, KS +	1.1	13t	1.7	13
WDRM/Huntsville, AL	9.3	1	9.3	1	WGGY/Wilkes-Barre, PA	6.2	4	6.5	3
WWFF/Huntsville, AL	1.2	13	1.2	12t	WSJR/Wilkes-Barre, PA	1.2	14t	1.1	12 1
WMSI/Jackson, MS	5.0	4	4.0	5	WCTO/Wilkes-Barre, PA (Allentown		16	0.8	15
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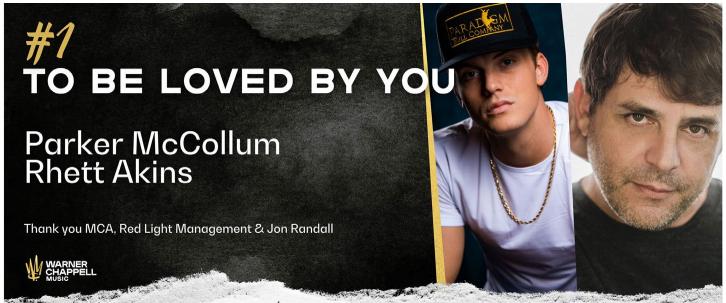
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	2	1 -	(PARKER MCCOLLUM ✓ To Be Loved By You (MCA)	29043	3308	7936	933	36.261	3.425	158	1
	3	2	<u>(S</u>	CODY JOHNSON/Til You Can't (Warner/CoJo/WMN) 🗸	27375	2611	7598	710	34.726	4.782	158	0
	5	3	<u>\$</u>	SAM HUNT/23 (MCA) 🗸	25954	1624	7134	408	31.329	2.076	157	0
	6	4	<u>\$</u>	ELLE KING & MIRANDA LAMBERT/Drunk (RCA/Columbia)	24584	1372	6937	392	27.337	1.958	154	0
	9	5	<u>\$</u>	D. BENTLEY w/BRELAND & HARDY/Beers (Atlantic/Big Loud/Capitol)	/ 23188	3840	6306	1022	27.768	3.677	158	0
	1	6		K. BALLERINI f/K. CHESNEY/Half Of My Hometown (Black River	22766	-9800	6169	-2815	32.1	-9.485	159	0
	8	7	<u>\$</u>	ERIC CHURCH/Heart On Fire (EMI Nashville)	20815	573	5744	168	24.181	0.762	159	0
	7	8		KANE BROWN/One Mississippi (RCA)	19666	-3098	5348	-807	27.624	-3.169	159	0
	11	9	<u>\$</u>	C. PEARCE & A. MCBRYDE/Never Wanted (Big Machine/WMN	18038	1054	5072	291	21.749	1.281	158	0
	12	10	<u>\$</u>	C. SWINDELL & L. WILSON/Never Say Never (Warner/WMN/BBR	17543	1342	4714	336	20.212	1.594	158	0
	10	11		RUSSELL DICKERSON/Home Sweet (Triple Tigers)	16929	-619	4681	-165	21.104	-0.558	159	0
•	13	12	<u>\$</u>	LUKE COMBS/Doin' This (River House/Columbia)	16726	1063	4668	264	20.355	1.608	157	0
	14	13	<u>\$</u>	BLAKE SHELTON/Come Back As A Country Boy (Warner/WMN)	15929	395	4326	98	19.388	1.323	159	0
•	15	14	<u>\$</u>	HARDY/Give Heaven Some Hell (Big Loud)	14216	394	3942	147	17.571	0.599	158	0
	16	15	<u>\$</u>	KEITH URBAN/Wild Hearts (Capitol)	14015	932	3946	290	15.893	1.057	155	0
•	17	16	<u>\$</u>	THOMAS RHETT/Slow Down Summer (Valory)	13935	1351	3825	391	16.245	2.336	157	0
	18	17	<u>\$</u>	MIRANDA LAMBERT/If I Was A Cowboy (RCA)	12631	596	3553	172	13.437	0.518	156	0
•	19	18	<u>\$</u>	S JAKE OWEN/Best Thing Since Backroads (Big Loud)	11472	48	3286	43	11.986	0.345	158	1
3	20	19	<u>\$</u>	TIM MCGRAW/7500 OBO (Big Machine)	11291	909	3124	302	11.762	0.722	155	0
- 2	21	20	<u>~</u>	LUKE BRYAN/Up (Capitol)	10839	512	2979	175	11.702	0.316	156	0
2	22	21	<u>\$</u>	WALKER HAYES/AA (Monument)	10576	1182	2962	346	11.044	2.079	148	0
	23	22	<u>~</u>	MAREN MORRIS/Circles Around This Town (Columbia)	9920	543	2734	204	10.687	0.85	157	1
2	24	23	<u>\$</u>	JASON ALDEAN/Trouble With (Macon Music/Broken Bow)	9641	587	2566	144	10.821	0.658	145	2
2	25	24	<u>~</u>	SCOTTY MCCREERY/Damn Strait (Triple Tigers)	8761	870	2464	246	9.205	1.106	155	2
1	26	25	<u>\$</u>	ERNEST f/MORGAN WALLEN/Flower Shops (Big Loud)	7991	380	2249	105	9.42	0.051	151	2

