

### **R&R's New Country Reporters**

**R&R** is adding eight new Country stations to its Country reporting panel. All of the stations are monitored by Mediabase 24/7. Airplay data from these new reporters will be included for the first time in the **R&R** Country chart for the week of June 2 from airplay information gathered by Mediabase from May 25-31. All of these new reporters either currently meet **R&R**'s 25% current-airplay minimum or have agreed to adjust their rotations to meet this new threshold. The new reporters are:

- **KYKR/Beaumont, TX**: PD/MD Mickey Ashworth; 409-896-5555
- **WZKX/Biloxi, MS**: PD Brian Rhodes, MD Gwen Wilson; 228-896-5500
- **WDXB/Birmingham**: PD Tom Hanrahan, MD Jay Cruze; 205-439-9600
- **WOKO/Burlington, VT**: OM Steve Pelkey; 802-658-1230
- WOGK/Gainesville: PD Bob Forster, MD Big Red; 352-622-5600
- **WUSJ/Jackson, MI**: PD/MD Tom Freeman; 601-956-0102
- WCEN/Saginaw, MI: PD Jim Johnson, MD Keith Allen; 989-752-3456
- · **KOYT/Tucson**: PD Jeff Baird; 520-618-2100

**R&R** Reporter Update: As we told you last week, **R&R** is moving to a minimum standard of 25% current airplay for its reporting stations. Updating the status of the 12 stations currently below the 25% threshold: All stations have been contacted. Only **WYAY/Atlanta** 

## Galante Added To *The Best Damn Country Panel Ever. Period*

RCA Label Group/Nashville Chairman Joe Galante will join Albright & O'Malley's Jaye Albright, Cumulus Corporate Format Director/Country Bob Raleigh, Clear Channel Regional VP/Programming and CC Phoenix Operations Director Alan Sledge and Rusty Walker & Associates President Rusty Walker at R&R Convention 2003 for a Friday-morning panel designed to get hard answers to even harder questions. And, on the Friday night of the convention, R&R's 2003 Industry Achievement Awards will be presented for the tops in Country radio and in the Country record biz. Former New York City Mayor Rudy Giuliani will be there, too. Won't you join us all at R&R Convention 2003, June 19-21 at the Beverly Hilton Hotel in Beverly Hills, CA. For more information, visit www.radioandrecords.com.

has thus far elected to maintain its current course of programming and will no longer be part of the **R&R** Country reporting panel as of June 2. Seven stations have committed to increase current airplay in order to meet the minimum standard. Four stations are still in the process of making that determination. We will advise you as those decisions are made this week.

• *R&R* Indicator Reporter Note: All **R&R** offices, including the Nashville bureau, will be closed May 26 in observance of Memorial Day. As part of special reporting arrangements for that day, we are asking **R&R** Indicator chart reporters to please submit their reports for the week of May 26 *this Friday*, *May 23*. As always, we appreciate your help.

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### Cox Promotes Wegmann, Devine, Reed

Cox Broadcasting has made changes at the executive level in three of its largest markets: Houston VP/Market Manager Chris Wegmann moves to Atlanta for similar duties as Caroline Devine, RVP/GM of KISS & KSMG/San Antonio takes regional VP/Market Manager duties for Houston. Devine's regional duties will include Houston and Honolulu. Meanwhile, Ben Reed, RVP/GM of KCJZ, KCYY, KKYX and KONO-AM & FM/San Antonio, is upped to RVP/Market Manager for the entire San Antonio cluster. His new duties also include regional responsibilities for Birmingham and Tulsa.

### Smith Returns To Lexington; Lindsey Promoted

Darren Smith has been named Market Manager for Cumulus' Lexington, KY cluster, which includes Country WVLK-FM, News/Talk WVLK-AM, Oldies WLTO-FM, Classic Hits WLRO-FM and Alternative WXZZ-FM. A Louisville native, Smith worked at WVLK/Lexington in the late 1980s as a "junior sales rep." He was most recently with Clear Channel/Nashville.

Additionally, WVLK-AM PD **Robert Lindsey** has been named Operations Director for Cumulus's five-station cluster. He's been with WVLK since the late 1980s. Among his first duties is to find a Producton Director. Send your T&Rs to him at Cumulus/Lexington, 300 West Vine Street, Lexington, KY 40507.

### Owen To Program WNOE; Acree Exits

Clear Channel/New Orleans OM **Jim Owen** has assumed the day-to-day programming responsibilities of WNOE following Friday's exit of four-year PD Les Acree. Owen also oversees CC/New Orleans's Classic Rock WRNO and Hot AC KSTE.

The resume of 30-year programming vet Acree reads like a Who's Who of Country radio. He's programmed WIVK/Knoxville, WKDF/Nashville, WTQR/

Greensboro and WGKX/Memphis, among other stations. He can be reached at 504-400-0654 or at *les9@aol.com*.

### David & Dex To Leave WUSY For Nashville

Readers of **R&R**'s Country Format Room at www.radioandrecords.com on May 13 were the very first to learn that 10-year WUSY/Chattanooga afternoon drivers and 1999 CMA Personalities of the Year David & Dex — **David Hughes** and **Bill Poindexter** — are headed for afternoons at WSM-FM/Nashville. City. Their last day at WUSY is expected to be sometime in mid-June. That news should just about put to rest any and all lingering doubts about whether or not WSM-FM will remain Country under new owner Cumulus.

Of course, that means a prime daypart at one of America's great radio stations is now open. Applicants should know that David & Dex have consistently delivered 19 shares 12+ in afternoons for the better part of the last decade. If you're still undaunted, send your T&Rs to OM Clay Hunnicutt at 7413 Old Lee Highway, Chattanooga, TN 37421.

### **Betts Joins CC/SLC**

**Bill Betts** has been named OM for Clear Channel/Salt Lake City, succeeding **Lee Douglas** who departed last fall. Betts will oversee Country KKAT, Talk KALL, Hot AC KISN, Talk KNRS, Oldies KODJ, Classic Rock KURR and CHR KZHT.

