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xit Jean-Marie, enter Jean-Rene. Newly anointed Vivendi Universal Chairman Jean-Rene Fourtou has his work cut out for him, but board members and shareholders alike hope the pharmaceutical executive has the prescription for what ails his multimedia conglom. Looking to reduce debt by selling off assets, Fourtou promises to unveil his financial restructuring plan by September. Too bad his stock is about to take a nosedive after this *HITS* Contents appearance.

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o' Reel/Universal hip-hop hero Nelly claims it's "Hot in Herre," though this HITS cover nod to mark his chart-topping *Nellyville* album is bound to have a chilling effect.

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OUR LADY PEACE • COLUMBIA/CRG



album: GRAVITY track: SOMEWHERE OUT THERE

Strong sales at chains and indies! Multi-format adds include WXKS, WZPT, WMMS. Top 5 at KDGE, WWDC, KTBZ. Big Pop spins at WSTR, KZHT, WPLJ. MTV, MTV2, VH1 "Inside Track." Gearing up for next track, "Innocent" at PoMo now. Headlining tour through 8/24. ESPN's Mohr Sports, Kilborn this month. Mgmt: Eric Lawrence/Coalition. Co-Mgmt: Nettwerk Mgmt.

KHIA • DIRTY DOWN/ARTEMIS



album: THUG MISSES track: MY NECK, MY BACK

Sales continue to increase across the board, spiking at majors! *Thug Misses* getting hugs and kisses at Pop, with adds including WDRQ, WKSC, WFKS, KJYO, KCHZ. Hot at Rhythm/ Xover, with "Neck" rubs at WBTS, KPTY, KZFM, WJMH. #2 most played at BET. Target promotion with Launch in July-Aug. Mamt: N/A.

THE WHITE STRIPES • THIRD MAN/V2



album: WHITE BLOOD CELLS track: FELL IN LOVE.../DEAD LEAVES...

New track Top 10 most added at PoMo! "Dead Leaves" sweeps in at WWCD, WROX and WJRR. Huge early play at WXRK, KROQ, WFNX and CIMX. Spins still strong for "Girl" at WXRK WZZN, KROQ & KRBZ. MTV, MTV2, VH1. Sales up at chains and racks. Dates w/Strokes in July. Mgmt: Arthur P. Dottweiler Inc.

THE HIVES • SIRE/REPRISE/BH/EPITAPH



album: VENI VIDI VICIOUS track: HATE TO SAY I TOLD...

Sales, airplay keep rising! Very strong at chains and indies. New at 99X, KTCL, KXTE, WTPT, WBZX. Top 5 callout/research. MTV Buzzworthy.com, MTV2 Blowtorch. MTV2 2\$Bill show airing on MTV 7/15. Track on Tony Hawk Video game. Pending press: Rolling Stone, Spin, Vanity Fair, USA Today. Mgmt. N/A.

THE VINES . CAPITOL



track: GET FREE

album: HIGHLY EVOLVED

Video love grows as 7/16 street date nears! MTV Buzzworthy.com, MTV2 Blowtorch rotation. Added at KQRC. PoMo panel 98% closed; power rotation at KITS, WHFS, 99X, 91X, WSUN, more. Soldout nat'l tour w/OK Go starts this week, through 8/8. Conan 7/16, Letterman 8/19. Shipping 300k (up from 250k). Mgmt: P. Lusty, A. Kelly, A.Cassall/Winterman/Goldstein.





album: IN SEARCH OF... track: ROCK STAR

Search turns up fans, as sales surge behind tour! Over 300K shipped, with sales up at M'Land and Tower. "Star" rocking WZTA, KEDJ, KRBZ and WZNE. Tying up phones at Live105, WSUN. MTV, MTV2. Headlined NY Summerstage, Liquid Sprite Tour w/Jay-Z and Hoobastank Aug.-Sept. Mgmt: Rob Walker/Startrak Ent.

MARIO • J RECORDS

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album: MARIO track: JUST A FRIEND 2002

Crossing like a rocket to Top 40! Adds include WIOQ, WNOU, KMXV, KDND, KTFM. On at Z100, KXXM, WNKS. Still huge at Xover. #8 most played at BET; *106 & Park 7*/22. Top 10 at MTV. Nickelodeon special 7/21. In *Like Mike* film. 350k shipping (up from 250k) on 7/23 street date. Mgmt: Troy Patterson.

NAUGHTY BY NATURE • TVT

& LW 6 2W 6 3W



album: IICONS track: FEELS GOOD

Gearing up for new track, "Swing Swang," impacting Rhythm/Xover 7/23, with early airplay at WJWZ. Radio still "Feels" first track, with new Pop adds at WXXL, WFKS, spins upped at WWHT, WQZQ, more. Doing selected dates with Mary J. Blige, Nelly. Video for new track set for mid-Aug. Mgmt: Rebekah Foster/Ujima Ent. Svcs.





album: THE LONELY POSITION ...

TRUST COMPANY • GEFFEN/INTERSCOPE

track: DOWNFALL

Company picnic continues ahead of LP's 7/23 street date! Top 10 spins at KITS, WOCL, KXTE. Not "Lonely" with Top 5 phones at WPLY, WHFS, KNDD. New at WTFX. MTV Buzzworthy.com, MTV2. WARPED tour through 7/14, Korn dates starting 8/9. Revolver, Rolling Stone upcoming. Shipping over 250k. Mamt: Jeff Rabhan/The Firm.

CUSTOM • ARTIST DIRECT



album: FAST track: BEAT ME

KNOC-TURN'AL • L.A. CONFIDENTIAL/ELEKTRA/EEG

2nd single heating up at PoMo radio! Big spins at KXRK, KDGE, WBCN, CIMX, KEDJ, KNRK. Pulling big phones. Setting up for 7/22 Modern/Hot AC impact date. Clip helmed by PoMo video fave Kevin Kerslake on MTV2. LP released in March, with 120k now in the street. Mgmt: Heidi Lavold/ Mothership Industries.

COLDPLAY • NETTWERK/CAPITOL





album: A RUSH OF BLOOD... track: IN MY PLACE

What a Rush, as returning buzz band explodes at radio! Top 10 Most Added at PoMo and AAA, with KITS, KLLC, KEDJ, WVRV leading. On at KROQ, 91X, WSUN, WZZN. Added at VH1, MTV2! MTV 2\$Bill airs live 8/2. Hugely anticipated LP streets 8/27, shipping 500k. *Letterman* 8/22. Stateside tour 9/2-9/23. Management: Dave Holmes/Nettwerk Mgmt.

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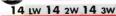




album: ALLEY...THE RETURN... track: SAY | Y| Y|

Readying 2nd single, "By Myself," with Xover impact coming soon, Mixshow and Urban ASAP. Video shooting in 2 weeks. Still crossing to Pop, with adds at WFLY, more. Power rotation at WEZB, WFKS. Xover power at WJHM, KUUU. On MTV, MTV2. Radio dates through Aug. Source feature set for July. Around 300k shopped. Mgmt: N/A.

SOLUNA • DREAMWORKS





Track moves to AC, added at KJOY! A great week at Pop, with Z100, KIIS, Q100, KZHT and WKSS All in a row. Jumpin' at WFHN, WPRO, KZZU, WDRQ and WKSC. Sales jump this week. Radio tour thru Aug. CBS One World Jam airs 8/23. Dates w/Marc Anthony through 7/13. In Style, People en Español. Mamt: Suzanne de Passe, Irene Dreayer/de Passe Mgmt.



album: L.A. CONFIDENTIAL... track: MUZIK

We think you hear him Knoc-in'! Radio love for Long Beach rapper continues prior to 6-song mini-LP's 7/30 release date. Added at WQSL, KSPW, more. Spinning at KPWR, WPOW, KTTB, among others. 60K shipped; radio dates through July. Teen People "Ones to Watch," Source, Flaunt Aug.-Sept. Mgmt: Chevion/L.A. Confidential.

album: INTO YOUR HEAD

track: OUT OF MY HEART ...

Continues to grab action at Pop, Hot AC!

Top 10 Most Added at Hot AC, including

KQMB and WWWM. Pop following

with adds at KSLZ, KHFI & WFLY. Already Into KIIS & Z100. Shipping 300k ahead of LP's 8/7 street date. Video bows on

AOL at presstime. Presenting Teen Choice

Awards 8/4, Management: Diane

Young, Daytime Entertainment.

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album: FREE ALL ANGELS track: BURN BABY BURN

U.K. darlings starting to make big Stateside run, with Coldplay, Area 2 tours. #1 album in Britain. 65k shipped in U.S. Added at WWDX, lighting up phones at KDGE, WMRQ, KITS. Spinning at WJSE, KEDJ, WBCN. On MTV2. Tour w/Our Lady Peace starts this week. Management: Stephen Taverner/Out There Mgmt.

MITS ALBEL POWER PERCENT

			ARTIST	COMMENT	LABEL	NDEX	CHANGE
-	1	1	NELLY	NELLYVILLE "Hot In Herre" & "Dilemma" hot not	Fo' Reel/Universal 017747 w	424.4	-46%
1	2	2	EMINEM	EMINEM SHOW "Without Me" the cut, tour	Aftermath/Interscope 493291	262.1	-18%
DE	BUT	3	IRV GOTTI PRESENTS	VARIOUS F/Ashanti, Ja Rule, "Down 4 U" not	Murder Inc./IDJ 063033	200.0	_
DE	BUT	4	AEROSMITH	O, YEAH! ULTIMATE Greatest Hits Package, "Girls of" r	Columbia/CRG 86700	144.5	-
7	3	5	AVRIL LAVIGNE	LET GO "Complicated" now & press, TV	Arista 14740	128.5	+6%
6	6	6	ASHANTI	ASHANTI "Happy " everywhere and going	Murder Inc./IDJ 586830	86.9	-4%
2	7	7	KORN	UNTOUCHABLES "Here To Stay" + Family Values	Epic 61488	67.4	-12%
17	10	8	PINK	MISSUNDAZTOOD "Just Like A Pill" now & summer tou	Arista 14718 r	64.2	-4%
5	9	9	P.DIDDY	WE INVENTED THE REMIX "I Need A Girl," Parts 1 & 2 now, to	Bad Boy/Arista 73062 ^{ur}	60.5	-12%
3	11	10	TOTALLY HITS 2002	VARIOUS Pink, M. Branch, Default, Outkast	WSM 78192	59.4	-10%
-	8	11	PAPA ROACH	LOVEHATETRAGEDY "She Loves Me Not" from hot debut	NN/DreamWorks 450223	55.7	-25%
-	4	12	N.O.R.E.	GRIMEYGOD'S FAVORITE "Nothin' " features Nas, Kelis, Nelly	Def Jam/IDJ 586502	55.4	-48%
-	12	13	LILO & STITCH	SOUNDTRACK F/ various Elvis Songs, hot movie	Disney 860734	53.0	-15%
8	14	14	KENNY CHESNEY	NO SHOES, NO SHIRT "The Good Stuff" hot at Country rad	BNA 67038 io	51.7	-1%
11	15	15	SHERYL CROW	C'MON, C'MON "Soak Up The Sun" ABC special, tou	A&M/Interscope 493260	50.2	+1%
DEE	BUT	16	GREEN DAY	SHENANIGANS "Desensitized" the new cut	Reprise 48208	46.0	_
18	18	17	BIG TYMERS	HOOD RICH "Still Fly," from Cash Money camp	Cash Money/Universal 860997	45.2	+7%
	5	18	TRUTH HURTS	TRUTHFULLY SPEAKING "Addictive" the cut, Dre protege	Aftermath/Interscope 493331	44.8	-57%
DEE	BUT	19	OASIS	HEATHEN CHEMISTRY From long awaited LP	Epic 86586	44.1	
-	13	20	WILL SMITH	BORN TO REJGN "Black Suits Comin'" from #1 movie	Columbia/CRG 86189	43.8	-29%
28	19	21	NORAH JONES	COME AWAY WITH ME Touring now, breaking at radio	Blue Note/Virgin 32088	42.8	+6%
9	16	22	O BROTHER, WHERE ART	SOUNDTRACK 'Down From the Mountain' touring	Mercury/IDJ 170069	41.9	-8%
23	17	23	JOHN MAYER	ROOM FOR SQUARES "Your Body Is A Wonderland" now	Awa re /Columbia/CRG 85293	41.6	-5%
4	23	24	NEW FOUND GLORY		Drive-Thru/MCA 112916	39.1	+5%
DEE	UT	25	LIKE MIKE		So So Def/Columbia/CRG 86676 v	38.8	