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	27	26		DAN + SHAY/Steal My Love (Warner/WAR)	7272	-31	2022	-4	6.891	0.114	147	0
	28	27	<u></u>	PARMALEE/Take My Name (Stoney Creek)	6395	821	1779	212	6.449	0.939	126	8
	30	28	<u></u>	DYLAN SCOTT/New Truck (Curb)	5578	357	1646	109	5.794	0.837	143	8
	29	29	<u></u>	TOBY KEITH/Old School (Show Dog)	5570	99	1680	42	4.093	0.478	141	0
	32	30	<u></u>	C.YOUNG w/M. TENPENNY /At The End Of A Bar (RCA)	5343	690	1425	190	4.801	0.474	138	6
	31	31	<u></u>	FRANK RAY/Country'd Look Good On You (Stoney Creek)	5102	100	1546	23	3.462	0.235	124	0
	33	32	<u></u>	TENILLE ARTS/ Back Then, Right Now (19th & Grand)	4675	150	1440	48	2.562	0.131	137	0
	36	33	<u>\$</u>	JUSTIN MOORE/With A Woman You Love (Valory)	4607	552	1346	160	5.142	0.264	112	11
	35	34	<u></u>	LEE BRICE/Soul (Curb)	4379	206	1194	69	3.446	-0.305	123	3
A il	RB	OR	NE	KENNY CHESNEY /Everyone She Knows (Blue Chair/Warner/WEA)	4146	648	1059	171	3.454	0.666	97	8
	37	36	<u></u>	DUSTIN LYNCH /Party Mode (Broken Bow)	3937	193	997	65	3.275	0.319	109	7
	38	37	<u>~</u>	TAYLOR SWIFT/I Bet You Think About Me (Republic/MCA)	3716	132	1149	25	2.287	0.116	118	0
	40	38	<u></u>	CAROLINE JONES/ Come In (Mailboat/New Revolution)	3411	143	1071	31	1.536	0.257	94	0
Ail	RB	OR	NE	JON PARDI/Last Night Lonely (Capitol)	3323	825	872	242	2.187	0.373	109	18
	41	40	<u></u>	MORGAN WADE/Wilder Days (Arista)	3131	106	924	34	1.577	-0.012	119	1
	42	41	<u>\$</u>	CHRIS JANSON/Bye Mom (Warner/WAR)	3072	155	878	25	1.365	0.077	105	1
	43	42	<u></u>	OLD DOMINION /No Hard Feelings (Arista)	3043	140	810	43	2.783	0.144	107	2
A il	RB	OR	NE	MORGAN WALLEN/Wasted On You (Big Loud) DEBUT	2969	1622	873	499	3.291	1.725	96	14
	44	44		MIDLAND/Sunrise Tells The Story (Big Machine)	2776	-62	772	-16	1.922	-0.055	94	1
	45	45		CHASE RICE/If I Were Rock & Roll (Dack Janiels/Broken Bow)	2454	-126	719	-29	1.221	-0.125	85	0
	47	46	<u></u>	I. ANDRESS w/S. HUNT/Wishful Drinking (Atlantic/Warner/WEA)	2453	179	673	37	2.032	0.199	61	2
	49	47	<u>\$</u>	ZAC BROWN BAND/Out In The Middle (Home Grown/Warner/WAR	2228	124	655	52	1.771	0.17	82	6
le-E	nter	48	<u></u>	BRETT YOUNG/You Didn't (BMLGR)	2105	164	624	42	1.149	0.121	88	1
	50	49		CONNER SMITH/Learn From It (Valory)	2013	-74	621	-9	1.018	-0.06	89	3
Dek	out	50	<u></u>	PRISCILLA BLOCK/My Bar (InDent/Mercury)	1951	199	566	52	1.065	0.021	84	5