This reunites Betts, who has been out of radio for the last two years, with GM **Stu Stanek**. The two first worked together when Betts was PD of KKFM/Colorado Springs in 1986 and later when he was GM for Citadel's Modesto, CA properties in 1995. For the last two years, Betts has been Sales Manager for the Dupont Registry. Prior to that he was Sales Manager for Citadel/ Allentown. His first day in Salt Lake City is June 9. (Country Format Room at *www.radioandrecords.com*, May 13.)

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### **Holland Promoted In Cincy**

Susquehanna/Cincinnati OM **T.J. Holland**, who also serves as PD for AC WRRM, has been promoted to Director/Programming for the cluster, which includes Country WYGY and Oldies WMOJ. (Country Format Room at *www.radioandrecords.com*, May 13.)

### WKLB, WSIX Appoint New Promotion Directors

WKLB/Boston's **Josh Easler** has been promoted to Director/Marketing & Promotion. Easler had been working in the sales department and was a promotion assistant prior to that. He succeeds **Jen Joy**, who exits the station after more than 7 years. She can be reached at 781-843-9870 or at <code>jenjoyc@netzero.com</code>.

Meanwhile, WSIX/Nashville has hired **JoJamie Hahr** as it new Promotions Director. She is currently the Events Coordinator for WWKA/Orlando, the only station she's ever worked for. In fact, she was in college when WSIX PD Mike Moore was programming WWKA and hired her as an intern about five or six years ago.

### **Patterson Promoted At CMA**

CMA Manager/Creative Services **Athena Patterson** has been promoted to Senior Manager/Creative Services. Patterson, who joined the CMA two years ago, oversees all CMA-printed materials, including its member magazine and program books for Fan Fair and the CMA Awards.

### Truth No. 1 About The Chicks; NASCAR Meets Rio At The ACM

The Dixie Chicks will perform on the Academy of Country Music Awards tomorrow night live via satellite from Austin, but they won't be playing the song the ACM said they would. A press release from the ACM says the song choice will be "Truth No.2." However, the decision has been made that the Chicks first new single since "Travelin' Soldier" won't be "Truth No. 2" but "Godspeed (Sweet Dreams)," a song

that was digitally delivered to radio last night. **R&R** has learned that based on that decision, the Chicks have made a last-minute change and will instead perform that song. The Dixie Chicks are up for Entertainer of the Year, Album of the Year and Top Vocal Group at the ACM award show.

Reigning NASCAR Winston Cup Champion **Tony Stewart** will also be part of the ACM festivities. He's set to introduce good friends **Diamond Rio** — who were actually once booked to play at his wedding (later canceled) — on this year's show.

### June Carter Cash Laid To Rest

It was a highly emotional tribute to **June Carter Cash** Sunday in Hendersonville, TN, where celebrities, artists and common folk alike gathered to pay tribute to the legendary star. Cash, 73, died last week following complications from heart surgery. She was remembered by performers Emmylou Harris, The Oak Ridge Boys, Sheryl Crow and The Gatlin Brothers during the two-hour service, as well by people who made her acquaintance outside of the music industry. The funeral was originally planned as private, but Cash's husband of 35 years, Johnny Cash, requested that the service be opened to the public.

#### Radio News

Personalities: WGH/Norfolk hires WAZY/Lafayette, IN personality Zak Tyler for nights. Tyler replaces the exiting Dee Stevens. This is a return home for Tyler, who actually worked as a research and promotion assistant at WGH in the late 1980s when it was CHR ... Laurie Larrow is the new 7pm-midnight personality at WXXQ/Rockford, IL. She's worked part time for the station for four years.

### **Industry News**

**Chris Neese**, former A&R executive with Rising Tide, Asylum and Broken Bow, joins **Chris Burch**, Music

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Supervisor for MTV Real World programs, in forming their own company. Front Porch Entertainment and Buzz Management will work with artists in management, publishing, production and merchandising arenas. Three artists are already signed to Buzz Management: Shannon Lawson, rock band Stroller and Mammoth Jack. The publishing arm of the company has also signed Bryan Wayne, who penned "What If He's An Angel" and "Country By The Grace of God" ... The Webster Company, which already handles public relations for Hank Williams Jr. and Jett Williams, has now been tapped to represent licensing, marketing and estate interests of Hank Williams Sr. ... Dick Clark Productions has tapped **Edgar Struble** as Musical Director for The Academy of Country Music Awards Show. Struble is the former musical director for TNN's Prime Time Country. He also worked for Kenny Rogers for many years.

### **ACM-St. Jude Auction Begins Thursday**

Ever want to get into **Rascal Flatts**' pants or **Faith Hill**'s handbag? Those are some of the items that
will be up for auction at CMTauctions.com the
morning after the ACM Awards Show in Las Vegas.
Other items include an autographed **Brooks & Dunn**shirt, an autographed script from **Reba McEntire**'s
sitcom and the shirt **Darryl Worley** will wear at the
ACM show's rehearsal. The bidding begins at 9am ET
on May 22 and will end a week later. The proceeds
go to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

### Take Part In The National Day Of Remembrance

Just a reminder that the National Remembrance Commission would like you to participate in the National Moment Of Remembrance, to be held on Memorial Day (5/26) at 3pm local time across the country. The NRC was set up a bipartisan act of Congress and is seeking help from all radio formats

to promote this timely event to encourage Americans to pause from their Memorial Day Weekend fun to reflect on those who have died in the cause of our country's freedoms in past and present times.

### And The Nominees Are...

Many of Nashville's biggest stars and songwriters are among those who have been nominated this year for a Tony Award. The Tonys recognize achievement in the theater, and while that isn't part of Nashville's usual domain, many country songs were included in the score for the musical *Urban Cowboy*.