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MITS ALBEL POWER PERCENT

2W	LW	тw	ARTIST	TITLE COMMENT		POWER NDEX	PERCENT CHANGE
33	26	26	JIMMY EAT WORLD	JIMMY EAT WORLD "Sweetness" now & tour	DreamWorks 50334	37.8	+8%
26	24	27	JOSH GROBAN	JOSH GROBAN Has a life of its own	143/Reprise 48154	37.0	0%
15	20	28	DIRTY VEGAS	DIRTY VEGAS Mitsubishi commercial, "Without Yo	Capitol 39986 ^{u″}	36.8	-4%
—	22	29	OUR LADY PEACE	GRAVITY Touring & "Somewhere Out There" r	Columbia/CRG 86585	36.3	-3%
10	39	30	DONELL JONES	LIFE GOES ON "You Know That I Love You" leads	Untouchables/Arista 14760	35.9	+20%
34	27	31	VANESSA CARLTON	BE NOT NOBODY "Ordinary Day" starting	A&M/Interscope 49330	7 35.8	+5%
16	21	32	SPIDER-MAN	SOUNDTRACK "Hero" w/ Chad Kroeger & Josey Sc	RoadRunner/Columbia/IDJ 8640	2 33.8	-10%
46	40	33	ENRIQUE	ESCAPE "Don't Turn Off The Lights" at Top	Interscope 93148 40	33.1	+11%
45	28	34	JACK JOHNSON	BRUSHFIRE FAIRYTALES "Flake" the cut, video finally out	Enjoy/Universal 860994	32.6	-3%
19	31	35	CELINE DION	A NEW DAY HAS COME "I'm Alive" the cut, VH1 now	Epic 86400	32.1	0%
20	29	36	NOW VOL. 9	VARIOUS Pink, B. Spears, Shakira, Lenny Kravin	UTV 584408	31.6	-5%
31	33	37	NO DOUBT	ROCK STEADY "Underneath It All" added to MTV	Interscope 493158	31.1	-1%
21	41	38	SHAKIRA	LAUNDRY SERVICE "Objection" next up + tour late sum	Epic 63900 ^{mer}	30.5	+3%
14	43	39	ALAN JACKSON	DRIVE "Drive (For Daddy Gene)" hot at Co	Arista Nashville 67039 ^{untry}	29.7	+8%
—	25	40	SHEDAISY	KNOCK ON THE SKY "Mine All Mine" the hot Country cut	Hollywood 165015	29.2	-21%
32	38	41	PUDDLE OF MUDD	COME CLEAN "Drift & Die" the cut, tour & press	Flaw/Geffen/Interscope 49307	4 28.1	-6%
12	34	42	CAM'RON	COME HOME WITH ME "Oh Boy" the cut	Roc-A-Fella/Jive/IDJ 586876	26.0	-16%
37	42	43	NICKELBACK	SILVER SIDE UP On tour with Jerry Cantrell now	RoadRunner/IDJ 618485	5 25.6	-8%
40	47	44	CREED	WEATHERED "One Last Breath" the cut and tour	Wind-Up 13075	25.2	0%
DEE	BUT	45	CHICAGO	COMPLETE GREATEST HITS Hits package	Rhino	25.0	
	30	46	WYCLEF JEAN	MASQUERADE "Two Wrongs" the cut now	Columbia/CRG 86542	24.1	-27%
DEE	BUT	47	P.O.D.	SATELLITE "Boom" tour and press	Atlantic/Atl G 83475	23.7	
DEE	BUT	48	BRANDY	FULL MOON "Full Moon" and press from new bab	Atlantic/Atl G 83493	23.6	_
DEE	BUT	49	TWEET	SOUTHERN HUMMINGBIRD "Call Me" the cut now	•	23.5	
27	45	50	MUSIQ	JUSLISEN "Half Crazy" the track & tour	Def Soul/IDJ 586772	22.5	-12%

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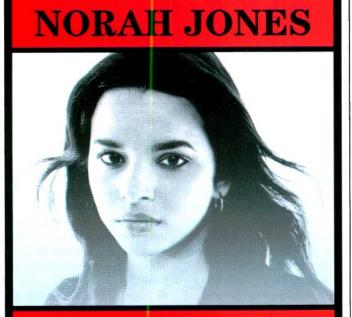
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Irv Gotti and Aerosmith Make Top Five Bows, as Nelly Celebrates Yet Another...

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Don't Know Why They Weren't Playing Her All Along



MOST PLAYED

#1 Nelly (Fo' Reel/Universal), #2 Ashanti "Happy" (Murder Inc/IDJ), #3 Ja Rule (Murder Inc/IDJ), #4 Eminem (Aftermath/ Interscope), #5 Eve/Alicia Keys (RR/Interscope), #6 Tweet (GM/Elek/EEG), #7 Red Hot Chili Peppers (WB), #8 Jimmy Eat World (DreamWorks), #9 Chad Kroeger/Josey Scott (Col/RR/IDJ/SMS) and #10 Truth Hurts (Aftermath/Interscope). he Fourth of July may be history, but Fo' Reel/ Universal hip-hop icon Nelly continues to set off chart fireworks with his new album, Nellyville. With a second consecutive week at #1, the spirit of St. Louis is chilling like Ted Williams' sperm, leading Aftermath/Interscope's Eminem by more than 150k in sales.



Hastings retail genius Mike Fuller, who can now get Mike Ovitz on the phone, said: "Nelly

really held up well in the second week. He's continuing to put up some real big numbers in what continues to be a very soft market. Hey, you wanna buy some frozen Splendid Splinter DNA real cheap?"

A pair of newcomers cracked the Top Five, with the Murder Inc./IDJ compilation *Irv Gotti Presents...The Inc.* bowing at #3 and Columbia's Aerosmith two-disc best-of set, O, *Yeah*!, landing at #4.

Added Hastings, reading from a prepared script: "Irv Gotti had a very big first week behind a great setup from Def Jam and Murder Inc. And Aerosmith's greatest-hits package continues to prove the durability of one of America's premier rock bands. That's **Liv Tyler**'s dad's group, right?"

Rounding out the Top Five is **Arista** skateboard chanteuse **Avril Lavigne**, whose debut album *Let Go*, registers yet another weekly sales increase (her fourth in a row). That gives label boss **L.A. Reid** three records in the Top 10, as **Pink** nails #8 and **P. Diddy** lands at #9. Murder Inc.'s **Ashanti** (#6), **Immortal/Epic**'s **Korn** (#7) and **WMG/BMG**'s *Totally Hits 2002* complete the Top 10.

Untouchables/Arista's Donell Jones (39-30) and Interscope's Enrique (40-33) registered double-digit sales increases.

Other chart newcomers include **Reprise**'s **Green Day** (#16), Epic's **Oasis** (#19), **So So Def**/Columbia's Like Mike soundtrack and—get ready for it—**Chicago**'s *The Very Best of...Only the Beginning*, on **Rhino** (#45).

Next week, make room for WB's Red Hot Chili Peppers, Geffen's Counting Crows and Ruff Ryders/Interscope's Styles.





Septic Summer

Previously unable to trace what's been contaminating marine life in the Pacific, oceanographers recently discovered four large bacteria-laden clumps of feces floating off the coast of Ixtapa, Mexico. Seen turning a beautiful body of water into a rancid Petrie dish are Java A&R VP Amos Newman, HITS Tinseltown celebrity Rodel Delfin, attorney Mike McKoy and IDJ Sr. VP A&R Paul Pontius.

LAUNCH

TOP VIDEOS

#1 Eminem (Aftermath/Interscope), #2 Britney Spears (Jive), #3 Ashanti "Foolish" (Murder Inc/IDJ), #4 Avril Lavigne (Arista), #5 Pink (Arista), #6 Ashanti "Happy" (Murder Inc/IDJ), #7 Nelly (Fo' Reel/Universal), #8 Ja Rule (Murder Inc/IDJ), #9 Jennifer Lopez (Epic) and #10 Wyclef Jean (Columbia/CRG).



This 15-year-old from Baltimore has already won the hearts of radio with his pseudo-remake of Biz Markie's "Just a Friend." Multi-format play on WPGC, WNVZ, WPHI, KMEL, WVEE, KBXX, KYLD, KHHT, WFLZ, among many others, with KMXV, KTFM, WIOQ and KC101 among this week's adds. Solid video support from BET and MTV further increasing the momentum. Richard Palmese and staff are making friends and closing Top 40 fast.

MTV On With the Shows

What, you were expecting a spinoff series about the Osbournes' dogs?

Newly named MTV/VH1 Entertainment Prez Brian Graden has announced that six new original series have been greenlighted for the 2002-03 season.

"With this new slate of programming, we're working with artists to create an even deeper connection with our audience, and, in certain cases, even including fans in the creative process," said Graden, who says not one of the new shows stars either Puck or Martha Quinn. "At its core, this new roster of shows is essentially about music and reflecting what life is like for many young adults today, and no, we are not planning a rock version of Fear Factor with David Lee Roth, Sammy Hagar and Gary Cherone."

The six new shows, which will bow either later this year or early 2003, are:

■ *mtvTREATMENT*: MTV and Korn look for an unknown video director to helm the third video from the band's new album, Untouchables, then follow them through the creative process. It's a rock version of Ben Affleck and Matt Damon's HBO series, *Project Greenlight*, featuring a cameo appearance by band manager Jeff Kwatinetz as Orson Welles. Premieres Q4 '02.

■ *artistLAUNCH*: An hour-long show documenting the making of an album, from writing and recording to label meetings, promotion, video shoots and paying off independent promoters. Like *The Sopranos*, with more violence. Bows Q4 '02.

■ *FM Nation*: MTV rides shotgun with young adults on a typical Saturday night looking for love, fun and adventure. Like *Happy Days* without the **Fonz**. Bows Q4 '02.

■ Crashing With...: Rock stars stay for a night with a typical "all-American" family. The premiere airs July 18, featuring Master P and Lil' Romeo crashing with the Quackenbush family in Shreveport, LA, where they are greeted by a welcoming committee bearing shotguns. ■ Made: MTV provides "full life makeovers" for subjects who desperately need a change. Each episode follows an individual's story over the course of however long it takes to achieve their intended goal. Michael Jackson will not appear. Six-episode slate bows Q1 '03.

■ Suspect: True Crime Stories: MTV solves real-life mysteries like catching the thief who took the cookies from the cookie jar or finding out if your girlfriend is seeing someone behind your back. From executive producer Mike Nichols, the show bows Q4 '02.



Graden: Programming whiz faces a big f**king challenge.



Why Has Jacko Gone Wacko?

udicrous, spiteful and hurtful" were the words issued by Sony Music in response to Michael Jackson branding company CEO Thomas D. Mottola "mean," "racist" and "very, very, very devilish" during a Saturday (7/6) press conference at the Rev. Al Sharpton's National Action Network in Harlem.

"It seems particularly bizarre that he has chosen to launch an unwarranted and ugly attack on an executive who has championed his career...for many, many years," the Sony statement continued.

Jackson later traveled to Sony's Manhattan HQ on a double-decker bus. He stood on the top deck and, raising his fists, joined the crowd in chanting, "Down with Tommy Mottola." He was greeted by around 150 fans hoisting signs reading "Please Sony, stop killing the music," "Terminate Tommy Mottola," and "*Invincible* is Unbreakable"—referring to the title of Jackson's most recent album, which he claims the company inadequately promoted.

Jackson held up a poster with three boxes marked "the Good," "the Bad" and "the Ugly"—with an image of himself in the "Good" box and Mottola's face with devil horns in the "Bad" box, while Mottola's real image adorned the "Ugly" box.

"Today's false statement makes it clear that Mr. Jackson's difficulties lie elsewhere than with the marketing and promotion of *Invincible*," the Sony statement alleged.

The severity of the personal attacks against Mottola generated shock throughout the industry and sent Sharpton scrambling to distance himself from Jackson.

"I have known Tommy for 15 or 20 years and have never known him to do or say anything that would be considered racist," Sharpton told *The New* York Post Monday. "In fact, he's always been supportive of the black music industry."

But on Tuesday, Jackson was once again at Sharpton's side as the reverend railed against the record biz.

So why has Michael Jackson lost it? Observers speculate that in exploring the ramifications of a new deal, Jackson discovered that his market value is \$8-10 million per album. That's big money—but in Jackson's case it's not nearly enough. It typically costs the onetime King of Pop more than that merely to make an album, with the cost of videos and marketing heaping on another \$15-20 million to total per-album expenditures.

At this point, no label is willing to invest \$30 million on an album that may sell 3-5 million worldwide—not unless Jackson gets his masters back and makes his back catalog part of the deal. His Sony contract calls for the reversion of his masters in eight years, not nearly soon enough for his present needs.

It appears that there's no viable move for the aging exsuperstar to make. He's stuck but he's not going down quietly.





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The adds this week at MTV are Eve/Alicia Keys (RR/Interscope), No Doubt (Interscope), Linkin Park (WB) and Moby (V2).



The adds this week at VH1 are Shakira (Epic), No Doubt (Interscope), Sheryl Crow (A&M/Interscope), Coldplay (Nettwerk/Capitol), Weezer (Geffen) and 311 (Volcano). Dave Matthews Band is Artist of the Month.



UMG Goes MP3 With EMusic

By Simon Glickman

Let's see if we've got this straight. Universal Music Group is making some 1,000 albums available as unprotected MP3 files via EMusic? Burnable, exportable, even sharable?

Yup. In a deal announced on Tuesday (7/9) with the Vivendi Universal online property, UMG will offer back-catalog material as part of what Universal eLabs head Larry Kenswil calls an "experiment." Among the UMG-furnished offerings are full-lengths from artists as diverse as Eric Clapton, Benny Goodman, Kool and the Gang and Rocket From the Crypt.

"We hope our experiment with EMusic will help us generate new interest in these titles," Kenswil points out, "while offering a great opportunity for us to give consumers some flexibility. There is clearly huge demand for music delivered digitally, and we want to support as many innovative online music services as possible. In order to continue to assess the market, we hope to enter into similar agreements for this segment of our catalog with other subscription services."

Subscribers who pony up \$9.99 per month (with a 12month commitment; a threemonth plan is slightly more) have unlimited access to the material in unprotected MP3 form. It's the biggest move to the popular, unrestricted format by a major label group so far. EMusic is offering free trials as well.

"Vivendi Universal is committed to being a worldwide pioneer in distributing all types of content to consumers over the Internet and other next-generation platforms," proclaimed VU Net USA chief Robin Richards. "This digital delivery agreement between UMG and EMusic is a milestone for the industry and clear example of that leadership."