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NEW FEMALE ARTIST OF THE YEAR

JASON ALDEAN CARRIE UNDERWOOD SINGLE OF THE YEAR "IF I DIDN'T LOVE YOU"

(WRITTEN BY JOHN MORGAN, TULLY KENNEDY, KURT ALLISON, LYDIA VAUGHAN





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FEMALE ARTIST OF THE YEAR

MUSIC EVENT OF THE YEAR

"NEVER WANTED TO BE THAT GIRL" WITH ASHLEY MCBRYDE

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Country Aircheck Add Leaders	Adds	Activator Top Point Gainers	
JIMMIE ALLEN/Down Home (Stoney Creek)	63	D. BENTLEY f/BRELAND & HARDY/Beers (Atlantic/Big Loud/Capitol)	1426
RANDY HOUSER/Note To Self (Magnolia)	20	WALKER HAYES/AA (Monument)	1376
JON PARDI/Last Night Lonely (Capitol)	18	CODY JOHNSON/Til You Can't (CoJo/Warner/WMN)	944
MORGAN WALLEN/Wasted On You (Big Loud)	14	SAM HUNT/23 (MCA)	750
JUSTIN MOORE/With A Woman You Love (Valory)	11	THOMAS RHETT/Slow Down Summer (Valory)	678
JON LANGSTON/Back Words (32 Bridge/EMI Nashville)	10	, , , , ,	•
DYLAN SCOTT/New Truck (Curb)	8	KENNY CHESNEY/Everyone She Knows (Blue Chair/Warner/WEA)	674
KENNY CHESNEY/ Everyone She Knows (Blue Chair/Warner/WEA	•	PARKER MCCOLLUM/To Be Loved By You (MCA)	658
PARMALEE/Take My Name (Stoney Creek)	8	JON PARDI/Last Night Lonely (Capitol)	572
DUSTIN LYNCH/Party Mode (Broken Bow)	7	ELLE KING & MIRANDA LAMBERT/Drunk (RCA/Columbia)	442
LADY A/What A Song Can Do (BMLGR)	7	MORGAN WALLEN/Wasted On You (Big Loud)	442
Country Aircheck Top Point Gainers		Activator Top Spin Gainers	
D. BENTLEY w/BRELAND & HARDY/Beers (Atlantic/Big Loud/Capitol)	3840 🗸	D. BENTLEY f/BRELAND & HARDY/Beers (Atlantic/Big Loud/Capitol	290
PARKER MCCOLLUM/To Be Loved By You (MCA)	3308 🗸	WALKER HAYES/AA (Monument)	256
CODY JOHNSON/'Til You Can't (Warner/CoJo/WMN)	2611 🏏	CODY JOHNSON/Til You Can't (Warner/CoJo/WMN)	191
SAM HUNT/23 (MCA)	1624 🏏	SAM HUNT/23 (MCA)	172
MORGAN WALLEN/Wasted On You (Big Loud)	1622 🏏	PARKER MCCOLLUM/To Be Loved By You (MCA)	142
JIMMIE ALLEN/Down Home (Stoney Creek)	1391	KENNY CHESNEY/Everyone She Knows (Blue Chair/Warner/WEA	131
E. KING & M. LAMBERT/Drunk (RCA/Columbia)	1372	THOMAS RHETT/Slow Down Summer (Valory)	119
THOMAS RHETT/Slow Down Summer (Valory)	1351	ELLE KING & MIRANDA LAMBERT/Drunk (RCA/Columbia) 117
C. SWINDELL & L. WILSON/Never Say Never (Warner/WMN/BBR)		JON PARDI/Last Night Lonely (Capitol)	107
WALKER HAYES/AA (Monument)	1182	HARDY/Give Heaven Some Hell (Big Loud)	87
Country Aircheck Top Spin Gainers		Country Aircheck Top Recurrents	Points
D. BENTLEY w/BRELAND & HARDY/Beers (Atlantic/Big Loud/Capitol)	1022	MORGAN WALLEN/Sand In My Boots (Big Loud)	21356
PARKER MCCOLLUM/To Be Loved By You (MCA)	933	D. LYNCH f/M. PORTER/Thinking 'Bout You (Broken Bow)	19217
CODY JOHNSON/Til You Can't (CoJo/Warner/WMN)	710	J. ALDEAN & C. UNDERWOOD/If I (BMG/Broken Bow/Capitol)	18170
MORGAN WALLEN/Wasted On You (Big Loud)	499	JORDAN DAVIS f/LUKE BRYAN/Buy Dirt (MCA)	16971
SAM HUNT/23 (MCA)	408	WALKER HAYES/Fancy Like (Monument)	13280
JIMMIE ALLEN/Down Home (Stoney Creek)	405	CHRIS YOUNG & KANE BROWN/Famous Friends (RCA)	11960
E. KING & M. LAMBERT/Drunk (RCA/Columbia)	392	LUKE COMBS/Cold As You (River House/Columbia)	11836
THOMAS RHETT/Slow Down Summer (Valory)	391	CHRIS STAPLETON/You Should Probably Leave (Mercury)	10786
WALKER HAYES/AA (Monument)	346	CHASE RICE f/FGL/Drinkin' Beer (Dack Janiels/BBR/BMLGR)	10155
C. SWINDELL & L. WILSON/Never (Warner/WMN/BBR)	336	LUKE COMBS/Forever After All (River House/Columbia Nash)	10103

