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NEWS

Starr To Join Warner Music Nashville

Tom Starr has joined Warner Music Nashville's WAR promotions team as Manager of Southeast Promotion. He replaces **Tom Martens**, who was promoted to National Promotion manager last month. Starr has previously worked in promotions at Interscope (with Martens), EMI/Capitol, Jive, MCA and Elektra Records. He lives in St. Louis, and will continue working from his home office in St. Louis for the time being.



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Galyon Presented With No. 1 Challenge Coin

Nicolle Galyon was awarded at the annual *MusicRow Awards* for Breakthrough Songwriter of the year. During the presentation, she was also given her *MusicRow* No. 1 Challenge Coin for co-writing **Miranda Lambert's** "Automatic." This is given to each artist and songwriter that makes it to the top of the *MusicRow* Country Breakout Chart. To see a full list of winners, click [HERE](#).



Pictured L to R: MusicRow Senior Editor Sarah Skates, Galyon, MusicRow Owner/Publisher Sherod Robertson

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Country Stars Make the 'Forbes' List

Each year *Forbes* magazine compiles a list of the world's most powerful celebrities. Three Country superstars have earned a spot in the 2014 compilation, including **Taylor Swift**, **Toby Keith** and **Kenny Chesney**. Swift had her highest earnings to date with \$64 million, giving her fifth appearance on the list, this time at the No. 18 spot. Keith impacts the list at No. 51, earning \$65 million in the past year. Chesney comes in at No. 71 this year, and earned \$44 million during the eligibility period.



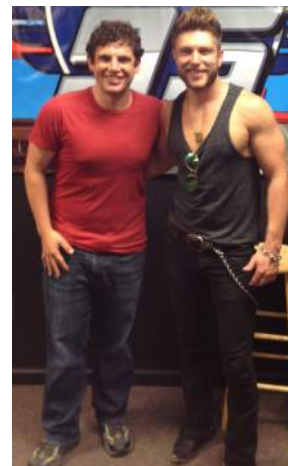
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Top Ten — **Eli Young Band** makes it to the No. 1 spot this week with "Dust." **Tim McGraw** gained two spots and is at No. 2 with "Meanwhile, Back at Mama's." **Eric Paslay's** "Song About A Girl" remains at No. 3 another week. **Lee Brice's** "I Don't Dance" and **Swon Brothers** "Later On" both gain one spot and land at No. 4 and No. 5, respectively.

"Drunk On A Plane" from **Dierks Bentley** makes a climb in the Top 10 and is at No. 6. **Joe Nichols** makes a jump to No. 7 with "Yeah" followed by **Lady Antebellum's** "Bartender" at No. 8. **Easton Corbin** remains at No. 9 another week with "Clockwork" and **Tracy Lawrence** has made the Top 10 with "Lie."

Greatest Gainers — **Kenny Chesney** had the most spin gains this week with 546 for "American Kids," followed by **Lady Antebellum's** "Bartender" up 307 spins. **Miranda Lambert & Carrie Underwood** continue their climb with "Something Bad" gaining 284 spins this week. "Day Drinking" by **Little Big Town** was up 255 spins and **Sam Hunt's** "Leave The Night On" was up 254.

Debuts - **Luke Bryan** had the highest debut this week with "Roller Coaster" at No. 66. **JT Hodges** also breaks into the chart with "Already High" at 72. Also seeing the chart for the first time are **Dolly Parton's** "Home" at No. 76, **Hunter Hayes'** "Tattoo" at No. 77, and **Kayla Adams** "Sober & Sorry" at No. 78. **Craig Morgan's** "We'll Come Back Around" is on at No. 79 and finally **Markus Fox** is at No. 80 with "I'm Still Coming Home."



Chris Lane visits with WGGC/Bowling Green's Greg Almond backstage before opening for Florida Georgia Line.

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Dean Alexander/Live A Little/Elektra Nashville-WEA
Sara Evans Feat. **Isaac Slade**/Can't Stop Loving You/RCA
Lucy Hale/Lie A Little Better/DMG-in2une
Canaan Smith/Love You Like That/Mercury



Brad Paisley (R) meets up with WMIL/Milwaukee's Kerry Wolfe (L) before his show at Summerfest.