The Dixie Chicks' Martie Maguire, Clint Black, Charlie Daniels and Ronnie Dunn are all part of the group nominated in the Best Original Score category. Also nominated for the *Urban Cowboy* score are Jeff Blumenkrantz, Bob Stillman, Jason Robert Brown, Danny Arena, Sara Light, Lauren Lucas, Jerry Silverstein, Wayland D. Holyfield, Bob Lee House, Carl L. Byrd, Pevin Byrd-Munoz, Luke Reed, Roger Brown, Jerry Chestnut, Marcus Hummon, James Hayden Nicholas, Tommy Conners, Skip Ewing, Tom Crain, Fred Edwards, Taz DiGregorio, Jim Marshall, Charlie Hayward, Wanda Mallette, Patti Ryan and Bob Morrison

### Chronicle

Heartiest congratulations to Broken Bow VP/Promotion **Rick Baumgartner** on the birth of his first grandchild this week. Music Row's newest Grandpa reports that Maxwell Dylan was born May 14 and weighs in at 7lbs. 8oz.

### **Stationality**

Imagine for a moment, if you will, looking out at a sea of faces, only to find that 4,000 of them staring back at you look exactly like your wife. That might be a bit more palatable when your wife is Faith Hill, but that's exactly what happened one night last week

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when Tim McGraw took the stage in Phoenix. KMLE had distributed 4,000 Faith Hill masks and told them to hold up the signs during Tim's first song. As funny as he thought it was, McGraw had an even bigger laugh later in the show when he was in the middle of a big love ballad and turned to his piano player — who was holding up a Faith Hill mask of his own.

KYGO/Denver has developed a new music channel that's available on its website. The channel is sponsored by DreamWorks Records and Play It Again Sports and is presented as a new way to stream audio to listeners. The channel will also allow the station to get immediate feedback on new music.

### R&R/Bullseye: Ready To Run

Last week we showed you the preliminary results of a question posed to 175 Country listeners. This week we have the entire 350 person sample for the **R&R** Country Callout America by Bullseye question: "Consider all you have heard regarding The Dixie Chicks' recent statement about the president. How do you feel about the following statement: 'I think radio stations should not play The Dixie Chicks' music anymore because they disrespected the president with their statement.'"

### **VIDEO ADDS**

#### **GREAT AMERICAN COUNTRY**

BROOKS & DUNN Red Dirt Road
DWIGHT YOAKAM The Back Of Your Hand
DIERKS BENTLEY What Was I Thinkin'

### **CMT**

**DIERKS BENTLEY** What Was I Thinkin' **JENNIFER HANSON** This Far Gone **LONESTAR** My Front Porch Looking In

The larger sample of people only reinforces the results we showed you last week. Of the total sample, 53% either strongly disagreed or disagreed and 19% responded "I really don't care." Twenty-five percent somewhat agreed with the statement, but only 3% strongly agreed.

For complete breakouts — including Men and Women, 25-34, 35-44 and 45-54 — check out the **R&R** Country Callout America by Bullseye research page in the May 23 issue of **R&R**.

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### **MUSIC NOTES**

It seems that all of Nashville will be descending upon Las Vegas in the next day or two for tomorrow's ACM Awards — the show's debut from Vegas that's once again hosted by Reba McEntire. Among the previously announced performers set to perform at the show: Alabama, Brooks & Dunn, Kenny Chesney, Alan Jackson, Toby Keith, Willie Nelson, Shania Twain and George Strait. A few presenters have just been added to the list, which already includes Vince Gill and Trick Pony. They include Bill Engvall, Cledus T. Judd, Nancy O'Dell and Star Search winner Jake Simpson.

Lonestar's performance on the ACM Awards will also feature some extra special guests — former POWs Shoshana Johnson, Patrick Miller, Ronald Young Jr. and David Williams will be on hand at the show for a special tribute.

Congratulations to **Alan Jackson**, whose album *Drive* has been certified Quadruple Platinum by the RIAA. The accolade represents four million in sales for Alan.

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# Sherrié Add Date: JUNE 2 Sherrié Streets of Heaven

"'Streets of Heaven' is one of the most complete country songs I've ever heard. A tremendous story-delivered with conviction ... an extraordinary song."

—Tom Rivers/WUSN Chicago

"I'll put money on this one going to Number 1. Great Song. Awesome vocal. Could you guess, I love it!"

—Michael J Foxx/WPOC Boston



▼ Tim McGraw recently got some special stage assistance during his fourth Bread & Water show in Los Angeles. Faith Hill and Sheryl Crow each performed during the Red Cross benefit show at The Whiskey. The two ladies also teamed together to sing "Do Right Woman, Do Right Man." The show went on past 3am.

McGraw continues to be a busy man, flying to Fort Carson, CO for tomorrow's free One Base Show for troops and their families. Twenty-thousand tickets were distributed in one day for that concert.

★ Willie Nelson's 70th birthday on April 30 did not pass without notice. Along with a birthday concert in New York, Nelson was honored by the Texas State Senate as a "treasure of Austin and the state of Texas." Nelson is also busy setting up his 30th Fourth of July Picnic Weekend, which includes a two-day concert outside Austin. And you can find Willie on the cover of the current TV Guide promoting his USA Concert special, airing May 26.

### RANDOM FAX®

### Tuesday, 5/20

BIRTHDAYS: Angela Lange, Suzanne Alexander
On TV: ABC: Brad Paisley, Lee Ann Womack, Wynonna Judd on
The Caroline Rhea Show ... FOX: Montgomery Gentry on The Best
Damn Sports Show Period ... GAC: Dierks Bentley on Country
Weekly New Artist Spotlight, Tim McGraw and The Dancehall
Doctors on Behind The Scenes; "Ruby Jean and Joe" on Cowboy
Cool Theater, Toby Keith and Willie Nelson "Beer For My Horses"
on Making The Video; Toby Keith on Most Wanted Live Stacked

### Wednesday, 5/21

BIRTHDAYS: Steven Dale Jones, Kelly Keiber, Melissa Beckham On TV: ABC: 38th annual American Country Music Awards. GAC: Joe Bonsall (Oak Ridge Boys) on GAC Classic ... CMT: Military Messages; CMT 2003 ACM Red Carpet Show

### Thursday, 5/22

BIRTHDAYS: Dana Williams, Danny Bess, Van Fletcher On TV: ABC: Toby Keith on Jimmy Kimmel Live ... FOX Sports Net: Brad Paisley on The Best Damn Sports Show Period ... CMT: Tammy Wynette on Inside Fame; Tammy Wynette "Stand By Your Man" on Controversy; Loretta Lynn "The Pill" on Controversy; Military Messages; Top 20 Countdown