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CHASE RICE/If I Were Rock & Roll (Dack Janiels/Broken Bow) Remains at 45 2454 points, 719 spins; No adds

INGRID ANDRESS f/SAM HUNT/Wishful Drinking (Warner/WEA)

2453 points, 673 spins 2 adds: **WGNE, WWGR**

ZAC BROWN BAND/Out In The Middle (Home Grown/Warner/WAR)

Moves 49-47*

2228 points, 655 spins

6 adds: KAWO, KMDL, KUAD, PCCO, WITL, WOKQ

BRETT YOUNG/You Didn't (BMLGR)

Re-enters 48*

2105 points, 624 spins

1 add: KCYY

CONNER SMITH/Learn From It (Valory)

Moves 50-49

2013 points, 621 spins

3 adds: KHGE, KKWF, WUSN

PRISCILLA BLOCK/My Bar (InDent/Mercury)

Debut 50*

1951 points, 566 spins

5 adds: KKWF, KMLE, WGKX*, WPOC, WQNU*

MITCHELL TENPENNY/Truth About You (Riser House/Columbia)

1896 points, 541 spins 2 adds: **KKBQ, KNCI**

GABBY BARRETT/Pick Me Up (Warner/WAR)

1792 points, 494 spins

6 adds: KCYE, KHGE, WPAW, WPOR, WQHK*, WRNS

BROTHERS OSBORNE/I'm Not For Everyone (EMI Nashville)

1731 points, 472 spins; No adds

LADY A/What A Song Can Do (BMLGR)

1529 points, 447 spins

7 adds: KMDL, KUAD, KWNR, WGNA, WIL, WITL, WOKQ

JACKSON DEAN/Don't Come Lookin' (Big Machine)

1510 points, 431 spins

5 adds: KIZN*, KWJJ, WDRM, WIL, WUSH*

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MARCH 21

MEDIABASE

ADAM DOLEAC/Drinkin' It Wrong (Arista)
RAY FULCHER/Anything Like You Dance (Black River)

MARCH 28

RESTLESS ROAD/Growing Old With You (RCA) **RYAN GRIFFIN**/Salt, Lime & Tequila (Red Street)

APRIL 4

CAITLYN SMITH/Downtown Baby (Monument) **BEN GALLAHER**/Country, Boy (Stone Country)

CHECK OUT

MARCH 14

Kristian Bush 52 - ATL X BNA (BMLGR)

The first of the four-volume collection commemorates the 52nd birthday of Bush, who co-wrote nine of the 10 songs with Nashville writers and recorded in Atlanta alongside R&B musicians.



MARCH 18

Randall King Shot Glass (Warner Music Nashville)
Produced by Bart Butler and Ryan Gore, King's major label debut album centers around a night out at a bar.
Each of the 11 songs represent a different point of view of those in the room, including "You In A Honky Tonk," Baby Do" and "Record High."