WEEKLY CHART DATA

New On The Chart —Debuting This Week

Artist/song/label — chart pos.

Luke Bryan/Roller Coaster/Capitol Nashville - 66
JT Hodges/Already High/Show Dog - 72
Dolly Parton/Home/Sony Masterworks - 76
Hunter Hayes/Tattoo/Warner Bros. - 77
Kayla Adams/Sober & Sorry/SSM Entertainment - 78
Craig Morgan/We'll Come Back Around/Black River - 79
Markus Fox/I'm Still Coming Home/Outdoor Music - 80

Greatest Spin Increase

Artist/song/label — Spin Increase

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Little Big Town/Day Drinking/Capitol - 255
Sam Hunt/Leave the Night On/MCA - 254

Most Added

Artist/song/label - No. of Adds

Kenny Chesney/American Kids/Blue Chair-Columbia - 23
Sam Hunt/Leave the Night On/MCA - 20
Luke Bryan/Roller Coaster/Capitol Nashville - 18
Craig Morgan/We'll Come Back Around/Black River - 15
Keith Urban/Somewhere In My Car/Capitol - 15

On Deck—Soon To Be Charting

Artist/song/label - No. of Spins

Erica Sunshine Lee/Georgia For This/Orsley Entertainment - 193
Marianne Allison/Till It Breaks My Heart/CD Baby - 186
Kari & Billy/Are You Ready For The Weekend/Kari & Billy - 168
Jana Kramer/Love/WAR -157
Ben Rue/I Can't Wait (Be My Wife)/Arista Nashville - 148

Frozen Playlists – KCJC, KRGI, WMEV, WUPY, WXXX, KFTX, WKKW, WKTT, WTCR

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Veronica Ballestrini (L) recently visited WXXX/Lebanon, NH to promote her current single "Cookies & Cream." She is pictured here with the station's Amy Beaulieu (R) and some sweet treats provided by Ballestrini.

NO. 1 SONG

Eli Young Band hit the top of the *MusicRow* CountryBreakout Chart this week as “Dust” blew into the No. 1 spot. “Dust” is the second single released from the band’s fifth studio album, *10,000 Towns*. The song was penned by the band’s own **Jon Jones and James Young**, as well



as **Kyle Jacobs and Josh Osborne**. This is the band’s fourth No. 1, following the hit “Drunk Last Night” which peaked in 2013 and certified gold in December. *MusicRow*’s **Robert K. Oermann** granted “Dust” the “Disc of the Day” in February, the month it was released. He told subscribers to “Raise your hands, dance around, get dizzy and sing along.” *MusicRow*’s reporting stations must agree with him because the single had 3,103 spins this week, a few spins more than fellow Big Machine label mate **Tim McGraw**.

You can catch EYB as they join **Jake Owen** on his [Days of Gold 2014 tour](#) for select dates throughout September.

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VOICES OF SECONDARY RADIO

Brook Stephens KZPK/St. Cloud, MN

Who makes the music decisions at your station?

We use a collaborative effort in making music decisions. I burn CDs with the newest releases and hand them out to the staff to listen to and become familiar with. Then we discuss favorites, not so favorites and which songs we feel are priority for the station. Then, I meet with my PD/OM to discuss final music moves.

How do artist visits play a role in your stations operation strategy?

They drum up excitement for a new artist in the market. Back in the day when Miranda was just making it onto the scene, we brought her in for an acoustic show, 3 months later she was accepting a CMA award and opening for George Strait.

In what areas does your station excel?

Wild Country 99 has always been about the Central Minnesota Listener. Whether it’s loading up a Luxury Motorcoach Fun Bus and taking 55 listeners to Keith Urban in the Twin Cities or serving spaghetti and conducting a live auction at a local fundraiser, we want to be “family” to our listeners.