#### **Friday**, 5/23

BIRTHDAYS: Shelly West, Mac Wiseman, David Sanders, Jim Asker On TV: ABC: Kenny Chesney on Jimmy Kimmel Live ... FOX: Trace Adkins on Hollywood Squares ... CMT: Montgomery Gentry on Got Me In With The Band; Johnny Cash on Inside Fame; Tim McGraw "Indian Outlaw" on Controversy; Toby Keith and Willie Nelson "Beer For My Horses" on Making The Video; Military Messages

### Saturday, 5/24

BIRTHDAYS: Roseanne Cash, Billy Gilman
On TV: GAC: Bill Anderson presents Country Family Renunion "2" ...
CMT: Brooks & Dunn and ZZ Top on CMT Crossroads; Travis Tritt
on Inside Fame; Travis Tritt on Most Wanted Live; Ultimate Country
Home; Military Messages; Tracy Byrd on MWL Star, Kenny Chesney

on MWL Star, CMT Flameworthy 2003 Video Music Awards; Travis Tritt, Ronnie Milsap, Buddy Jewell on Grand Ole Opry Live

### **Sunday, 5/25**

BIRTHDAYS: Jessi Colter, Tom T. Hall, Joe O'Donnell, David Pohlabel

On TV: CMT: Willie Nelson and Toby Keith "Beer For My Horses" on *Making The Video*; Jessica Andrews on *MWL Star*, Alison Krauss & Union Station Live on *MWL Special*; Rascal Flatts: Melt On The Beach on *CMT Events* 

### **Monday**, 5/26

BIRTHDAYS: Keith Gattis, Hank Williams Jr., Gates Nichols, Dave Robbins. Travis Taylor

On TV: CMT: Willie Nelson and Sheryl Crow on CMT Crossroads; Hank Williams, Jr. and Kid Rock on CMT Crossroads; Phil Vassar, Brad Paisley, Terri Clark, Trace Adkins, Willie Nelson, Hank Williams, Jr. on CMT Got Me In With The Band; Toby Keith on Inside Fame; Toby Keith Live, Uncut and Unleashed on MWL Special

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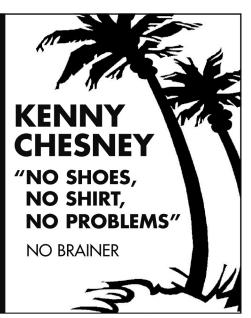
LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Points	+/- Points	Total Plays		Nks on Chart	Total Sta/Add
4	0	DIAMOND RIO I Believe (Arista)	14540	+483	5216	+155	24	145/0
2	2	RANDY TRAVIS Three Wooden Crosses (Word/Curb/Warner Christian)	14465	-22	5196	+26	23	145/0
5	3	KEITH URBAN Raining On Sunday (Capitol)	14084	+87	5028	+8	23	148/0
6	4	CHRIS CAGLE What A Beautiful Day (Capitol)	13714	+173	5069	+112	26	148/0
8	6	TOBY KEITH Beer For My Horses (DreamWorks)	13535	+1270	4742	+476	21	148/0
7	6	RASCAL FLATTS Love You Out Loud (Lyric Street)	13404	+1070	4762	+356	18	147/1
9	0	LONESTAR My Front Porch Looking In (BNA)	13212	+1000	4478	+259	12	148/1
1	8	TIM MCGRAW She's My Kind Of Rain (Curb)	12483	-2345	4352	-848	20	148/0
10	9	JIMMY WAYNE Stay Gone (DreamWorks)	10729	+777	3637	+236	15	147/0
12	1	JEFF BATES The Love Song (RCA)	9019	+569	3345	+227	20	146/0
11	•	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Speed (Columbia)	9010	+506	3300	+132	20	146/1
13	12	CRAIG MORGAN Almost Home (Broken Bow)	8648	+381	3350	+99	29	134/1
18	13	BROOKS & DUNN Red Dirt Road (Arista)	8097	+1320	2736	+419	6	142/4
15	4	TRACY BYRD The Truth About Men (RCA)	7669	+280	2821	+103	11	140/2
14	15	JESSICA ANDREWS There's More To Me Than You (DreamWorks)	7480	-188	2766	-57	20	136/0
16	1	GEORGE STRAIT Tell Me Something Bad About (MCA)	7450	+446	2671	+123	8	143/2
20	•	BRAD PAISLEY Celebrity (Arista)	7432	+1021	2555	+301	10	140/5
21	18	SHANIA TWAIN Forever And For Always (Mercury)	7215	+825	2483	+336	7	138/4
17	19	JO DEE MESSINA Was That My Life (Curb)	6880	-49	2578	+1	19	140/0
19	20	BRIAN MCCOMAS 99.9% Sure (Never) (Lyric Street)	6847	+419	2409	+150	12	133/2
22	21	KID ROCK W/SHERYL CROW Picture (Lava/Atlantic)	6192	-145	2189	-60	31	98/0
24	2	TRACE ADKINS Then They Do (Capitol)	4960	+645	1901	+240	11	131/8
23	23	SARA EVANS Backseat Of A Greyhound Bus (RCA)	4818	+379	1747	+128	12	136/3
29	24	WYNONNA What The World Needs (Asylum/Curb)	4087	+1070	1342	+402	4	116/13
27	25	DUSTY DRAKE One Last Time (Warner Bros.)	3306	+186	1223	+72	11	94/4

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RaR	Country	Top	<i>50</i>
	May 20 2003		