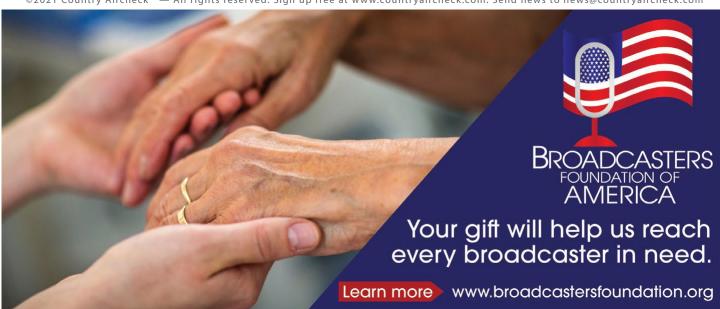


Hailey Whitters Raised

(Pigasus/Songs & Daughters/Big Loud)
Whitters co-produced her third album alongside producer
Jake Gear and reconnected with co-writers like Brandy
Clark, Nicolle Galyon, Hillary Lindsey and Lori McKenna
on 17 songs, including lead single "Everything She Ain't."



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LW	ΤV	V	Artist/Title (Label)	Points	+/- Points	Plays	+/- Plays	Stations	ADDS
2	1	(((CODY JOHNSON ✓ 'Til You Can't (Warner/CoJo/WMN)	11718	944	2339	191	49	0
4	2	<u>\$</u>	PARKER MCCOLLUM/To Be Loved By You (MCA)	10533	658	2118	142	47	0
9	3	\$	D. BENTLEY f/BRELAND & HARDY/Beers On Me (Atlantic/Big Loud/Capitol) ✔	9398	1426	1871	290	49	0
5	4	\$	ERIC CHURCH/Heart On Fire (EMI Nashville)	9391	205	1887	46	49	0
7	5	<u>\$</u>	SAM HUNT/23 (MCA) 🗸	9380	750	1863	172	49	0
8	6	<u>\$</u>	E. KING & M. LAMBERT/Drunk (And I Don't Wanna Go Home) (RCA/Columbia)	8667	442	1715	117	46	2
1	7		KELSEA BALLERINI f/KENNY CHESNEY/Half Of My Hometown (Black River)	8428	-2416	1634	-555	47	0
11	8	<u>\$</u>	LUKE COMBS/Doin' This (River House/Columbia)	7734	441	1488	75	48	1
10	9	<u>\$</u>	C. PEARCE & A. MCBRYDE/Never Wanted To Be That Girl (Big Machine/WMN)	7562	26	1525	-4	48	0
13	10	<u>\$</u>	COLE SWINDELL & LAINEY WILSON/Never Say Never (Warner/WMN/BBR)	7041	193	1380	30	48	0
12	11		BLAKE SHELTON/Come Back As A Country Boy (Warner/WMN)	6537	-414	1305	-62	47	0
14	12	<u></u>	MIRANDA LAMBERT/If I Was A Cowboy (RCA)	6048	243	1165	49	47	0
16	13		LUKE BRYAN/Up (Capitol)	5759	217	1080	29	48	0
15	14	<u></u>	RUSSELL DICKERSON/Home Sweet (Triple Tigers)	5699	46	1171	17	42	0
20	15		THOMAS RHETT/Slow Down Summer (Valory) ✓	5576	678	1087	119	48	0
17	16	<u> </u>	KEITH URBAN/Wild Hearts (Capitol)	5494	-35	1086	10	46	1
18	17		JAKE OWEN/Best Thing Since Backroads (Big Loud)	5423	-94	1050	2	47	0
19	18	≅	HARDY/Give Heaven Some Hell (Big Loud)	5389	312	1103	87	45	0
25	19	≅	WALKER HAYES/AA (Monument) ✓	5029	1376	966	256	49	1
22	20	<u></u>	TIM MCGRAW/7500 OBO (Big Machine)	4546	305	943	56	42	0
21	21	<u>⊗</u>	MAREN MORRIS/Circles Around This Town (Columbia)	4518	233	908	62	47	0
23	22	<u>≶</u>	JASON ALDEAN/Trouble With A Heartbreak (Macon Music/Broken Bow)	4120	148	799	58	47	3
24	23		ERNEST f/MORGAN WALLEN/Flower Shops (Big Loud)	4002	244	771	32	49	5
26	24	<u>\$</u>	SCOTTY MCCREERY/Damn Strait (Triple Tigers)	3614	118	719	34	45	0
33	25		KENNY CHESNEY/Everyone She Knows (Blue Chair/Warner/WEA)	2296	674	426	131	34	1
28	26	<u> </u>	JUSTIN MOORE/With A Woman You Love (Valory)	2174	134	428	20	34	2
27	27	≅	DAN + SHAY/Steal My Love (Warner/WAR)	2120	-34	446	9	43	0
32	28	<u>\$</u>	DYLAN SCOTT/New Truck (Curb)	2024	398	381	65	39	7
29	29	≅	CHRIS YOUNG f/MITCHELL TENPENNY/At The End Of A Bar (RCA)	1956	145	361	35	41	1
31	30	\$	TOBY KEITH/Old School (Show Dog)	1762	128	364	22	37	0