Kenswil notes that, as free peer-to-peer services have widened their reach, more specialized music has been pushed aside. "The more popular something becomes, the more mainstream it becomes," he notes. "If you have millions of people 'sharing their favorite files' though I wouldn't put it that way—you're going to have what's selling."

In any case, he adds, UMG is trying different models to see what works in what Kenswil characterizes as a "fluid and surprising" period of transition for online music. While he compares EMusic's untethered, allyou-can-download model to a music club, he believes that, ultimately, "secure" files represent the future. "Otherwise you're stuck with one price point," he insists. "DRM [digital rights management] is becoming increasingly invisible and less restrictive-consumers will soon be able to do everything with rights-managed music except redistribute it.'

Digital-music observers have long searched for a distribution model that parallels the multiple venues and income streams generated by a major film as it moves from limited theatrical release to pay-per-view, cable, DVD and ultimately broadcast TV. Offerings like those in the UMG-EMusic deal could represent a later stop in that value chain, after a track has enjoyed its initial run in protected form.

EMusic says its service now boasts more than 50,000 subscribers and some 225,000 tracks from 900-plus labels.



They Love All People



David Gest, his lovely bride **Liza** and **Liz Taylor** tell **Michael Jackson** that they're not racists, and they've got at least 14 servants who will back them up. Meanwhile, Jacko proves he's not a racist, either, by exclusively hanging out with elderly white icons of the gay community.

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BMG (Total: 7)	395.7	5, 8 9	14	30, 39, 44
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JOHNNY B GOODE... AND BAD

A ROUNDUP OF FIRST-WEEK SALES PREDICTIONS (AS PRINTED IN ISSUE #800) Here's something we haven't seen much during this dispiriting year—an album that actually exceeds the expectations of the industry experts. This rare event took place last week with the release of Fo' Reel/Universal rapper Nelly's Nellyville, the eagerly anticipated follow-up to his 7 million-selling debut, Country Grammar. Unfortunately, this was not the case with Truthfully Speaking, the first album from Aftermath/Interscope's Truth Hurts, although the Dr. Dre protégé (real name: Shari Watson) did break 100k while nailing the #5 position on last week's HITS Album Sales Chart. These two outcomes resulted in a topsy-tury performance for prognosticator Johnny Coppola, but his guesstimates did result in his head shot appearing not once but twice in the space below. Nice going, Johnny. Better luck next time, Johnny. Thanks, also, to Maverick's Fred Croshal and Elektra's Michelle Madison for throwing down.





For Pete's Sake



Don lenner and the **Columbia Records** team strike a triumphant pose as they award the great **Pete Yorn** a plaque commemorating sales of more than 500,000 units. A visibly moved Yorn stood up and tearfully noted that none of his success would've been possible without the love and support of his brother, **Michael Ovitz**. Moments later, lenner stopped abruptly in his tracks, causing the displacement of several executive nasal cartilages.



JEAN-MARIE MESSIER BIDS VU "ADIEU"...



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MOVIE SCORES

Tit		Weekend Gross	Per Screen Average	Total Gross	Sound Track
1	MEN IN BLACK II	54.1m	15,209	90.0m	Col/SMS
2	MR. DEEDS	18.8m	3231	74.0m	RCA
3	LIKE MIKE	13.0m	5415	20.1m	Col/CRG
4	LILO & STITCH	12.7m	3942	103.1m	Disney
5	MINORITY REPORT	12.4m	4544	96.8m	DreamWorks
6	THE BOURNE IDENTITY	9.1m	3621	89.1m	Varese
7	SCOOBY-DOO	7.0m	2149	137.5m	Ati/Ati G
8	THE SUM OF ALL FEAR	\$ 3.7m	2356	111.9m	Elektra/EEG
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RELEASE DATE	ARTIST	LABEL	LAST MAJOR RELEASE	1ST WEEK SALES	OTC-U.S.
7/9/02	Butch Walker Counting Crows E-40 Glassjaw Red Hot Chili Peppers Styles	Arista Geffen Jive Warner Bros. Warner Bros. Ruff Ryders/Interscope	no previous LP 11/2/99 10/24/00 no previous LP 6/13/99 no previous LP	130,000 60,000 190,000	1,100,000 250,000 4,900,000
7/16/02	Austin Powers in Goldmember (ST) Dave Matthews Band Jerzee Monet Pulse Ultra Robert Plant The Vines	Maverick/Reprise RCA DreamWorks Velvet Hammer/Atl/Atl G Universal Capitol	6/1/99 2/27/01 no previous LP no previous LP 11/8/94 (Page/Plant) no previous LP	70,000 730,000 140,000	1,400,000 3,200,000 1,000,000
7/23/02	Abra Moore B2K (Remix) Boyz II Men Country Bears (ST) Lil' Wayne Mario Master of Disguise (ST) Now Vol. 10 (Various) Stuart Little 2 (ST) Smilez & Southstar Toby Keith TRUSTcompany	J Records Epic Arista Disney Cash Money/Universal J Records Columbia/SMS Epic Epic/SMS ArtistDirect DreamWorks Nashville Geffen	5/20/97 3/12/02 9/12/00 n/a 12/24/00 no previous LP n/a 3/19/2002 n/a no previous LP 8/28/01 no previous LP	2,000 110,000 130,000 200,000 420,000	80,000 590,000 700,000 800,000 2,000,000
7/30/02	Amerie Beth Orton Bruce Springsteen Darius Rucker Fear Factory Lamya Filter Knoc-Turn'al Linkin Park (Remix) Silverchair Sinch	Columbia/CRG Heavenly/Astralwerks Columbia/CRG Epic Roadrunner/IDJ J Records Reprise LAC/Elektra/EEG Warner Bros. Atlantic/Atl G Roadrunner/IDJ	no previous LP 3/9/99 11/21/95 no previous LP 4/24/01 no previous LP 8/24/99 no previous LP 10/24/00 3/16/99 no previous LP	13,000 110,000 40,000 45,000 45,000 30,000	250,000 630,000 160,000 850,000 7,100,000 520,000
8/6/02	Jarvis Church MTV Road Rules Vol. 1 (Various) XXX (ST) Project Pat Scarface Trick Daddy	RCA Roadrunner/IDJ Universal Loud/Columbia/CRG Def Jam South/IDJ Slip-n-Slide/Atlantic/Atl G	no previous LP n/a n/a 3/4/01 10/8/00 3/20/01	130,000 130,000 120,000	900,000 650,000 1,300,000
8/13/02	Doggystyle Allstars (Various) Kelly Price Keith Sweat Mary J Blige (Dance/Remix)	Doggystyle/MCA Def Soul/IDJ Elektra/EEG MCA	n/a 7/2/00 11/19/00 8/28/01	160,000 110,000 300,000	1,000,000 620,000 2,600,000

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HITS replies: Sorry, Chazman, but if you truly want to get Ricky's attention, show up here at the office with a dozen bananas and a box of Krispy Kremes. Otherwise, his retention lies somewhere between a gnat and a lily pad.

New London Calling

To whom it may concern:

DreamWorks recording artist Soluna made time to stop by our studio here in New London, CT, while on tour. Shown in the picture is Aurora Rodriguez, Jessica Castellanos, America Olivo and T Lopez, with yours truly, night jock Mike McKenzie. Unfortunately, they had to leave shortly after this picture was taken.

Mike McKenzie WQGN/Q105 New London, CT

HITS replies: Thanks for the photo, Mike. Unfortunately, we had to leave shortly after we received it.

She Really Loves Us

Todd & Lenny:

What a surprise! Thank you so much for the plaque. I will hang it proudly! Gosh, I know we tried to get a blow-up of this, so it was a complete surprise. Still looking forward to breaking bread with you guys.

Erica Farber

Radio & Records L.A., CA

HITS replies: Which one of you guys is gonna tell her you don't work for Billboard?

For Pete's Sake Hi Roy:

I hope this finds you well. Sorry to bother you with this, but I never got last week's issue with M&M on the cover (see what a rap expert I am?). Thank you.

- Pete Howard
- ICE magazine

Santa Monica, CA

HITS replies: No problem. Pete. The issue's in the mail, but be careful, because it will melt in your mouth, not in your hands,

Win, Place & No Show Hello:

Enclosed is your copy of The Eminem Show. We should have an approved bio completed next week, so please contact us then if you need one.

Dennis Dennehy Interscope Geffen A&M Santa Monica. CA HITS replies: Thanks, Dennis, but I think we'll wait for the movie. It may be that long before Eminem's

Munk Business

bio is officially approved.

Dear Roy:

Enclosed is David Munk's press photo and business card. Call if you need any additional info.

Rosemary Hart Denise Rich Songs N.Y.C. HITS replies: Here's a munk...and





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Goldberg. Bresalier will be

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Tracie Verlinde "Hop" is upped

to Senior Director Writer/Pub-

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Verlinde will continue to work

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attempt to secure enough free

drink tickets for the entire

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Him the Lizard King" Morrison

is appointed Marketing Direc-

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President Michael "Bad Moon"

Rosenberg. Morrison will

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Chiodo is boosted to Manager,

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Steve "& Eydie" Bartels.

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obert "Janie's Got a" Gandara is appointed Vice President of Marketing Planning for MCA Records by Sr. VP Mktg. & Sales Javne Simon "& Garfunkel." Gandara will manage and administer all marketing and promotion costs for the label, including radio, sales, video, advertising, tour, publicity and making change for a Euro... "Steely" Dan Cohen is tapped as Head of Marketing for Palm Pictures by founder Chris "Back In" Blackwell. Cohen will oversee development and implementation of all marketing efforts surrounding Palm music and audio-visual projects, including running the overhead projector at the weekly label meeting ... Jennifer "Juniper" Schaidler is named to head up Marketing and Mike "For What It's" Worthington is tapped as Vice President of Sales, Domestic and International, respectively, for Redline Entertainment by label President Gary Arnold "Horschack." Schaidler was previously the creative force behind the marketing and advertising strategies of Best Buy, where she offered a free toaster oven for every album sold, while Worthington will build out the label's domestic and global sales teams as well as buff Tony Hawk's skateboard ... "Little" Steven Bre-







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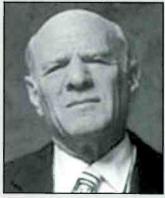


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All eves on Jean-Rene Fourtou, the 63-year-old chemical/pharmaceutical exec taking the Vivendi Universal baton from ousted CEO Jean-Marie Messier, as the next chapter in the Franco-American conglom's short but tumultuous life begins. Industryites wondering whether Fourtou will enlist a seasoned exec to oversee VU's entertainment businesses and are watching to see what role VU Entertainment honcho Barry Diller might have in his first moves. At this point, observers see two likely scenarios, both of which would benefit current UMG management: First, Fourtou may opt to sell the music group. Since regulators would prohibit a sale to another music company, UMG's management becomes a key asset. Second, Fourtou could spin off, carve out or issue a tracking stock for VU's entertainment assets, separating their fortunes from those of VU as a whole--good news for execs whose VU options are deeply underwater. Wonderers wondering

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BARRY DILLER: Expanding his French connection?

what dollar amount UMG could attract, given the unimpeachable success of Doug Morris and his posse since the \$10 billion PolyGram merger, as evidenced by the group's \$1 billion EBITDA. However, declining sales and towering threats to the business as a whole temper the proposition. What's the multiple?... Andy Schuon exiting Pressplay for a gig as President of Programming at Infinity under John Sykes, with whom he toiled at MTV/ VH1... In a possible response to Jeff Kwatinetz's acquisition of the Rick & Julie Yorn Show, is Ariel Emanuel of the Endeavor Agency looking to add music to his film and television rosters? Word is both Howard Kaufman's **HK Management and Bryan** Coleman/John Greenberg's Union Entertainment (Nickelback, Saliva, Default) are on his short list ... What's winding up Michael Jackson? One theory making the rounds holds that his bizzare grandstanding may partially stem from his realization that he needs his masters in order to make another MJ-sized deal elsewhere. The ranting, then, is designed to "motivate" Sony to give 'em up in order to get him to go away. At a cost of \$30 million-plus per album, only catalog revenue could make a new deal profitable. Given the unlikelihood of Sony giving up the masters, what's MJ's endgame? Where are consigliere John McClain and manager Trudy Green?... Names in the Rumor Mill: Guy Oseary, Allen Shapiro, Jerry Leiber & Mike Stoller, Mike Bebel and Kevin Murray.

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Little Steven's Underground Garage Opens Wide at Radio

There's even a third. First, Little Steven Van Zandt established himself as the guitarist for Bruce Springsteen's E Street Band and, as a solo artist, as organizer of the Sun City benefit compilation. More recently, he demonstrated his acting chops as natty mobster Sil-

who made good, who graduated out of the garage and crossed over into the pop world, where they had no business being. They had pop hits for 40 years without being a pop band! They opened the doors. Without the Rolling Stones, I don't think the Who, the Animals and the rest would have happened. And if the Stones are the archetypal garage band, Ithe

vio on HBO's The Sopranos. Now, Van Zandt has emerged as a force on the airwaves with Little Steven's Underground Garage, a syndicated weekly smorgasbord of rough-edged guitar music from the '60s to the present. In a mere two months, the programboosted by live appearances at Hard Rock Cafe outlets-has expanded from 23 to 51 North American markets. Fans of the show have even returned to hear archived broadcasts at littlesteven.com and hardrock.com. What's more, indie bands featured on the show have enjoyed spikes in popularity. But after talking to out-of-tune



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HITS screamer **Simon** "*Logy Logy*" **Glickman**, Van Zandt may want to put a padlock on his garage.