	M	ay 20, 2003	Total	+/-	Total		Vks on	Total
LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Points	Points	Plays			Sta/Add
30	26	CLAY WALKER A Few Questions (RCA)	3303	+672	1100	+224	5	113/14
28	<b>4</b>	AMY DALLEY Love's Got An Attitude (It) (Curb)	3214	+174	1279	+94	12	112/3
31	<b>2</b> 8	MARK WILLS When You Think Of Me (Mercury)	2761	+203	1103	+64	13	95/2
32	<b>4</b>	VINCE GILL Someday (MCA)	2649	+91	1034	+40	9	97/2
25	30	GARTH BROOKS Why Ain't I Running (Capitol)	2550	-1385	989	-511	13	109/0
33	<b>(1)</b>	DIERKS BENTLEY What Was I Thinkin' (Capitol)	2422	+312	821	+89	6	85/13
35	<b>3</b> 2	JOE NICHOLS She Only Smokes When She (Universal South)	2408	+531	800	+174	4	85/16
34	<b>3</b>	TERRI CLARK Three Mississippi (Mercury)	2235	+153	907	+68	10	90/7
37	<b>34</b>	BLAKE SHELTON Heavy Liftin' (Warner Bros.)	1899	+352	770	+131	5	83/11
36	<b>3</b> 5	BUDDY JEWELL Help Pour Out The Rain (Columbia)	1890	+189	648	+66	2	66/30
39	<b>3</b> 6	FAITH HILL You're Still Here (Warner Bros.)	1670	+220	559	+111	4	80/10
38	<b>3</b>	EMERSON DRIVE Only God (DreamWorks)	1648	+162	654	+50	8	83/4
48	<b>3</b> 3	KENNY CHESNEY No Shoes, No Shirt, No (BNA)	1646	+862	529	+335	2	71/43
50	39	TIM MCGRAW Real Good Man (Curb)	1382	+692	352	+196	2	43/37
41	<b>4</b>	JENNIFER HANSON This Far Gone (Capitol)	1224	+119	463	+47	5	69/3
42	4	AARON LINES Love Changes Everything (RCA)	1221	+170	513	+77	6	71/4
43	<b>1</b>	LEANN RIMES Suddenly (Asylum/Curb)	1216	+168	490	+49	9	48/3
45	<b>B</b>	RUSHLOW   Can't Be Your Friend (Lyric Street)	1103	+146	463	+67	3	59/5
44	4	BILLY CURRINGTON Walk A Little Straighter (Mercury)	1100	+103	459	+70	4	61/6
40	45	TRICK PONY A Boy Like You (H2E/WB)	1064	-67	417	-29	6	53/1
49	<b>4</b> 6	RACHEL PROCTOR Days Like This (BNA)	1063	+289	436	+114	2	67/9
46	<b>1</b>	MCHAYES It Doesn't Mean I Don't (Universal South)	1028	+150	404	+50	6	65/6
<b>Debut</b> >	<b>4</b> 8	DEANA CARTER I'm Just A Girl (Arista)	823	+381	372	+177	1	59/7
47	49	BRAD MARTIN One Of Those Days (Monument/Epic)	757	-46	358	-22	5	53/0
<b>Debut</b> >	<b>①</b>	PAT GREEN Wave On Wave (Republic/Universal South)	588	+268	161	+41	1	27/19



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### **NEW & ACTIVE**

**JAMIE O'NEAL** Every Little Thing *(Mercury)*Total Plays: 203, Total Stations: 37, Adds: 13

**KENNY ROGERS** I'm Missing You *(Dreamcatcher)* Total Plays: 165, Total Stations: 25, Adds: 1

JOSH TURNER Long Black Train (MCA)
Total Plays: 107, Total Stations: 22, Adds: 21

**JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY** Four-Wheel Drive *(Warner Bros.)* Total Plays: 46, Total Stations: 10, Adds: 10

Songs ranked by total plays

### **MOST ADDED**

ARTIST Title Label(s)	Adds
KENNY CHESNEY No Shoes, No Shirt, No (BNA)	43
TIM MCGRAW Real Good Man (Curb)	37
BUDDY JEWELL Help Pour Out The Rain (Columbia)	30
JOSH TURNER Long Black Train (MCA)	21
PAT GREEN Wave On Wave (Republic/Universal South)	19
JOE NICHOLS She Only Smokes When She (Universal South)	16
CLAY WALKER A Few Questions (RCA)	14
WYNONNA What The World Needs (Asylum/Curb)	13
DIERKS BENTLEY What Was I Thinkin' (Capitol)	13
JAMIE O'NEAL Every Little Thing (Mercury)	13
BLAKE SHELTON Heavy Liftin' (Warner Bros.)	11

### **MOST INCREASED POINTS**

MOST INCREASED POINTS	Total Pt.
ARTIST Title Label(s)	Increase
BROOKS & DUNN Red Dirt Road (Arista)	+1320
TOBY KEITH Beer For My Horses (DreamWorks)	+1270
WYNONNA What The World Needs (Asylum/Curb)	+1070
RASCAL FLATTS Love You Out Loud (Lyric Street)	+1070
BRAD PAISLEY Celebrity (Arista)	+1021
LONESTAR My Front Porch Looking In (BNA)	+1000
KENNY CHESNEY No Shoes, No Shirt, No (BNA)	+862
SHANIA TWAIN Forever And For Always (Mercury)	+825
JIMMY WAYNE Stay Gone (DreamWorks)	+777
TIM MCGRAW Real Good Man (Curb)	+692

### **MOST INCREASED PLAYS**

ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Play Increase
TOBY KEITH Beer For My Horses (DreamWorks)	+476
BROOKS & DUNN Red Dirt Road (Arista)	+419
WYNONNA What The World Needs (Asylum/Curb)	+402
RASCAL FLATTS Love You Out Loud (Lyric Street)	+356
SHANIA TWAIN Forever And For Always (Mercury)	+336
KENNY CHESNEY No Shoes, No Shirt, No (BNA)	+335
BRAD PAISLEY Celebrity (Arista)	+301
LONESTAR My Front Porch Looking In (BNA)	+259
TRACE ADKINS Then They Do (Capitol)	+240
JIMMY WAYNE Stay Gone (DreamWorks)	+236