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.w Tw		Artist/Title (Label)	Points -	-/- Points	Plays	+/- Plays	Stations	Adds
30 31		OLD DOMINION /No Hard Feelings (Arista)	1665	-6	290	-1	30	0
37 32	<u>\$</u>	PARMALEE/Take My Name (Stoney Creek)	1384	206	261	43	35	4
34 33	<u>\$</u>	CAROLINE JONES/Come In (Mailboat/New Revolution)	1301	79	248	18	28	2
36 34	<u>\$</u>	FRANK RAY/Country'd Look Good On You (Stoney Creek)	1260	71	279	11	28	0
48 35	<u>\$</u>	JON PARDI/Last Night Lonely (Capitol)	1244	572	231	107	24	13
35 36	<u>\$</u>	TENILLE ARTS/Back Then, Right Now (19th & Grand)	1225	10	275	10	36	2
39 37	<u>\$</u>	CHRIS JANSON/Bye Mom (Warner/WAR)	1160	85	223	21	29	0
41 38	<u>\$</u>	LEE BRICE/Soul (Curb)	1065	118	221	30	30	1
40 39		GABBY BARRETT/Pick Me Up (Warner/WAR)	1025	-26	132	-7	8	0
51 40	<u>\$</u>	MORGAN WALLEN/Wasted On You (Big Loud)	1016	442	204	84	15	5
42 41	<u>\$</u>	MORGAN WADE/Wilder Days (Arista)	1007	125	217	34	30	0
45 42	<u>\$</u>	DUSTIN LYNCH/Party Mode (Broken Bow)	956	207	188	33	27	0
44 43		MIDLAND/Sunrise Tells The Story (Big Machine)	727	-52	152	-8	21	0
46 44	<u>\$</u>	BRETT YOUNG/You Didn't (BMLGR)	724	39	105	-2	6	0
47 45	<u>\$</u>	ASHLEY COOKE/Never Til Now (Ashley Cooke/Back Blocks)	700	20	70	2	1	0
50 46	<u>\$</u>	RUTHIE COLLINS/Hypocrite (Sidewalk/Curb)	659	26	125	5	16	0
3 47	<u>\$</u>	ZAC BROWN BAND/Out In The Middle (Home Grown/Warner/WAR)	590	46	105	12	17	0
49 48		CONNER SMITH/Learn From It (Valory)	572	-69	77	-9	9	0
52 49	<u>\$</u>	MUSCADINE BLOODLINE/Dyin' For A Livin' (Stancaster)	563	2	115	1	9	0
56 50	<u>\$</u>	TIFFANY WOYS/About Love ()	515	5	99	1	9	0
58 51	<u>\$</u>	KANE BROWN/Whiskey Sour (RCA)	470	24	47	0	1	0
43 52		CODY JINKS/Like A Hurricane (Late August)	450	-343	91	-63	13	0
60 53	<u>\$</u>	AVERY ANNA/Narcissist (Warner)	450	10	45	1	1	0
nter 54	<u>\$</u>	ELI YOUNG BAND/Love Talking (Valory)	449	30	61	4	5	0
57 55		SMITH & WESLEY/Let Me Know (Dream Walkin')	434	-26	88	-4	7	0
nter 56		SPENCER CRANDALL/Made ()	430	-10	43	-1	1	0
59 57		KAMERON MARLOWE/Steady Heart (Columbia)	430	-10	43	-1	1	0
nter 58	<u>\$</u>	PAIGE KING JOHNSON/Baby Don't (PCG)	404	12	78	1	7	0
but 59		BRETT ELDREDGE/Holy Water (Warner/WMN)	400	-10	40	-1	1	0
55 60		CHASE RICE/If I Were Rock & Roll (Dack Janiels/Broken Bow)	392	-138	67	-25	9	0

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