How did this come about?

The Hard Rock had always really supported live music and rock & roll in general. I went over there and met the heads of the company, and they were great guys and real rock & roll fanatics; they were itching to do something. I said, "Look, what I'm doing is below the radar. It's not mainstream. It's not really in the interests of the major record compa-

nies right now, or anybody else." But I'm trying to encourage this new contemporary garage movement, which is basically rock & roll as we always knew it, only now it's younger guys, and instead of listening to the '90s or the '80s, these guys are listening to the '60s. And that's how

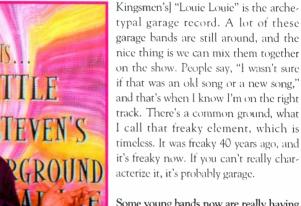
I characterize garage—it has to be directly connected to the '60s. Anyway, they were into it, and off we went into this crazy venture.

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What are the fundamental characteristics of the music, apart from the '60s connection?

Everybody was practicing in garages then! It's easy to say what it's not: drum machines, synthesizers. After that, it becomes totally subjective. I have my own definition of it—music that happened before hard rock, before Led Zeppelin and Black Sabbath—around '65-'66-'67. It's not keyboard-oriented; if there's keyboard, it's one of the small ones. I have a sort of family of garage—which are the pioneers and the influences of the British Invasion, the classic *Nuggets* stuff, the pop music of that period which crossed over, and the punky stuff, everything from Iggy and Lou Reed to the Dolls and the Ramones. Then there are the new generations of contemporary garage from the '80s and '90s. It's a broad definition, but they're all connected. They may be from different eras, but there's a common ground there.

Are there canonical '60s bands that more or less developed the sound? The Rolling Stones are the archetypal garage band. They're the ones



Some young bands now are really having success carrying that tradition forward. A major label just signed the Hives,

who we've been playing on the show. Things have gone as far as they can go. Rock & roll can't be any more dead. The choices we have couldn't be any more limited. We're down to hard rock, rap and pop. That's it. Nothing wrong with those three, but we need more choices.

Who's your audience?

We did 16 live shows last year, so I got a sense of it that way. It's really all over the place. Half the crowd was under 25. College kids all the way up into the 50s. It's a very strange kind of music that appeals to a cer-

acertain sensibility, young or old. You have a certain freak rock & roll gene in you, and it doesn't change. I don't feel any different about this than I did when I was 15, and there are a lot of people like me. And the younger kids are just discovering this stuff; it's fun for them.

And that's one thing really lacking, if you look around a little bit—there's not a lot of fun. It's kinda serious, kinda heavy.

Rock used to be party music.

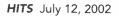
Yes, garage is really motivational, it gets you moving. But it isn't frivolous. It's got something that a generation or two missed.

There's very little space in contemporary radio for a jock with a programming sensibility.

We're trying to bring a little of that back. And if things keep going the way they're going, we're gonna have some impact. I'm starting to feel it. Up to 25,000 hits on LittleSteven.com, hundreds of e-mails. There's a groundswell of people who love being turned on to new things. That hasn't happened in 10-15 years. Everything's based on familiarity now, and I'm not doing that.

Who are some of the current underground bands you're playing?

There's the Shazam, the Greenhornes, the Swingin' Neckbreakers, Mooney Suzuki, Cotton Mather, Model Rockets. There's a ton of great bands—I'm finding a new one every week. It's a ball.



ΒY RODEL DELFIN

BUNNY-BLUE CHATTER: And we thought Vivendi Universal was the talk of the town. Lots of Warner Bros.-related dish filling industry ears as of this writing: Despite rumors of the Jeff Blue-inked Dry Cell being dropped by WB, insiders report at presstime that the band has not officially been let go. Static between the band and label is the cause of the problem, with DC demanding, among other things, an additional advance prior to their album's release. WB, however, is reportedly reluctant to yield. If the band ends up parting ways with the label, WB will more than likely want to recover recording costs, so all this friction could start getting expensive for Dry Cell. And despite rumors flying about Blue and Tom Whalley's relationship deteriorating, sources close to both parties say the gossip is entirely falseand that the recent band drama has, in fact, strengthened their bond. Nevertheless, talk continues to swirl as to what Blue's plans

may be, since his deal will soon be up. With Linkin Park sales passing the 7 mil mark domestically, Blue's a hot commodity. Will he stay or will he go? Meanwhile, former Reprise A&R ace Mio Vukovic, who oversaw the new Filter album-the first single from which had a smokin' first week at radio-is rumored to have been offered his old job back... Elsewhere in Bunnyland, rumors of Maverick being dissolved into WB by year's end, with A&R gunslingers Danny Strick, Berko and Michael Goldberg ending up on Whalley's staff are being flatly denied. Mav A&R will remain intact, sources say, and has even added new hire Scott Austin. Insiders share that partner Guy O and company are keeping Maverick clicking within WEA, particularly with Michelle Branch hitting the Platinum sales mark... Yes, other labels are doing stuff: Word has it DreamWorks, Gary Gersh and Elektra are the frontrunners in the All American Rejects derby. With the band still owing three albums to Doghouse Records, will this turn into a buyout or a licensing deal? Who's managing? The Brian Kline/Steve Stewartrepped The Sun made their showcase rounds prior to the July 4 break. With Immortal, American and WB leading the pack, who'll lock this one down? The Michael Barber-repped Light Heavyweight has been invited for another L.A. visit. Expect turnout from Capitol, Hollywood, RCA and V2 for their Viper Room show this week ... The John Davis-repped Flynova expects a weasel infestation at their Mercury Lounge showcase on Monday, 7/15. Don't miss out... ArtistDirect inks the Ryan Avanian/Tom Atencio-repped Mellowdrone. Expect a big future for this talented, forward-looking artist... The Steve Hutton-repped Kill Hannah inks with John Rubeli at Atlantic... Hollywood A&R dude Tom Morris inks Sloth... And Epic closers Polly Anthony and Rose

Noone sign the William Moore/ Alan Mintz-repped Gaby, who is said to have strong pop-soul vocal chops and serious guitar skills. Wow... And on the musicconfab tip, the Atlantis Music Conference will spotlight the South's brightest talent later this month. We'll see you there... BUZZIN': Dug Ray; 7th Standard, Smugface, the Break, Rhiann... Hit me up:

brotherxx@earthlink.net...

The Bunny



Getting the Bugs out?



WHO'S BUZZIN & WHERE

WHO	WHEN	WHERE	HOW COME?
JOHNNY LIVES	Tues., July 16 8:45pm	Brownies N.Y.	Expect label reps.
KRISTEEN YOUNG	Thurs., July 18 8:45pm	CBG B N.Y.	Songstress w/ Visconti-helmed demos.
PATRICK PARK	Thurs., July 18 9:15pm	Mercury Lounge N. Y .	Last chance before deal closes.
CELEBRITY	Thurs., July 18 TBD	Bowery Ballroom N.Y.	Pubcos also checking out headliner Juliana Theory.
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MOBY:

Our (and Eminem's) favorite techno artist still made of Stars as Area: Two tour hits this week, new single, "Extreme Ways," is added at MTV, PoMo radio..

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN:

He's "Rising" at APM, thanks to Columbia promo queen Trina Tombrink, with new album (7/30), tour set to hit the E-streets.

MARC YOUNG:

KAHA Honolulu PD leis it on the line, as station flips from PoMo to Classic Rock and he programs music he's too Young to remember.

MELODY LEE:

KROX Austin PD hits all the right notes with 5.5-6.0 rise, even if "it's only a trend."

AUDIOVENT:

Atlantic band feeling "The Energy," with Top 10 Active, Top 25 PoMo airplay, adds at KROQ, WXRK.









Rock

LYNN McDONNELL VP Alternative Promotion Reprise Records, Burbank

Box

In the three short months she's been a member of the **Reprise** family, PoMo's original promo diva **Lynn McDonnel** has helped to make Swedish imports **The Hives** stars in the States just like they are in the U.K. She's got major players like **WXRK**'s **Mike Peer** raving

about their live show, "The best I've seen in 10 years," and proclaims "'Hate To Say I Told You So' is researching like a motherfucker—Top 5 nationally on Callout America." She slammed **Filter**'s "Where Do We Go" into the Top 20 in just two weeks and is helping **Maverick's Gaby Skolnek** take **Home Town Hero**'s "Eighteen" further up the chart. She's also getting early airplay on **The Used** and has the format chomping at the bit to get a hold of **Disturbed**'s "The Prayer" (impacting 8/12). She adds: "We've got an incredible team here with **Phil, Raymond, Todd** and **Kurt** and some amazing music." KROQ! • Q101 • Live 105 • 89X • CD101 • WEND • WBUZ • & more!





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1	3	Sweetness PAPA ROACH - DreamWorks	#1 KXTE,KCXX
5	4	She Loves Me Not PUDDLE OF MUDD - Flawless/Geffen	#1 KTBZ,WJRR
7	5	Drift & Die HOOBASTANK - Island/IDJ	#1 99X,WLRS
3	6	Running Away SPIDER-MAN OST - Col/Roadrunner/IDJ/SMS	#1 WZTA,KUCD
6	7	Chad Kroeger/Josey Scott OUR LADY PEACE - Columbia/CRG	#1 89X,WDYL
8	8	Somewhere Out There SYSTEM OF A DOWN - Amer./Col/CRG	#1 WXRK,KQXR
9	9	Aerials INCUBUS - Immortal/Epic	WXSR Add
12	10	Warning THE HIVES - Sire/Reprise/BH/Epitaph	99X,KTCL Add
11	11	Hate To Say I Told You So BOX CAR RACER - MCA	#1 KDGE,KEDJ
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17	13	Without Me NEW FOUND GLORY - MCA	WEDG,WLRS Add
15	14	My Friends Over You STAIND - Flip/Elektra/EEG	#1 KMYZ
14	15	Epiphany P.O.D. - Atlantic/AG	WZZN adds "Satellite"
13	16	Boom CREED - Wind-up	#1 WGRD,WBSX
20	17	One Last Breath JACK JOHNSON - Enjoy	WHFS Add
16	18	Flake DEFAULT – TVT	#1 WRAX,WWDX
24	19	Deny WEEZER - Geffen	WBRU,KMYZ Add
18	20	Keep Fishin' LINKIN PARK - Warner Bros.	MTV Adds "Points Of Authority <mark>"</mark>
-	21	Papercut,Runaway MR. DEEDS OST - RCA	box office smash!
23	22	Dave Matthews Band THE WHITE STRIPES - Third Man/V2	WFNX,WJRR Add
19	23	Dead Leaves & The Dirty Ground UNWRITTEN LAW - Interscope	#2 Most Added
	24	Up All Night N.E.R.D Virgin	SALES!
25	25	Rock Star THE STROKES - RCA	Top 5 @ KROQ,91 <mark>X</mark>
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BABY'S ON FIRE: I'm celebrating the 801* issue of HITS by blasting the seminal art-rock masterpiece, 801 Live. Yes, I'm a dork. But I'm aspiring to be a geek—at least enough of one to be a contestant on Comedy Central's Beat the Geeks, my latest TiVo favorite. Don't make fun of me-you spent your holiday weekend online, just like I did, although when we IM'd on Friday night, I was with Erika at the Neil Finn show. Unlike Erika, however, I didn't "flash" Neil Finn backstage (but I'll let her tell you about that)... A pint of Graeters ice cream (black raspberry chip, of course) and two cheese coneys from Skyline Chili to John Michael on the occasion of his new gig as PD at Infinity PoMo WAQZ, following the impending exit of PD Rick Jamie. John has been PD at Tucson PoMo KFMA, guiding the station to its current status as one of the highest-rated PoMo outlets in the country. John should be arriving in Cincinnati around the same time Andy Schuon will be segueing into his new post as President of Programming at Infinity



Radio, reporting to Chairman/CEO John Sykes. In the meantime, will APD Libby Carstensen be named John Michael's successor? Could this be a return to the mainland for former KFMA MD Marc Young, now that KAHA has flipped from PoMo to Classic Rock? We'll let you know as soon as we read it on AllAccess.com.... Wind-up's Alan Galbraith didn't let the Fourth of July break preclude our beloved Irishman from being Most Added after the holiday with Seether's "Fine Again." After you see a brilliant fireworks display over lower

ALAN GALBRAITH: He's So Fine (Again)!