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MOST PLAYED RECURRENTS		GOING FOR ADDS
ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Plays	5/27
DARRYL WORLEY Have You Forgotten (DreamWorks)	4605	BILLY RAY CYRUS Back To Memphis (Madacy)
KENNY CHESNEY Big Star (BNA)	3751	DWIGHT YOAKAM The Back Of Your Hand (Electrodisc/Audium)
JOE NICHOLS Brokenheartsville (Universal South)	2910	
ALAN JACKSON That'd Be Alright (Arista)	2683	
MARK WILLS 19 Somethin' (Mercury)	2590	
MARTINA MCBRIDE Concrete Angel (RCA)	2265	6/2
KEITH URBAN Somebody Like You (Virgin)	2006	DERIC RUTTAN When You Come Around (Lyric Street)
GARY ALLAN Man To Man (MCA)	1827	DIXIE CHICKS Godspeed (Sweet Dreams) (Open Wide/Monument/Epic)
RASCAL FLATTS These Days (Lyric Street)	1804	DOLLY PARTON I'm Gone (Sugar Hill)
DIAMOND RIO Beautiful Mess (Arista)	1730	JEFF CARSON I Can Only Imagine (Asylum/Curb)
TERRI CLARK I Just Wanna Be Mad (Mercury)	1562	SHERRIE AUSTIN Streets Of Heaven (C4/BBR)
TOBY KEITH Who's Your Daddy? (DreamWorks)	1550	
EMERSON DRIVE Fall Into Me (DreamWorks)	1542	
GEORGE STRAIT She'll Leave You With A Smile (MCA)	1388	
BLAKE SHELTON The Baby (Warner Bros.)	1348	6/9
KENNY CHESNEY The Good Stuff (BNA)	1301	RICK TREVINO In My Dreams (Warner Bros.)
TOBY KEITH Courtesy Of The Red, White (DreamWorks)	1116	
TRACY BYRD Ten Rounds With Jose Cuervo (RCA)	1108	
JOE NICHOLS The Impossible (Universal South)	948	
ALAN JACKSON Drive (For Daddy Gene) (Arista)	947	



148 Country reporters. Monitored airplay data supplied by Mediabase Research, a division of Premiere Radio Networks. Songs ranked by total points for the airplay week of 5/11/03-5/17/03. Bullets appear on songs gaining in points or remaining flat from previous week. If two songs are tied in total points, the song with the larger increase in points is placed first. Songs below No. 1 and down in plays and points for three consecutive weeks are moved to recurrent. Most Added is the total number of new adds officially reported to R&R by each reporting station. Songs unreported as adds do not count toward overall total stations playing a song. Most Increased Points lists the songs with the greatest week-to-week increases in total points. Breaker status is awarded to songs reported by 60% of the panel for the first time. Station Weight = AQH Persons + (Market rank X 10) divided by 4180. Gross Impressions equals Average Quarter Hour Persons times number of plays (times 100). Average Quarter Hour Persons used herein with permission from the Arbitron Company (copyright 2003, The Arbitron Company). (C) 2003, R&R, Inc.

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# Country Indicator Top 50 May 20, 2003

Y	● M	lay 20, 2003	Total	+/-	Total	. /_ V	Vks on	Total
LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Points	Points	Plays			Sta/Add
2	0	RANDY TRAVIS Three Wooden Crosses (Word/Curb/Warner Christian)	3407	+30	2688	+37	25	73/0
1	2	DIAMOND RIO I Believe (Arista)	3327	-70	2619	-61	28	71/0
5	3	TOBY KEITH Beer For My Horses (DreamWorks)	3293	+207	2610	+154	9	75/0
4	4	CHRIS CAGLE What A Beautiful Day (Capitol)	3285	+61	2608	+39	27	74/0
6	<b>5</b>	RASCAL FLATTS Love You Out Loud (Lyric Street)	3191	+137	2548	+92	19	75/0
8	6	LONESTAR My Front Porch Looking In (BNA)	3146	+257	2510	+216	13	74/0
3	7	KEITH URBAN Raining On Sunday (Capitol)	3063	-174	2408	-129	26	73/0
9	8	JIMMY WAYNE Stay Gone (DreamWorks)	2727	+135	2179	+126	16	75/0
11	9	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Speed (Columbia)	2455	+96	1908	+65	21	70/0
10	1	JEFF BATES The Love Song (RCA)	2431	+16	1924	+15	20	73/0
7	11	TIM MCGRAW She's My Kind Of Rain (Curb)	2348	-601	1824	-477	19	64/0
13	12	TRACY BYRD The Truth About Men (RCA)	2272	+44	1821	+26	12	73/0
15	13	GEORGE STRAIT Tell Me Something Bad About (MCA)	2263	+127	1808	+102	8	75/0
12	14	JESSICA ANDREWS There's More To Me Than You (DreamWorks)	2213	-82	1770	-69	23	71/0
16	15	BROOKS & DUNN Red Dirt Road (Arista)	2180	+223	1714	+168	6	74/0
18	16	CRAIG MORGAN Almost Home (Broken Bow)	2011	+167	1616	+137	22	60/1
19	<b>O</b>	BRAD PAISLEY Celebrity (Arista)	1972	+200	1585	+141	11	73/4
17	18	JO DEE MESSINA Was That My Life (Curb)	1946	+56	1537	+48	20	71/0
20	19	SHANIA TWAIN Forever And For Always (Mercury)	1870	+161	1501	+124	7	73/2
22	20	TRACE ADKINS Then They Do (Capitol)	1838	+190	1428	+135	12	72/1
21	4	BRIAN MCCOMAS 99.9% Sure (Never) (Lyric Street)	1815	+119	1466	+94	12	73/1
23	22	SARA EVANS Backseat Of A Greyhound Bus (RCA)	1327	-70	1067	-52	14	62/3
32	<b>3</b> 3	WYNONNA What The World Needs (Asylum/Curb)	1187	+405	954	+318	2	61/7
26	24	JOE NICHOLS She Only Smokes When She (Universal South)	1164	+205	942	+158	5	60/4
33	25	CLAY WALKER A Few Questions (RCA)	1020	+244	830	+183	3	61/4
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	60	nay 20, 2003	Total	+/-	Total	1/- 1	Nks on	Total
LW	TW	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Points	Points	Plays			Sta/Add
28	26	DUSTY DRAKE One Last Time (Warner Bros.)	1002	+93	801	+60	10	47/2
29	<b>4</b>	DIERKS BENTLEY What Was I Thinkin' (Capitol)	1001	+119	800	+92	5	52/2
30	<b>2</b> 3	MARK WILLS When You Think Of Me (Mercury)	928	+99	776	+80	14	54/4
31	29	EMERSON DRIVE Only God (DreamWorks)	874	+59	711	+51	10	47/1
27	30	KID ROCK W/SHERYL CROW Picture (Lava/Atlantic)	856	-90	708	-84	15	32/0
42	<b>3</b>	KENNY CHESNEY No Shoes, No Shirt, No (BNA)	785	+476	633	+381	2	50/25
35	32	VINCE GILL Someday (MCA)	746	+92	596	+71	8	46/3
37	<b>33</b>	BLAKE SHELTON Heavy Liftin' (Warner Bros.)	659	+57	535	+44	5	45/6
36	<b>34</b>	AMY DALLEY Love's Got An Attitude (It) (Curb)	632	+13	514	+13	11	36/1
38	35	TERRI CLARK Three Mississippi (Mercury)	564	+15	493	+12	9	36/1
<b>Debut</b> >	36	BUDDY JEWELL Help Pour Out The Rain (Columbia)	545	+416	455	+338	1	41/28
34	37	TRICK PONY A Boy Like You (H2E/WB)	499	-213	403	-178	10	25/0
43	<b>3</b> 3	DEANA CARTER I'm Just A Girl (Arista)	479	+177	362	+128	2	34/10
39	<b>3</b> 9	JENNIFER HANSON This Far Gone (Capitol)	413	+66	345	+58	6	28/1
24	40	GARTH BROOKS Why Ain't I Running (Capitol)	403	-716	299	-568	13	18/0
40	4	MCHAYES It Doesn't Mean I Don't (Universal South)	366	+25	328	+23	7	23/0
44	<b>4</b> 2	AARON LINES Love Changes Everything (RCA)	344	+54	294	+40	3	27/1
47	<b>4</b> 3	FAITH HILL You're Still Here (Warner Bros.)	339	+95	268	+70	2	24/6
50	4	KENNY ROGERS I'm Missing You (Dreamcatcher)	320	+110	268	+83	2	26/4
46	<b>4</b> 5	BILLY CURRINGTON Walk A Little Straighter (Mercury)	311	+41	277	+36	3	25/3
45	<b>4</b> 6	JILL KING One Mississippi (Blue Diamond)	303	+30	242	+8	8	17/0
49	47	RUSHLOW I Can't Be Your Friend (Lyric Street)	279	+56	246	+47	3	24/7
41	48	BRAD MARTIN One Of Those Days (Monument/Epic)	223	-99	194	-91	5	17/0
<b>Debut</b> >	49	TIM MCGRAW Real Good Man (Curb)	220	+153	203	+132	1	20/17
<b>Debut</b> >	<b>5</b> 0	JAMIE O'NEAL Every Little Thing (Mercury)	215	+99	181	+77	1	21/8