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



MusicRow CountryBreakout Chart Reporting Stations

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



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Weeks On Chart	Last Wk Position	This Wk Position	Artist/Song/Label	Spins/ Reports	% Spin Power	Spins +-	Last Wk # Spins
24	2	1	Eli Young Band/Dust/Republic Nashville	3103/96	2	60	3043
12	4	2	Tim McGraw/Meanwhile, Back At Mama's/Big Machine	2959/96	4	114	2845
19	3	3	Eric Paslay/Song About A Girl/EMI Nashville	2946/93	0	14	2932
20	5	4	Lee Brice/I Don't Dance/Curb Records	2936/93	4	112	2824
23	6	5	Swon Brothers/Later On/Arista Nashville	2839/94	4	99	2740
12	7	6	Dierks Bentley/Drunk On A Plane/Capitol	2831/92	7	185	2646
25	8	7	Joe Nichols/Yeah/Red Bow	2676/76	1	39	2637
8	12	8	Lady Antebellum/Bartender/Capitol	2521/95	14	307	2214
23	9	9	Easton Corbin/Clockwork/Mercury Nashville	2325/92	0	1	2324
18	11	10	Tracy Lawrence/Lie/Lawrence Music Group	2317/81	4	88	2229
8	14	11	Brantley Gilbert/Small Town Throwdown/Valory	2232/92	10	194	2038
18	13	12	David Nail/Kiss You Tonight/MCA Nashville	2111/88	3	55	2056
16	16	13	Chase Rice/Ready Set Roll/Columbia Nashville	2079/83	6	117	1962
14	15	14	Dustin Lynch/Where It's At/Broken Bow Records	2041/75	3	65	1976
13	1	15	Blake Shelton/My Eyes/Warner Bros.	2030/58	-35	-1088	3118
16	19	16	Cassadee Pope/I Wish I Could Break Your Heart/Republic Nashville	1950/85	7	124	1826
17	18	17	Kacey Musgraves/Keep It To Yourself/Mercury Nashville	1938/84	6	102	1836
16	20	18	Jon Pardi/What I Can't Put Down/Capitol	1887/85	4	66	1821
7	24	19	Eric Church/Cold One/EMI Nashville	1862/90	11	185	1677
15	22	20	Cole Swindell/Hope You Get Lonely Tonight/Warner Bros.	1857/77	7	124	1733
5	25	21	Miranda Lambert & Carrie Underwood/Somethin' Bad/RCA/Arista Nashville	1812/87	19	284	1528
16	21	22	Clare Dunn/Get Out/Road 43	1805/77	2	40	1765
11	23	23	Zac Brown Band/All Alright/Southern Ground/Atlantic	1779/79	5	81	1698
2	39	24	Kenny Chesney/American Kids/Blue Chair/Columbia	1541/87	55	546	995
14	26	25	Love And Theft/Night That You'll Never Forget/RCA Nashville	1534/78	4	59	1475
12	27	26	Scotty McCreery/Feelin' It/Mercury	1465/77	5	76	1389
14	29	27	Brothers Osborne/Rum/EMI Nashville	1369/66	3	37	1332
18	33	28	Branch & Dean/Glad She's Not An Angel/SSM Nashville	1358/62	8	102	1256
11	32	29	Josh Thompson/Wanted Me Gone/Show Dog - Universal	1348/70	5	59	1289
15	30	30	Rachel Holder/Shining Now/Curb Records	1341/59	2	28	1313
5	38	31	Little Big Town/Day Drinking/Capitol	1280/78	25	255	1025
11	36	32	Frankie Ballard/Sunshine & Whiskey/Warner Bros.	1184/67	11	117	1067
17	34	33	Levi Riggs/I'm Good/Windridge Records	1175/52	6	70	1105
10	35	34	Kip Moore/Dirt Road/MCA	1162/60	7	78	1084
10	37	35	Leah Turner/Pull Me Back/Columbia Nashville	1096/65	6	66	1030
5	42	36	Rascal Flatts/Payback/Big Machine	1052/69	27	221	831
17	40	37	Big & Rich/Look at You/Big & Rich Records-New Revolution	968/52	1	12	956
11	41	38	Lonestar/Just The Rain/4 Star Records	908/41	8	64	844
3	54	39	Keith Urban/Somewhere In My Car/Capitol	867/61	39	243	624
15	44	40	Austin Webb/Raise 'Em Up/Streamsound	858/53	6	47	811
19	43	41	Gloriana/Best Night Ever/Emblem/Warner Bros. Nashville	843/45	3	28	815
19	45	42	Parmalee/Close Your Eyes/Stoney Creek	818/43	7	56	762
7	49	43	Randy Houser/Like A Cowboy/Stoney Creek	773/53	12	85	688
8	47	44	Chris Weaver Band/American Dreamer/American Roots Records	768/43	7	47	721
15	48	45	Steve Richard/South of Heaven/Force MP	758/38	8	55	703
14	51	46	Brandon Chase/One/After Eden	743/39	18	112	631
8	52	47	John King/Tonight Tonight/Black River Entertainment	737/43	17	107	630
11	53	48	Danielle Bradbery/Young In America/Big Machine	690/48	10	61	629
2	65	49	Sam Hunt/Leave the Night On/MCA	633/49	67	254	379
12	55	50	Deana Carter/Do Or Die/Little Nugget Records	607/31	6	37	570
9	56	51	DOWNDAY/Crank It Up/Render	596/36	6	36	560
11	57	52	Leah Seawright/Dixie Daughter/Attababy	557/28	5	25	532
10	59	53	Soul Circus Cowboys/That's The Way We Roll/SMG	502/26	12	53	449
10	58	54	Tim Sweeney/Somebody To Love/Oil House Records	487/29	5	22	465
6	60	55	Breelan Angel/Double Standards/Momentum-MisBhavin' Records	481/37	20	79	402
4	62	56	Robby Johnson/Feel Good Song/Contrast Music Records	463/35	20	78	385