Manhattan this evening, it's just our way of congratulating Alan for procuring huge adds from KTBZ, WEDG, WBRU, WNFZ, WFNX, WBUZ, WARQ and KSYR this week!... Have you spoken to Rob Goldklang today? When I last chatted with him yesterday afternoon, he was stuck on a plane on the runway at LAX, delayed because of a "malfunction in the hydraulics." Um, isn't that what keeps the plane in the

air? More importantly, didn't United Airlines know that Rob needed to get to NYC to cover the Red Hot Chili Peppers' Pep Rally for K-Rock at Ellis Island? With Rob in tow, the band will continue the festivities surrounding the release of their new WB disc, By the Way, with a free show for 99X listeners in Atlanta. This show was nearly cancelled after the roof of the venue (the Tabernacle) suddenly collapsed yesterday. Luckily, Leslie Fram and Chris Williams were able to find another site for the concert (ignoring my suggestion of Nan Fisher's backyard), and the show will go on as planned. Unless the world abruptly spins off its axis, the RHCP album will debut at #1 on next week's PoMo Chart.... While you were celebrating our nation's independence by igniting illegal fireworks, eating your weight in barbecue and exposing your soft white underbelly to harmful UV rays, more than 10,000 kids went out and bought the new Reel Big Fish album, Cheer Up. In markets with even a smattering of PoMo airplay on "Where Have You Been," the album debuted in the Top 100, including #44 in Salt Lake City (X-96), #49 in St. Louis (KPNT), #51 in Buffalo (WEDG), #28 in Omaha, #43 in Rochester (WZNE). Jive promo goddess Lorraine Caruso will be more than happy to keep you informed of sales stories in your own market..... Before you even think of calling Jeff Sodikoff for Springsteen tickets (or in my case, begging for Neil Diamond tix), you'd better be fluent in all matters Columbia-related. Did you know, for instance, that System of a Down's "Aerials" is a research MONSTER? Of course you did—you're already playing it in Power! Did you also know that the next Our Lady Peace single, "Innocent," has won Y100's on-air "battle" for the last four nights? Before you get too smug, be prepared to tell Soda why KROQ, Y100 and K-Rock are playing the new Quarashi single, "Mr. Jinx," but you haven't added it yet. And don't forget about the Riddlin Kids' "I Feel Fine," which remains one of KROX's biggest songs (and KROX's ratings kick ass-coincidence?).... We were overjoyed to see WEND, WBUZ and WHRL add the Doves' "Caught by the River" this week! Just when we caught our breath after an exhausting display of jubilation, we were immediately spun into another ecstatic frenzy at the sight of new Coldplay adds from Live105, KEDJ, KPOI, KUCD and WWDX! Yippee! Just wait until you see what will happen when you tell me how much you love the OK Go single, "Get Over It"—look out! My absolute belief in OK Go renders even Gary Spivack speechless. Only James Van Osdol understands me, poor guy.... Huge congrats to Ross and Matt at DreamWorks for pulling in Q101, WDYL, KROX, KTEG and KUCD on Sparta's "Cut Your Ribbon" this week! We LOVE this record (even more than we love our new DreamWorks beach towel-and that's saying something!).... Korn jumps back to #1 on the PoMo Chart this week, bolstered by massive airplay on "Thoughtless." The new Oasis album would've debuted, especially after a Top 20 sales debut (over 44k), but you've decided to let another format play the SMASH "Stop Crying Your Heart Out." Whose audience do you think bought the CD this week?... Ron Poore is readying the PoMo launch of Marc Copely's genius single, "Surprise," for adds next week. We've been screaming about this artist for months, along with John Moschitta, Lenny Diana and John O'Connell (to name a few). This song is perfect for your upper demo P1s.... Did you catch the rerun of Andrew W.K.'s astounding performance on SNL? He's the reason I'm willing to brave OZZfest with Dave Richards next month. KWOD, WKRL, WBUZ, WJSE, KLEC and WZZI added "She Is Beautiful" this week. No Andrew, it's YOU who are beautiful. Don't forget to TiVo Andrew W.K.'s appearance on Conan O'Brien this Thursday.... Since Sweden is the new Canada, you're going to love Blindside on Elektra. Hailing from the land-of-the-Hives, this band is signed to P.O.D.'s 3 Points label, through Elektra. "Pitiful" is the first single, and that's what Pete Rosenblum and Buddy Deal will be calling you if you can't hear this record!..... SONG TO HEAR: Yeah Yeah Yeahs' "Bang"..... PEO-PLE TO WATCH: Geordie Gillespie, Steve Leeds, Eric Baker and Howard Leon.

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MARC COPLEY • "Surprise" - RCA

DOVES • "Caught By The River" - Capitol

FINCH • "Letters To You" - drive-thru/MCA



GOO GOO DOLLS • "Big Machine" - Warner Bros.

MUST • "Freechild" - Wind-up

SCAPEGOAT WAX • "Lost Cause" - Hollywood

GOING FOR ADDS 7.22

30 SECONDS TO MARS • "Capricorn" - Immortal/Virgin

LIFEHOUSE • "Spin" - DreamWorks



PUDDLE OF MUDD • "She Hates Me" Flawless/Geffen

QUARASHI • "Mr. Jinx" Timebomb/Columbia/CRG

STROKE 9 • "100 Girls" - Cherry/Universal

GOING FOR ADDS 7.29

EMINEM • "Cleanin Out My Closet" - Aftermath/Interscope

GREENWHEEL • "Breathe" - Island/IDJ

JULY FOR KINGS • "Normal Life" - MCA

LENNY KRAVITZ • "If I Could Fall In Love Again" - Virgin

OK GO • "Get Over It" - Capitol

GAVIN ROSSDALE • "Adrenaline" (XXX OST) - Universal

THE STROKES • "Someday" - RCA

AMY STUDT • "Just A Little Girl" - Universal

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We couldn't help but jump for joy and send massive congratulations to darling Gina Juliano after seeing WARQ's current rrend and their huge leap from 4.9-6.2! Gina's enthusiastic response: "Right now, WARQ seems to have all the right ingredients: a kick-ass staff, great music, awesome promotions and killer diary placement!" Yes, it certainly all adds up and Gina is positively a favorite; just ask Capitol's Joe Rainey: "Gina is a true PoMo programmer; listens to her ears, pays attent on to both local and national info, and plays the hits while exposing projects she believes in." Where are the pom-poms? Look for WARQ's September 20 Fall show to be announced shortly with a magnificent line-up. As for what's rockin' those fine folks in Columbia, Gina adds: "The new Korn, Linkin Park, Audiovent, Nappy Roots and Papa Roach are doing great for us and I love the Sinch record." Well, Gina, we love you too!

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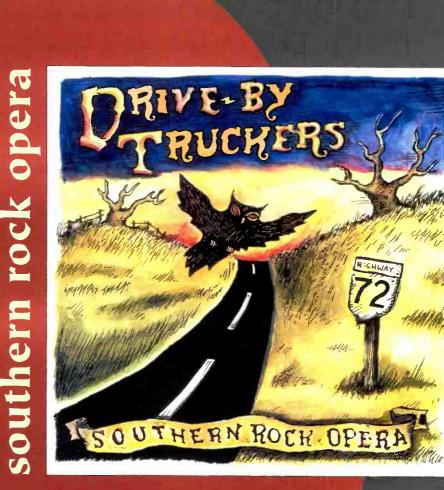
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_	9	BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN - Columbia/CRG "The Rising" single	#1 WBOS
8	10	GOO GOO DOLLS - Warner Bros.	Top 5 WRLT
10	11	Gutterflower JIMMY EAT WORLD - DreamWorks	Top 5 KTZO
9	12	Jimmy Eat World MOBY - V2	#1 WVOD
15	13	18 LOS LOBOS - Mammoth/Hollywood	Top 5 WMPS
11	14	Good Morning Aztlan INDIGO GIRLS - Epic	Top 5 WNCS
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17	15	MAIA SHARP - Concord Jazz Maia Sharp	#25 Mediabase!
19	16	CHRIS ISAAK - Reprise	Top 5 WXRT
14	17	Always Got Tonight WILCO - Nonesuch/Atlantic/AG	Top 5 WZEW
20	18	Yankee Hotel Foxtro॥ LUCE - Nettwerk	#1 WYEP
_	19	Luce COLDPLAY - Nettwerk/Capitol	KCTY add
24	20	"In My Place" single NEIL FINN - Nettwerk	On tour!
23	21	One All BRYAN FERRY - Virgin	#1 KBAC
		Frantic	
25	22	DROPLINE - 143/Reprise You Are Here	#1 WRLT
22	23	DISHWALLA - Immergent	Top 5 KAEP
_	24	Opaline DAVID BOWIE - Columbia/CRG	Top 5 WXRT
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- "Lost Another One" 1. GRAHAM NASH "Talking To Myself" 2. COUSTEAU 3. DAVID BAERWALD "Nething's Gonna Bring Me Down" Lost Highway/IDJ "In My Place" 4. COLDPLAY 5. KRISTIN CANDY "Crazy (About You)" 5. BRUCE HORNSBY "Sticks & Stones" combined adds from all HITS
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BY MIKE MORRISON

MEET THE NEW BOSS: First off, big-time congrats to Brad Holtz on his rise from interim MD to PD at WTTS Indianapolis. "I got a great deal of support over the last few months from the station staff as well as from [consultants] John and Dave at SBR," he told me last week, "and I'm thrilled to be getting the shot. We have another incredible 'TTS concert line-up this summer, as well as two more major races, so it'll be very busy." The station is now on the hunt for an on-air MD... Last week I broke bread with Karen Glauber (my now-boss, who I met when she was doing college radio promotion at A&M) and David Baerwald (whose David & David record Karen worked while with the label). Throw in the little-known factoid that Baerwald and I went to the same high school a couple of years apart (Palisades High here in L.A.) and you have the makings of a surreal afternoon. He and I compared memories of our respective high school bands, each insisting that the other's was the superior musical unit. (Baerwald on his band, the Spastics: "We sucked!) Thanks to Glenn Noblit for bringing him by the cesspool. And since we're talking Lost Highway, I should remind you to check out Kim Richey's exquisite new disc, Rise, as well as mention that impacting this week is "Let There Be Rock" from

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Drive By Truckers, whose whiskey-drenched epic Southern Rock Opera is all the rage here at the 'pool. (I handed out four copies today alone!)... I listened to a lot of music over the weekdend and, I gotta say, I keep coming back to Patty Griffin's sumptuous 1000 Kisses, one of several acousticbased records ripe to cross over in this post-O Brother world. With more than 60k already sold, we believe that this

DAVID BAERWALD "Mike who?"

record has the legs to be another "real music" sleeper (a la Wilco) ... KTCZ MD Mike Wolf and I were talking about the John Mayer phenomenon. Mayer's Room For Squares has been steadily selling 40k/week, and

the growth curve has been the same in Minneapolis as it's been elsewherepractically vertical! "In April, he sold out an 800-seater in a matter of hours," said Wolf. "His next show, at Northrop Auditorium, which holds around 4500, also sold out almost immediately. John Mayer is the APM artist of the yearjust like David Gray last year and Train the year before"... Speaking of "artists of the year," Norah Jones' "Don't Know Why" is just beginning its ascent at Hot Adult. Now is not the time to slow the record down. Most stations are still well under 300 plays. This will likely be the most reactive record our format sees all year. Don't make your listeners go elsewhere to hear it...Big-time props to Palm's Greg Seese on a smokin' week with Cousteau's "Talking To Myself." He brought in WXRT, WKOC, KRVB, WZEW, WMPS, KBAC, WMVY and KTBG. And, with KCRW all over the album, this town is abuzz with anticipation for the band's Troubadour date next week. Can't wait!... Props to Jenni Sperandeo at Astralwerks for nailing two huge adds this week on Beth Orton's "Concrete Sky" in KMTT and WMMM. With the press gobbling up the album and MTV2 adding the video this week, look for strong initial sales when Daybreaker hits stores at the end of the month... Howie Day is now selling 3.5-4k copies per week, this as "Ghost" makes its Mediabase debut and gets the nod at KMTT! Epic's Jo Hodge also brought in a coupla good ones this week (WRLT and WKOC) on Phantom Planet's new "Lonely Day" ... There's great feedback coming back on Peter Stuart's "With My Heart In Your Hands" on Vanguard. Many are saying it recalls "Everything Falls Apart" from Stuart's Dog's Eye View days which, I'm sure you remember, went #1 at APM and Hot Adult. Art Phillips is out there setting up the record with all kinds of cool station visits and events, including a WXRT Free Sample and a play at the Midwest Conclave sponsored by KTCZ and WGVX (who added the record two weeks early and are already up to 17 ppw!). Don't miss Peter's Fox Theater performance on opening night (Wed 8/14) of the A3 Summit in Boulder with Sonia Dada and Dave Pirner (whose "Never Recover" was added at WTTS this week!)... Finally, thanks to WRNX, KTEE and KMTN for adding Bruce Hornsby's "Sticks & Stones" and to KRSH for hitting Joe Bonamassa's "Unbroken"... 'Til next time, I remain... hitsmm@aol.com...

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a hard place between а rock and by john lenac

"THE FUTURE'S IN THE AIR": "I can feel it everywhere-blowing with the wind of change"-Klaus Meine. You can hear that on the new Scorpions 30th anniversary Very Best of release on Hip-O/ Universal and feel the gust waft across the country. Let's start with the gale forces that whipped through Boston as news of Dave Douglas exiting the PD chair at WAAF leaked across the national airwaves via Opie & Anthony's show. Saga Active Rock Format Specialist and WLZR Milwaukee PD Keith Hastings will be taking the reigns in the next couple of weeks. We're sure Dave will land on his feet nicely with 23 years of broadcasting under his belt (including KGB and KISW), his complete comprehension of the format and demo and all of his talents wrapped inside one of the nicest guys in the biz... In tornado alley, a new twister call "The Buzz" touched down yesterday (7/8) with 50k watts ripping through Oklahoma City. Clear Channel AC KOSR exchanged the wimp for a healthy dose of Staind, Incubus, P.O.D. and Tool. Director of Programming for the cluster L.J. Smith tells me that MD Joe Friday is in place, but he's looking for a PD and an entire staff to be "100% live and local soon." Send him your shit: 50 Penn Place #1000, Oklahoma City, OK, 73118-but "no calls, PLEASE!" Unless you're at a label and like hearing L.J. say: "We're not dayparting anything" just as much as I do (405-840-5271). Hit www.okcbuzz.com to find out more... He also says The Hives are one

of their Top 10 played bands. Raymond added WBZX and WTPT to the list of 30+ rockers playing their smash "Hate To Say I Told You So." He also nabbed KRXQ and WTPT on the new Filter. KUFO's Al Scott was raving about the fine job Richard Patrick did with "Where Do We Go" as he trumped my holiday weekend story with tales of he and Hilaire Brosio parading around the woods of the Pacific Northwest... Former

WRCQ PD Aaron Robert blew into Roanoke to snatch the PD stripes and Fritz gets the official nod to PD at WRQC... Big props to Cheryl and Adan for picking up Chevelle adds at WYSP,



DAVE DOUGLAS Beantown warric becomes free agent.