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MOST ADDED		MOST INCREASED PLAYS	
ARTIST Title Label(s)	Adds	ARTIST Title Label(s)	Total Play Increase
BUDDY JEWELL Help Pour Out The Rain (Columbia)	28	KENNY CHESNEY No Shoes, No Shirt, No (BNA)	+381
KENNY CHESNEY No Shoes, No Shirt, No (BNA)	25	BUDDY JEWELL Help Pour Out The Rain (Columbia)	+338
TIM MCGRAW Real Good Man (Curb)	17	WYNONNA What The World Needs (Asylum/Curb)	+318
DEANA CARTER I'm Just A Girl (Arista)	10	• • • • • •	+216
JAMIE O'NEAL Every Little Thing (Mercury)	8	LONESTAR My Front Porch Looking In (BNA)	
JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY Four-Wheel Drive (Warner Bros.	/ 8	CLAY WALKER A Few Questions (RCA)	+183
WYNONNA What The World Needs (Asylum/Curb)	7	BROOKS & DUNN Red Dirt Road (Arista)	+168
RUSHLOW I Can't Be Your Friend (Lyric Street)	7	JOE NICHOLS She Only Smokes When She (Universal South)	+158
BLAKE SHELTON Heavy Liftin' (Warner Bros.)	6	TOBY KEITH Beer For My Horses (DreamWorks)	+154
FAITH HILL You're Still Here (Warner Bros.)	6	BRAD PAISLEY Celebrity (Arista)	+141
BRAD PAISLEY Celebrity (Arista)	4	CRAIG MORGAN Almost Home (Broken Bow)	+137
CLAY WALKER A Few Questions (RCA)	4	TRACE ADKINS Then They Do (Capitol)	+135
JOE NICHOLS She Only Smokes When She (Universal South)	4	TIM MCGRAW Real Good Man (Curb)	+132
MARK WILLS When You Think Of Me (Mercury)	4	DEANA CARTER I'm Just A Girl (Arista)	+128
KENNY ROGERS I'm Missing You (Dreamcatcher)	4	JIMMY WAYNE Stay Gone (DreamWorks)	+126
PAT GREEN Wave On Wave (Republic/Universal South)	4	SHANIA TWAIN Forever And For Always (Mercury)	+124
JOSH TURNER Long Black Train (MCA)	4	GEORGE STRAIT Tell Me Something Bad About (MCA)	+102
SARA EVANS Backseat Of A Greyhound Bus (RCA)	3	BRIAN MCCOMAS 99.9% Sure (Never) (Lyric Street)	+94
VINCE GILL Someday (MCA)	3	RASCAL FLATTS Love You Out Loud (Lyric Street)	+92
BILLY CURRINGTON Walk A Little Straighter (Mercury)	3	· ·	
MOST INCREASED POINTS		DIERKS BENTLEY What Was I Thinkin' (Capitol)	+92
	Total Pt.	KENNY ROGERS I'm Missing You (Dreamcatcher)	+83
ARTIST Title Label(s)	Increase	MARK WILLS When You Think Of Me (Mercury)	+80
KENNY CHESNEY No Shoes, No Shirt, No (BNA)	+476	JAMIE O'NEAL Every Little Thing (Mercury)	+77
BUDDY JEWELL Help Pour Out The Rain (Columbia)	+416	JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY Four-Wheel Drive (Warner Bros.)	+74
WYNONNA What The World Needs (Asylum/Curb)	+405	VINCE GILL Someday (MCA)	+71
LONESTAR My Front Porch Looking In (BNA)	+257	FAITH HILL You're Still Here (Warner Bros.)	+70
CLAY WALKER A Few Questions (RCA)	+244	MONTGOMERY GENTRY Speed (Columbia)	+65
BROOKS & DUNN Red Dirt Road (Arista)	+223	DUSTY DRAKE One Last Time (Warner Bros.)	+60
TOBY KEITH Beer For My Horses (DreamWorks)	+207	JENNIFER HANSON This Far Gone (Capitol)	+58
JOE NICHOLS She Only Smokes When She (Universal South)	+205	EMERSON DRIVE Only God (DreamWorks)	+51
BRAD PAISLEY Celebrity (Arista)	+200		