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4	68	57	Blackhawk/Brothers of the Southland/Tenacity	434/33	16	60	374
4	61	58	Jordan Anderson/American Dream/GTR	433/33	10	40	393
5	66	59	Granger Smith/If Money Didn't Matter/Pioneer	406/27	8	29	377
10	67	60	Marshall Dane/Alcohol Abuse/Gold Lake-MTS	402/24	7	25	377
7	70	61	Rachael Turner/Meet Me In The Middle/Rustic Records	395/26	10	37	358
6	63	62	Dan + Shay/Show You Off/Warner Bros	394/28	3	12	382
12	69	63	Lexi Larsen/You Can Leave (If You Want To)/OWC Records	386/22	5	20	366
22	17	64	Erica Nicole/I Listen To My Bad Girl/EN Music/PCL	384/16	-80	-1541	1925
12	71	65	Kayla Calabrese/This Is How It Feels/GTR Records/ Spin Doctors	372/20	8	29	343
1	93	66	Luke Bryan/Roller Coaster/Capitol Nashville	370/26	157	226	144
6	64	67	Bucky Covington/Buzzin'/Bare Footin'	370/28	-3	-10	380
3	75	68	Craig Morrison/Phone Call/Lucky53	330/21	17	49	281
4	74	69	Joanna Mosca/Have A Little Mercy/Dolce Diva	316/22	9	26	290
2	78	70	LiveWire/Drivin' You Outta My Mind/Way Out West	297/23	28	65	232
3	76	71	Stephanie Quayle/Sugar High/Rebel Engine Entertainment	281/16	13	32	249
1	81	72	JT Hodges/Already High/Show Dog	276/26	33	68	208
4	79	73	Vince Hatfield/You Don't Look Good In Blue/Blue Moon Records	261/13	23	48	213
10	72	74	Joe Bachman/Lookatchu/Rock Ridge Music	260/19	-14	-42	302
3	77	75	Jill & Julia/Wildfire/Lamon	246/16	5	11	235
1	91	76	Dolly Parton/Home/Sony Masterworks	231/24	57	84	147
1	83	77	Hunter Hayes/Tattoo/Warner Bros.	230/18	28	50	180
1	82	78	Kayla Adams/Sober & Sorry/SSM Entertainment	221/20	17	32	189
1	0	79	Craig Morgan/We'll Come Back Around/Black River	217/21	0	217	0
1	87	80	Markus Fox/I'm Still Coming Home/Outdoor Music	208/14	22	38	170

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