WLUM, WMMS, WBZX, KATT, WTFX, WQXA, WRXL and a dozen more in the last two weeks... Another one of our promo star friends, Alan Galbraith, is killing with Seether adds at KORC, WBZX, WRXL, KRQC, WJJO and WBYR. KRXQ's Pat Martin hears "Fine Again" as the massive hit that it is: "This is a band you gotta see on stage... They kick ass! These guys have a powerful sound with a melodic base...and good songs. They sound like the real deal!"... Jann Hendry already has KXXR, KQRC, WLZR, WLUM, WQBK, WKLQ, KAZR and a handful of other early Flipp believers. Come on—you know yer a freak like me... It was a change to see Tommy Lee on stage holding a mic instead of drumsticks (what, did you think I was gonna toss out some reference to his dick?). He's a rock star and puts on a great show as a frontman. Openers Headstrong also kicked ass and so are Burrs and Blair with The Color Red. In the last two weeks, they've gathered 25 adds, including WLZR, WLUM, WNOR and WQBK... Loudermilk blew everyone away at the LA showcase. Laura Curtin is gonna have a blast with these rock stars at radio in August... Seminal rock stars Aerosmith debuted over the 130k mark on their Ultimate Greatest Hits... LaGambina and Gmeiner picked up more 30 Seconds To Mars love and head into the "Capricorn" impact two weeks from now with a dozen early believers (including KUPD, WQBK and KHTQ)... Wait till Gaby plays you the new Unloco. Suh weeeeeeeet... Get well soon, Sharon ...



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MIKE HALLORAN/PD KFSD/SAN DIEGO

"Red West is unbelievably good. I think they are currently unsigned, but they are Jeff Buckley-meets-Jack Johnson-meets-Godhead. Watch for them. Some local bands also striking a chord are Pinback and Vertibird. I love the new Coldplay, the Vines' 'Get Free' and Doves' 'Caught By The River.' I'm also pleased to hear the drummer from Goober and the Peas is doing so well in his new band."



"Arlo's 'Stop The Unstoppable Hero' on Subpop is one of the best rock records I've heard in a long time. Yes, rock. The new Coldplay sounds just amazing on the air. Elvis vs. JXL's 'A Little Less Corversation' is a super-cool spice record for the summer and I am very pleased to see other stations picking up on Clinic!"





SHANE COX/PD WOKI/KNOXVILLE

"I'm not a huge **Bruce Springsteen** fan. His stuff has not traditionally been my first choice for personal listening. But I really do like this new record, and it's sounding *fantastic* on the air—very powerful. Also, the **Chuck Prophet** song gets lots of calls and reeks of 'hit!' It's the perfect 'Summertime Thing'!"

AL SCOTT/APD-MD KUFO/PORTLAND, OR

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The Vines, Highly Evolved (Capitol): Strokes, Stripes, Hives, next? The timing couldn't be better for the arrival of this high-octane band from Sydney. The Vines openly worship at the shrines of Lennon and Cobain, and their debut album juxtaposes blasts of Nirvana-derived fury (the single "Get Free," the 94second title track) with billows of Beatlesque psyche-

delia ("Mary Jane," "Autumn Shade"). Band leader Craig Nicholls, 24, is equally adept at serrated shrieks and dusky warbles, while as a guitarist he reels off the circular riffs both his avatars favored; "Sunshinin'," for example, revisits "Daytripper," while "In the Jungle" smells like "Come as You Are." Rather than slavish, however, the album comes off as affecting and entertaining. (B.S.)

Ash, Free All Angels (Kinetic): This Irish quartet may be celebrating around a decade of making music, but since they started at age 15, they're still ahead of the game. Frontman and main songwriter Tim Wheeler spearheads the band's canny blend of Britpop, glam, emo and a sprinke of techno, lending crunch and urgency to hooky tracks like insis-



tent lead single "Burn Baby Burn," the symphonic, beat-driven "Candy," the club-rocking "Submission" and the incandescent ballads "Someday" and "There's a Star." It's music with real scope and ambition—not to mention emotional range. Look for 'em on Moby's Area: Two tour. (S.G.)



Original Sinners, Original Sinners (Nitro): With Exene Cervenka fronting the debut of this versatile five-piece for Offspring leader Dexter Holland's label, it's no surprise echoes of X are everywhere. "Birds and Bees" and "Who's Laughing Now" sport that seminal LA. band's patented revved-up punkabilly, while those wailing harmonies are now present not only in "Whiskey for

Supper" (featuring guitarist Jason Edge), but in the swamp-blues of "Bringin' Me Down," this time with a female vocalist (bassist Kim Chi). Moving beyond, Cervenka proves equally adept at a Knitters' country twang in "Woke Up This Momin" and even straps on a guitar for several Link Wray-style rave-ups like the fuzz-toned surf psychedelia of "Tick Tock," with axe cohort Sam Soto. (R.T.)

The Mighty Mighty Bosstones, A Jackknife to a Swan (Sideonedummy/Big Rig): Twelve years after Devil's Night Out, the seminal Beantown ska-punk octet is still outdoing itself. From the leadoff title track, it's evident that the Tones' rock edge has only gotten edgier, and, further on, their ska skankier. Guitarist Lawrence Katz's searing chunk-and-squall yields to



clean-as-a-whistle upbeats (after an opening trio of brilliant rockers) in "Everybody's Better," a pristine rock-steady study in slinkiness. After that, it's all manic, joyous give and take between the two styles, with Dicky Barrett's dark lyric visualizations making the most of the hybrid. Other standouts: "The Old School Off the Bright" and "Shit Out of Luck." Just lettin' it all hang out. (J.O.) (rock2k mugs

THEY GIVE A PUCK: RCA Alternative Prome god Rick Morrison and a lovely companion get together with culinary artiste Worgang Puck to see about finalizing a deal to implant tiny heat-activated MP3 players loaded with Dave Matthews Band promotional dips in hundreds of thousands of Volfgang Fuce Frozen Entrees. "Zees

ees quite eentairesting to me," Puck observed. "But zee delicate flaveurs of zee succulent steamed Manila clams and duck sausages, would zey be truly complemented by zee patchouli-scented musical interplay of zee DMB?" While he thought it over, Puck suggested the pair bring by **The Strokes**, since he needed some help whipping up a fresh batch of pizza dough.



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ROACHES CHECK IN: And after rubbing to against be sonnel from Seattle's **107.7 The End** for about five minutes, they do check our again. Seen thanging on a fence against one of Washington's famed suicide skies, the boys from **Papa Roach** try to concentrate on the "lowe" part of their new album, *love-hatetragedy.* "That **Michael Jackson** sure z great. I love what he's owing for artists everywhere," observed the band's **Coby Shaddiu** "Yeah—imagine the

possibilities if he and **Don Henley** got together," replied fellow Roach **Tobin Esperance**. Doing their best to just get along are (back, I-r) PR's Esperance, End MD **Seth Resler**, PR's **Jerry Horton**, End Promotion Director **Voula Kolios** and Account Executive **Rob Erickson**; (front, I-r) PR's **David Buckner**, End Audio Architect **Jake Kaplan** and PR's Shaddix.



PARTY OF TWO: Yeah, life's pretty rough when you have Jennifer Love Hewitt hanging all over you, begging you to take her to Sunday School. Seen doing some advance legwork for her forthcoming third album, Bare Naked, the multitalented actress-cum-pop-diva encourages 97X specialty show host Jay Harren to play her record, but otherwise treat her just like any other artist

he might encounter despite her being a film/television superstar and everything. "Not only do I know what you did last summer," Harren explained, "I know what you have done practically every day of your life. Want to see my diaries? You were great as **Audrey Hepburn!**" Later, the pair went off to listen to Hewitt's collection of **John Mayer** bootlegs.





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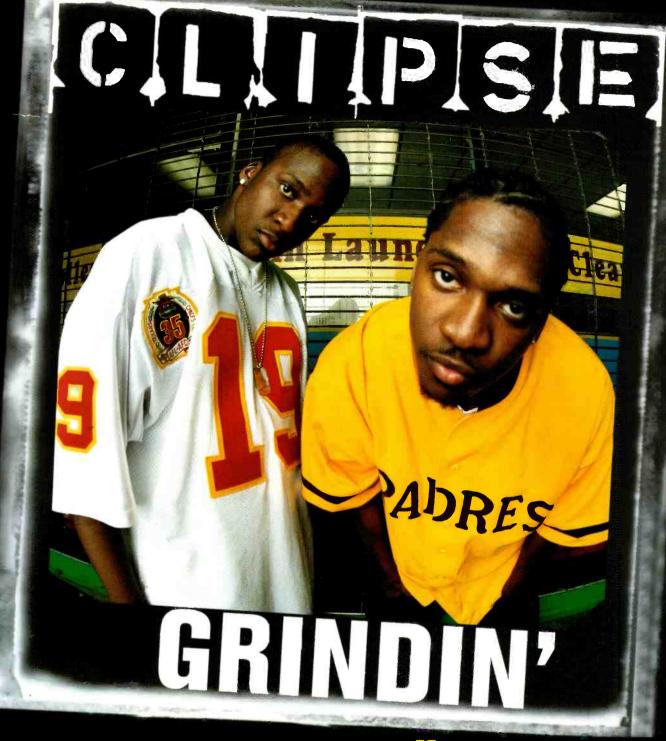




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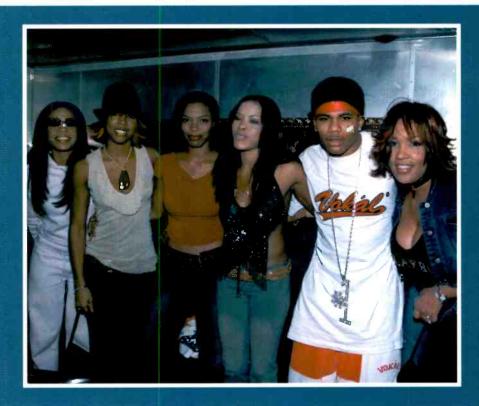
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Chart-topping Fo' Reel/Universal megastar Nelly (seen here with members of Columbia's Destiny's Chilc and some really hot actresses after winning his first AMA trophy) has every reason to celetrate. So what's wrong? "I can't help it," he confessed. "I just keep thinking about custed VU head Jean-Marie Messier. Sure, he got a mad exit package, but his vision of corporate synergy has been sericusly compromised." Later Nelly consoled himself by joining the girls in a hot tub with a case of Cristal.

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by Liz Montalbano

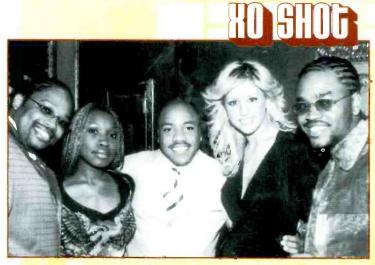
NEW ARTISTS ARE THE LIFELINE: Does it seem to be getting worse or is it just me? Almost a year has passed since the tragic events of 9/11, which paralyzed the economy, made huge dents in most corporations and changed the face of the music industry. After 10 months, you would think that we'd be somewhat on the road to recovery... But this doesn't seem to be the case. With ongoing cutbacks at record labels directly affecting marketing and promotion monies and available jobs, the decreasing stock value of many radio groups and computer technology cutting into album sales and profits, it has become increasingly apparent that we may be heading for an even bigger facelift than anticipated. Just look at the last fourth- and firstquarter releases. Not only has that number decreased by almost half, but the projects that have come out are struggling to reach respectable numbers. Nelly and Eminem have raised some hopes in the hearts of those in the business. But is this enough to really make a difference? I'm not sure. In this time of uncertainty and obscurity, I think it's important for us to focus on new talent and the potential stars as they will play a key role in stabilizing, if not securing, the future of the music business. So on this note, I would like to point out some new talent that I believe, if given the opportunity, has the potential to pump fresh blood into the industry. 1) MARIO: This young man will be one of the bigger stars in the next couple of years. J Records has cultivated the next Usher, if you will. I know Ron Gillyard doesn't like to compare the two, but this is the closest I can get to describe the star potential this kid possesses. "Just a Friend 2002" has set the stage for him these past of couple of

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MARIO: J protege. 2002" has set the stage for him these past of couple of months, and could be a #1 record across all formats very shortly. The album hits later this month, and, from what I've heard of it, should entertain a heavy impact. I'm anticipating the second single, which should drop shortly. 2) AMERIE: Another Mid-Atlantic native rises out of the Columbia camp, raising her hand and making her stamp. I had the pleasure of meeting her a couple of months ago and must say that I haven't met a sweeter, more downto-earth artist in a while. She possesses the innocence of a high school grad and the poise and confidence of a 30year-old. Extremely talented and beautiful, she could be a future heavy hitter. "Why Don't We Fall In Love," which was originally positioned as a set-up track, has caught the

ears and hearts of many programmers and is rapidly moving up the Urban and Rhythm Crossover charts. Her next single, "Talking to Me," will hit prior to the album, All I Have, which drops later this month. Securing two singles and maximizing her exposure before the album is a job well-done on the company's part. 3) JENE: This Florida native jumps onto the scene practically from nowhere to catch the ear of music master Kedar Massenburg. Jene is a cross between Britney Spears and "old" Pink in musical and personal styles. Not only does she have an incredible voice, which would blow pretty much any vet in the business away, she has a certain aura about her that exudes stardom. She's confident, outgoing and can handle pretty much any room you throw her into. Her current single, "Get Into Something," is about to debut at Rhythm as the video lands at BET and MTV next week. Her album is packed with an unusual amount of potential hits. This is one project you should get your hands on. 4) TWEET: This young lady is poised for big shit as she successfully delivers two radio smashes and an album that is easily one of the best of the year. Surpassing Gold, Southern Hummingbird is destined for Platinum status with her third single. The Elektra crew knew from the very start what they had on their hands, and jumped right on it. Not only is she a musical genius, but a marketing department's wet dream. She's beautiful, striking, confident and sexy. To sum it up-SELLABLE! And that's exactly what they've done. You know you've got the goods when you have folks already anticipating your sophomore album. K...SHIT THAT'S MOVING AT RADIO QUICKLY: Usher's "Can U Help Me," Clipse's "Grindin," Angie Martinez's "If I Could Go," Eve f/Alicia Keys' "Gangsta Lovin," Nelly's "Dilemma" and Slum Village's "Tainted." Hit me at eliz0315@aol.com. Never forget.