+190

TRACE ADKINS Then They Do (Capitol)

JO DEE MESSINA Was That My Life (Curb)

+48



Music Page 8 America's Best Testing Country Songs Among Persons 25-54 For The Week Ending 5/23/03.

May 20, 2003

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Artist Title (Label)	TW	LW	Fam.	Burn	P 25-54	W 25-54	M 25-54
CHRIS CAGLE What A Beautiful Day (Capitol)	4.32	4.28	98%	20%	4.34	4.39	4.19
TOBY KEITH Beer For My Horses (DreamWorks)	4.27	4.21	98%	15%	4.43	4.41	4.50
RASCAL FLATTS Love You Out Loud (Lyric Street)	4.23	4.22	95%	19%	4.22	4.22	4.22
BRAD PAISLEY Celebrity (Arista)	4.20	4.14	90%	11%	4.18	4.17	4.20
LONESTAR My Front Porch Looking In (BNA)	4.18	4.21	94%	14%	4.24	4.28	4.10
DIAMOND RIO I Believe (Arista)	4.17	4.28	97%	24%	4.31	4.34	4.24
DARRYL WORLEY Have You Forgotten (DreamWorks)	4.13	4.21	99%	39%	4.40	4.35	4.57
TRACY BYRD The Truth About Men (RCA)	4.09	4.05	86%	12%	4.25	4.29	4.12
BROOKS & DUNN Red Dirt Road (Arista)	4.09	4.10	<b>72</b> %	<b>7</b> %	4.14	4.11	4.24
JIMMY WAYNE Stay Gone (DreamWorks)	4.07	4.08	83%	12%	4.11	4.13	4.05
KEITH URBAN Raining On Sunday (Capitol)	4.06	4.06	98%	31%	4.25	4.26	4.25
MONTGOMERY GENTRY Speed (Columbia)	4.06	4.04	93%	19%	4.10	4.09	4.12
TRACE ADKINS Then They Do (Capitol)	4.05	4.06	<b>70%</b>	8%	4.17	4.21	4.03
RANDY TRAVIS Three Wooden Crosses (Word/Curb/Warner Bros.)	4.02	4.04	94%	<b>27</b> %	4.19	4.14	4.35
KENNY CHESNEY Big Star (BNA)	3.99	4.00	99%	41%	4.03	4.05	4.00
BRIAN MCCOMAS 99.9% Sure (Lyric Street)	3.99	3.89	<b>79</b> %	11%	3.92	3.94	3.84
TIM MCGRAW She's My Kind Of Rain (Curb)	3.97	4.00	99%	<b>37</b> %	4.10	4.15	3.92
CRAIG MORGAN Almost Home (Broken Bow)	3.97	4.05	<b>78</b> %	<b>17</b> %	4.16	4.08	4.46
DUSTY DRAKE One Last Time (Warner Bros.)	3.94	4.04	<b>52</b> %	8%	3.90	3.86	4.00
JEFF BATES The Love Song (RCA)	3.90	3.91	83%	19%	4.04	4.01	4.14
JESSICA ANDREWS There's More To Me Than You (DreamWorks)	3.84	3.95	92%	21%	3.77	3.76	3.78
TRAVIS TRITT Country Ain't Country (Columbia)	3.84	3.89	80%	15%	4.02	3.96	4.26
GARTH BROOKS Why Ain't I Running (Capitol)	3.83	3.84	<b>79</b> %	16%	3.70	3.76	3.43
KID ROCK F/ SHERYL CROW Picture (Atlantic)	3.78	3.82	96%	44%	3.97	4.00	3.86
JO DEE MESSINA Was That My Life (Curb)	3.78	3.74	81%	17%	3.91	3.95	3.79
GEORGE STRAIT Tell Me Something Bad About Tulsa (MCA)	3.78	3.77	<b>75</b> %	14%	3.99	3.94	4.17
SARA EVANS Backseat Of A Greyhound Bus (RCA)	3.78	3.67	74%	11%	3.80	3.79	3.84
SHANIA TWAIN Forever And For Always (Mercury)	3.68	3.60	<b>87</b> %	22%	3.81	3.74	4.04
WYNONNA What The World Needs (Asylum/Curb)	3.63	-	<b>42</b> %	6%	3.72	3.82	3.33
AMY DALLEY Love's Got An Attitude (It Is What It Is) (Curb)	3.58	3.57	43%	8%	3.60	3.59	3.64

Total samle size is 534 respondents. **Total average favorabilty** estimates are based on a scale of 1-5. (1=dislike very much, 5 = like very much). **Total familiarity** represents the percentage of respondents who recognized the song. **Total burn** represents the number of respondents who said they are tired of hearing the song. Sample composition is based on persons 12+. TD = Target Demo (Females 18-34). Persons are screened via the Internet. Once passed, they can take the music test based on the format/music preference. RateTheMusic.com results are not meant to replace callout research. The results are intended to show opinions of participants on the the Internet only. RateTheMusic is a registered trademark of RateTheMusic.com. **The RTM system, is available for local radio stations by calling 818-377-5300. RateTheMusic.com data is provided by Mediabase Research, a division of Premiere Radio Networks.** 

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