Gordy Have Mercy: Motown President/CEO Kedar Massenburg gets up close and personal with four artists, who stand in awe of the label's incredible history. Later, they all visited the legendary spot where Miss Diana Ross threw a salad at her assistant because it was overdressed. Seen are (I-r) Dave Hollister, Meelah of 702, Massenburg, Jene and DJ Rogers Jr.



BRUCE ST. JAMES PD / KKFR / PHOENIX

As summer rolls on, our MVP spotlight continues to focus on those stations

enjoying Spring Arbitrend success. This week, we shout out **KKFR** Phoenix and PD **Bruce St. James**. For the second trend, **PCWER 92** blasts forward 4.4 to 5.1 for P12+ behind a 6.0 to 7.4 jump in P18-34! "Besides the fact that I'm a programming genius, I'd attribute most of this latest jump to the fact that we dropped an unusually bad month, while putting on a pretty good one," commented St. James when asked to explain the station's surge. "And, thankfully, we work for **Emmis**-a company where we're not judged every 30 days. Rather, we have a long-term plan in place that allows us to continue to evolve and freshen this station. In particular, I have to highlight **Joey & Johnny** in afternoons. Since their January arrival, we've gone from 9th to 2nd in PM Drive by doing a personality-driven show. Now, add **MG's Morning Madhouse** to the mix as of a few weeks ago, and it's easy to see that this is truly an exciting time for us." Hey, Bruce—it's exciting at *HITS*, too, y'know. Witness the zzzzzzzzz...

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"Cleanin' Out My Closet"	Aftermath/Interscope
"Trade It All – Pt. 2"	Epic
"Gangsta Lovin'"	RR/Interscope
"All Eyez On Me"	J Records
	"Feel It Boy" "Cleanin' Out My Closet" "Trade It All – Pt. 2" "Gangsta Lovin'"

most requested

Artist	Title	Label
1. P. Diddy & Ginuwine	" Need A Girl (Part 2)"	Bad Boy/Arista
2. Big Tymers	"Still Fly"	Cash Money/Universal
3. Mario	"Just A Friend 2002"	J Records
4. Irv Gotti Presents	"Down 4 U"	Murder Inc./IDJ
5. Eminem	"Without Me"	Aftermath/Interscope

CHACHW USED

by Mark Feather

WHAT, I GOTTA GO BACK?: It was really nice to have five full days off for the Fourth of July. The only problem was coming back to work on Monday. DAMN! And I'm not really quite up to speed yet, even as I write this. So, what better time than now to present you with another edition of random thoughts—little tidbits, some music-related and others not—that I've jotted down recently and feel like sharing. Please enjoy... Went to my first-ever Gay Pride celebration a couple of weeks back. Very eye-opening. Even though I thought I spent quite a bit of time in "the community," I truly had no idea that there were so many of us around. I mean Santa Monica Boulevard was just packed for blocks. Had a great time at the parade and festival and, for the first time in my more than two years in this city, felt very much like this is now home. During my time in radio, the feeling that a new city had become home usu-

ally meant I was about to be fired. Hope that's not the case this time... Happy to see **Usher's** latest debut on the charts this week, but still I'm wondering—what took so long? Quite simply, this song is a one *listen* smash! Now, I know it's summer and "Can U Help Me" is a ballad, but it's a great ballad from a superstar whose latest CD is 4x Platinum! Can you say built-in familiarity? WNVZ, 92Q, KQKS, KZZP, KBAT and others can, as all add the record this week. Combine that with last week's adds that included KXJM and KBMB and the solid rotational support at such market leaders as WZMX, KQBT, KDDB and KXME, and it's become obvious that Usher is about to go four for four. Smash, smash, smash.



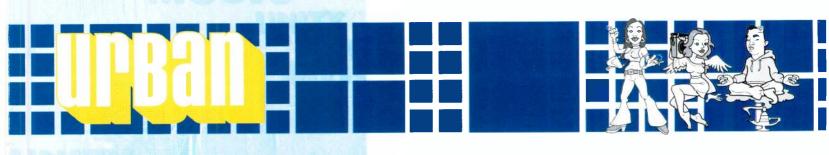
USHER: Help-ing radio again.

And, before we leave Rick Sackheim's Arista world, I also wanna point out that "Grindin" from Clipse is coming home, too. Recent adds include WPGC and WJHM-the latter of which is indicative of the fact that the record is now starting to expand beyond its Crossover base... Had a chance to listen to some new CDs lately. My favorite? Paul Oakenfold's Bunkka, Wow-what great music and what a variety of sounds and textures from an artist who is often pigeonholed as strictly dance-oriented. Among my favorite cuts is a track with Ice Cube called "Get 'Em Up" and another entitled "Time of Your Life." But by far the best jam on the CD is "Starry-Eyed Surprise," featuring vocals from Shifty Shellshock of Crazy Town. Not only could Rhythm radio easily play this obvious home run, but it could be a huge record at Mainstream as well... Ya know, honestly, as much as I love living in L.A., I still have one serious guestion-why no boyfriend? I mean, I've upgraded my appearance and have plenty of dates, but it seems that anybody I like is either taken or not interested in being more than friends (albeit sometimes "with benefits"). True, there are currently some "potentials" (including Doug, a hot actor/screenwriter I recently met while we were both walking our dogs), but no clear partner as yet, and that sucks. And, I'm absolutely not gonna just jump into something for the sake of saying I'm in a relationship. Duh... Thanks to Mike Whited at ArtistDirect for sending me over the new Berlin CD, Voyeur. Listened to it just this morning and I am absolutely jammin' to "With A Touch." Terri Nunn is back and in fine vocal form. Speaking of ArtistDirect, did ya notice the great chart action they've got with Smilez and Southstar? "Who Wants This" is breaking out of the South from stations like WLLD and KQBT, and is now spreading West with a recent add at KKFR and solid support at KBMB and KBOS... Spent the Fourth amongst the masses of men at Club Papi inside Circus Disco. Went with that Latin hottie Henry (another "potential," but I can't quite figure him out just yet). Had a great time. The place was overflowing, with Monica's "All Eyez on Me" the favorite jam in the Hip Hop and R&B room (as well as at radio with waaayyyy too many adds to list here and solid airplay to back them up). Meanwhile, the huge room featuring house music really seemed to enjoy a remix of the latest from Kylie Minoque. Additionally, "Love At First Sight" continues to be well-received at dance and pop-leaning Rhythm stations, as well (read: WKTU, KZZP, WPYO, etc.)... Looking forward to cocktails with **Virgin**'s Enrique Ongpin later this week. It should be fun, seeing as Enrique's in a great mood after 26 stations added the Beenie Man f/Janet record "Feel It Boy" a full week ahead of the 7/16 official add date. With stations like KGGI, WMBX, KDON and others already on board, and significant unreported airplay in place at the likes of KKFR, KPWR, KHTN and more, it seems that the sky's the limit on this one come next week and beyond... And that's this week's edition of random thoughts. Until next week-C-yal...

GERALD LEVERT FUNNY

THE FIRST SINGLE FROM HIS NEW ALBUM THE G SPOT NO DOUBT YOU'LL BE FEELING THIS ONE JULY 22





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"Wow, the *HITS* offices are nicer than I expected," enthuses **Motown's Dusean Dawson** to our own **Juliette Jones**. "Yeah, they're so clean and minimalist—really fashionable," agreed the label's **Amon Parker**. "But why does the lady outside keep asking if you want to rent the space for another hour?" Replied Juliette, "Um, peach martini, anyone?" Seen are (I-r) Motown's **Michael Johnson**, Dawson, Jones, artist **Remy Shand**, Parker and **Conrad Cooper**.





TIFFANY GREEN WGCI APD Chicago

Now that you've gotten a weeklong break from us, it's that time again to

showcase who is SupeUrb in our book. This time around, we want to give a shout to Tiffany Green, the recently named APD of WGCI Chicago. Tiffany's radio career began in 1995 as an intern at St. Louis stations KMJM and Y-98. Her hard work eventually led to her first fulltime gig as a programming assistant at KATZ under PD Chuck Atkins. In 1997, Tiffany made the move to Jacksonville as the MD of WJBT, holding it down there for four years. She then headed to Birmingham, where she was the PD of WENN, before returning to St. Louis, where she filled the PD slot at KATZ before heading to the Windy City. When asked how she felt about the new gig at heritage station WCGI, she enthused, "It's a great opportunity to learn from Elroy Smith." She also said that working at WGCI was "a lifelong dream." Here at HITS, our dreams aren't as lofty, as they always seem to come true every Friday, when we get outta here!

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by Juliette Jones

INDEPENDENCE DAY: I must admit that in recent years, that phrase has brought to mind a movie starring **Will Smith**, but since September 11, I have been forced to think about the real meaning. This was the first Fourth of July celebration since that terrible tragedy, and I think a lot of people have a renewed sense of pride about our independence. I saw part of the New York celebration on TV and I think

they did a great job of making this year special. I recently moved to L.A. and I still miss NYC. I lived there for several years and consider it my second home. I was there on 9/11 and I'm sorry I couldn't be there for the great show of spirit, spunk and resiliency on the fourth. I was also pleasantly surprised to see that this year it was a little less about drinking and barbecuing and more about being American, at least to some people... I swear, I think everyone I know went to the Essence Music Festival. I didn't go myself, so my good friend **Hakimah Shah** filled me in on the weekend. The lineup was incredible: Luther Vandross, Alicia Keys, Gerald



AMERICA: New Found Pride.

Levert, India.Arie, Faith Evans, Babyface, Mary J. Blige, The Isley Brothers, Angle Stone, Al Greene, Frankie Beverly and Maze and, of course, Steve Harvey and Cedric the Entertainer. Crowds aren't my favorite thing, and New Orleans in July isn't my favorite kind of weather, but this festival seems to be rapidly becoming the biggest show of the year for Urban music. Congratulations to my girl Nell Shumate, who does marketing for Essence. Must check it out next year... After the long weekend, I'm back and feeling rejuvenated, because all I did was relax. I did some work around my apartment and I went to the movies. I went to see The Bourne Identity-I'm happy to report that Like Mike, Bow Wow's movie, was sold out. I've got to borrow someone's kid and go see it. Men in Black Il opened this weekend as well, and it looks like a double whammy for Columbia artists Bow Wow and Will Smith. I can't wait to see how the third Columbia powerhouse, Ms. Beyonce Knowles, does with her feature film debut in the new "Austin Powers" movie, Goldmember. Her record is rapidly moving up the chart, and the video is amazing. I love to see music people getting these big roles in movies. Can't wait to see what Eminem's 8 Mile is all about-and I guess after such a huge sales week, a Nelly movie can't be far away. "Hot In Herre" is #1 in three formats, with album cuts exploding all over. Guess he didn't need any fireworks this year... I am so excited to report that two of my favorite new artists have records in the Top 10: Mario's "Just A Friend 2002" and Amerie's "Why Don't We fall In Love." Isn't it interesting that both are from the DC area? Congratulations to Ken Wilson, Cynthia Johnson, Stephanie Lopez and J Records for such a great job on Mario's record. Watch out for their other artists, including Lyric ("Young and Sexy"), Monica ("All Eyez on Me") and RL ("Good Man")... Lisa Ellis and James Brown are doing their thing over at Columbia, too. Besides Amerie, they're working Wyclef's "Two Wrongs," which is developing into a big hit, and Nas featuring Amerie on "Rule," from the Like Mike soundtrack. And, of course, Bevonce's "Work It Out" from the Goldmember soundtrack... I have to congratulate my boy Geo Bivins on Slum Village's "Tainted" entering the chart! This record is hot! WKYS, WDKX, WQOK, WPEG, WWDM, WWWZ, WPWX, WFUN, KKBT and WQUE all have this record in medium to heavy rotation and growing... Larry Khan and Craig Davis are doing a super job with the Nivea single, "Don't Mess With My Man." Several stations have this record in double digits, including WAMO, WBLK, WJTT, WWWZ, KJMM, WVEE and KKBT. I think Jive has a sleeper hit with this girl. The video has been in the countdown on 106 and Park for several weeks and it's really cute. That's it for me! Happy Birthday Joe (July 7) and Nicci Gilbert (July 8)! Hello: Gita Williams, Niki Benjamin, Roberta Magrini, Shawn Norman, Tammy Tisdell-Coleman and Regina Daniels.





DUUY DAVIS WJMZ - Greenville Keith Sweat - "One on One" - Elektra/EEG

"It's Keith at his best. This is a Keith Sweat market, so I'm going to play it to death!"



Nabe Bell WHRK - Memphis Avant • "Don't Say No..." • MJM/MCA

"A smash! We're getting great requests, and the test scores are through the roof already."



Daisy Davis WOWI - Nopeolk N.O.R.E. • "Nothin" • Dee Jam/IDJ

"Hottest song of the summer."



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"Big phones out of the box. She's a star!"



Brian Paiz WMNX - Wilmington Eve p/Alicia Keys · "Gangsta Lovin"" · RR/Interscope

"Instant phones. Females love this record."



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"Keith is back!"

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Artist	Title	Label
1. Eve f/Alicia Keys	"Gangsta Lovin'"	RR/Interscope
2. Trick Daddy	"In Da Wind"	SNS/Atlantic
3. 3LW f/P. Diddy & Loon	"I Do"	Epic
4. Boyz II Men f/F. Evans	"Relax Your Mind"	Arista
5. E-40	"Rep Your City"	Sick Wid It/Jive

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Artist	Title	Label
1. Irv Gotti Presents	"Down 4 U"	Murder Inc./IDJ
2. Monica	"All Eyez On Me"	J Records
3. N.O.R.E.	"Nothin'"	Def Jam/IDJ
4. Nelly f/Kelly Rowland	"Dilemma"	Fo' Reel/Universal
5. Fabolous	"Trade It All Pt.2"	Epic

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by Ricky Leigh Mensh

AMERICA THA BEAUTIFUL ... How are ya? Haven't talked to ya in a week. No column, no conference call, no two-way (whatta fukkin relief)... Bein' on tha road gives a DJ alotta time to think, which sometimes, for this DJ, iz a blessing and a curse... Like tha old saying goes, "My mind iz like a bad neighborhood; I try not to go there alone." But I did, even though I believe I have "junior Alzheimers," which prevents me from



G Wiz & Doom shortly after their midget aerobics class preparin for their gigs @ tha Marquee in J-ville.

how tha fukk can you talk to me intelligently about what's goin on in my market if you've never been here, that'z why!" Being tha DC boy that I am & having spent alotta time in Philly & even having lived there for a bit when I waz DJin @ tha 94th Aerosquadron, it angered me that this nutsac was hockin' me on something that I knew wouldn't work for my station's audience. I'm on tha road az we speak. I've probably averaged bein on tha road between four-to-six months a yr. since '93 when I left my full-time radio career,



Stan "Tha Man' Priest, Tampa radio legend, Mons Venus VIP & occasional doorman @ Jannis Landing.

whatever, who sez: "I can't understand why you're not playin' this record in your mix show, man! It'z huge in Philly!" So I asked him, "Have you ever been to Sacramento?" Hiz reply, of course, waz, "No, why?" Why, I ask myself, iz this muthafukka askin' me such a dumb-ass question-WHY? So I respond with: "Cuz

rememberin' exactly when, but I think it waz around '91, DJin @ KSFM, when I got

a call from sum record fool workin' me on



besides talkin... Hora for tha Ear Nothing. Mitzvah I'm DJin."

Ron "Redd Jimmy Jam-Z: Dogg" Love "Sorry I couldn't doin what he make tha gig Ricky. Had to practice tha duz best

downsized it to sum

parttime @ KCAQ, Z90, etc. & came to tha luvlee cesspool we call HITS. Even the I've had tha luv & support of hundreds of tha U.S.' best sets of ears to talk to about what'z goin on around tha country in their respective markets, it'z been no great mystery to me that the absolute best way to talk to ANY DJ about their market iz to go there. Haven't been to every single one; tho I hope to accomplish that before I hang up my headphones for good. I've been to most of 'em that I deal with & for that, I'm proud to say that it'z reinforced what I've always believed to be true about our bizness regarding one's ability to talk intelligently to

tha mix community, PDz/MDz/any z's about muzic by being there, not just by phone, fax, two-way, etc... So, to all my friends in tha mix, including WJBT's G Wiz & Doom, WFLZ's Stan "Tha Man" Priest, Dr. Dave (Clifton Media/ Loose Cannon), WMBX's Tha Babaluz Richie Rich & DJ Ray & X-CEL, Felix "Mama" Sama, WDME's DJ Ron "That'z Mr." Love, WJHM's Jimmy "James" Jam-Z, who waz bizzee DJin weddings, Bar Mitzvahs, NASCAR, BET Soundstage (thanks to Ron Love, who also DJz there for tha tour, fireworks, etc. @ Pleasure Island), WWBZ's Corey "Jamaican Me Crazy" Hill & many more to come (I might call sum more audibles @ tha line of scrimmage & see sum more folks), I'm lookin forward to talkin to ya bout sum muzic this wk. Meanwhile, on tha heelz of all tha Nas controversy in NY, look for Power 105.1 to make sum history

when tha Spring book lands in a few w/an incredible debut! Congratz in advance to Messrs. Steve Smith, Doc Wynter, Michael "World B Free" Saunders, Ed & Dre et al...



Corey Hill, who prefers milk & cookies @ The Plex in Charleston, az oppozed to a more "blunted" menu while vacationing in Jamaica.

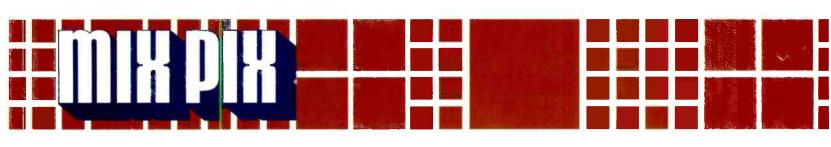
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2.	HOLIDAY STYLES	Good Times	Ruff Ryders/Interscope
3.	FREEWAY	Line 'em Up	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ
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4-R831 KGG Monica "All Eyez On Me"

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"Smooth like satin sheets & still mix-show-friendly! J Records does it again for the summer!"



K-Cel NMRX

Faith Evans F/Missy Elliott "Burnin Up" Arista

"The Faith is my motherfuckin' jam!! If you ain't playin this, you ain't playin shit!!! It's in my mix ta sho!!



Corey Hart WSNX / WJFX / WDKF / WNDV / WIYD **3LW F/LOON** "I Do (Wanna Get Close to You)" EDic

"I'm a big believer in this single, and if that's not enough, it's a big hit in the mix shows at every station I play it on!"



Wreck KIGV Floctry "Floetic" **DreamWorks**

"This joint is definitely something to smoke to... Verrrry smooved-out! They freaked this beat the way it needed to be freaked! I think it's a perfect mix-show record!"



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Flipmode Squad 'Just Chill' **J Reco**rds

"Just a couple of seconds listening to that, and I'm ready to bang it in the clubs all nite long!"



Trouble T WKKV "Good Times" Ruff Ryders/Interscope

"This song is a hit, and surprisingly, not just with the DJs who smoke! With the melodic sample, it definitely didn't take too long for the rest of the world to catch up with us! Your PDs and MDs should add this, and for the ones who don't, you should plant 'em a flower or something!"

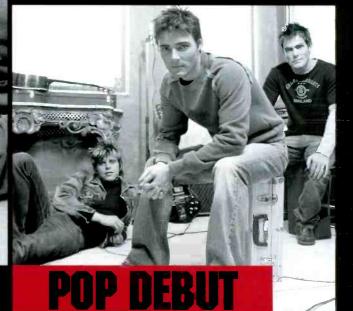








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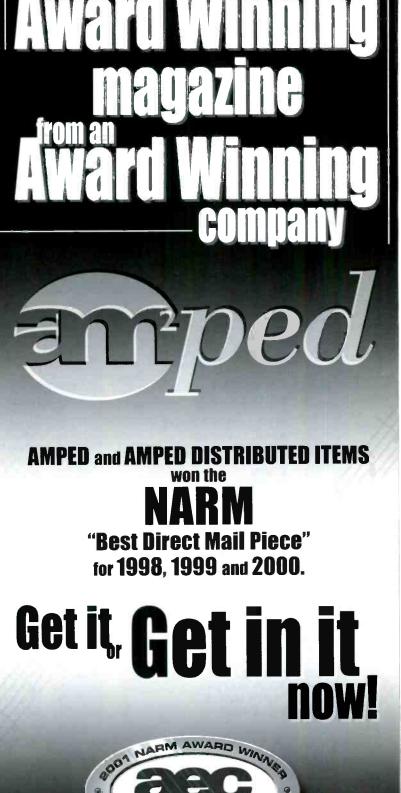
Universal Music and Video Distribution will spearhead a broad-based experiment, releasing what they term "a very significant" number of singles in three test markets. Word has it, at the very least, two of the four other major music groups are taking a hard look at following suit. Retailers have been singing the blues over the seeming death of the sinale for years, with the ongoing controversy being whether or not they indeed cannibalize LP sales. Insiders close to the situation confirm, starting in August and running through October, UMVD will release virtually "every song that we are taking to radio" to retailers in Boston, Detroit and Houston. BMG insiders tell us they are in favor of the test and are currently in talks with their labels to see if they can mirror UMVD's efforts during the same time period. This would essentially increase UMVD's output from around five singles a month to some 20 or more. Obviously the label groups cannot discuss pricing issues, but it is clear UMVD's plan does not include any discount

SITTING IT OUT?



LEW GARRETT: If not Lew, then who?

plans and will probably hover around the \$3.98 price point. We are told, if the singles sell and don't cannibalize album sales, it will lead "to a different plan of action than we have going on now." And if they do in fact adversely affect LP sales? The status quo would remain in effect with that knowledge in hand instead of dealing with it in the hypothetical. Sony is also said to be considering the same action, but did not return calls by presstime ... Wherehouse Music recently installed former AutoNation honcho Jerry Comstock as CEO and is, in turn, losing industry vet Larry Gaines as President. That WM has been bleeding red ink is no secret. Most in the industry tell us it's imperative WM bring in someone of Gaines' stature to help Comstock rebuild the business. It's been no secret that their first choice was former Camelot and Vallev alum Lew Garrett. But we are told Garrett will most likely not be coming on board without Gaines. Are we to read anything into the fact parent company Cerberus, which already has a sizeable stake in competitor Trans World Entertainment, bought some more when TW's stock recently dipped?... Is The Wiz about to become a racked account? They might have no choice with the seeming inability to interest any veteran buyers to move to Long Island. Music head Lynne Murphy, who is losing virtually her entire staff in the move from New Jersey, is said to have given job offers to several industry vets to no avail.



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- 2. EMINEM
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- 1. EMINEM 2. NELLY
- 3. IRV GOTTI PRESENTS ...

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- 10. **BIG TYMERS**



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- 7. N.O.R.E.
- JOHN MAYER 8.
- TRUTH HURTS 9
- 10. ANASTACIA



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- 1. NELLY
- EMINEM 2. 3. **AVRIL LAVIGNE**
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- **NORAH JONES** 6.
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- 8. **DIRTY VEGAS**
- 9. **GREEN DAY**
- 10. JOHN MAYER



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- **KENNY CHESNEY** 10.



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- DONELL JONES 10.



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- 9. SOULFLY
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- **ASHANTI** 7.
- P.DIDDY 8.
- **AEROSMITH (G. HITS)** 9.
- 10. **BIG TYMERS**

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Cuts That Impact Album Sales

¥	ÿ	Ý	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
_		1	NELLY	HOT IN HERRE	Fo'Reel/Universal	Monster #1 debut LP, MTV, BET, Top 40, X-over, phones
_		2	EMINEM	WITHOUT ME	Aftermath/Interscope	MTV, MTV2, multi-format radio, phones, huge LP sales
_	_	3	AVRIL LAVIGNE	COMPLICATED	Arista	LP blowing up, MTV(Buzzworthy), VH1, Top 40, Hot A/C
_		4	IRV GOTTI	DOWN 4 U	Murder Inc./IDJ	With Ashanti, JaRule, BET, MTV, X-over, monster debut
	_	5	KORN	HERE TO STAY	Immortal/Epic	MTV, A. Rock, PoMo, "Thoughtless" starting A. Rock, new LP
_	_	6	PAPA ROACH	SHE LOVES ME NOT	DreamWorks	MTV, PoMo and A. Rock, new LP selling
_		7	SHERYL CROW	SOAK UP THE SUN	A&M/Interscope	MTV, VH1, Top 40, Mod AC, APM, phones, track still on TV
_	_	8	P. DIDDY f/USHER	I NEED A GIRL, PT. 1	Bad Boy/Arista	MTV, BET, X-over, Top 40, phones, LP solid as a rock
_	_	9	ASHANTI	FOOLISH	Murder Inc./IDJ	VH1, some radio, "Happy" on all video channels
	_	10	NORAH JONES	DON'T KNOW WHY	Blue Note/Virgin	MTV2, VH1, phones, APM, Mod A/C hot, LP heading Platinum
_	_	11	JOHN MAYER	NO SUCH THING	Aware/Columbia/CRG	MTV, VH1, Top 40, Hot and Modern AC, hot LP, phones
_	—	12	WILL SMITH	BLACK SUIT'S COMIN'	Columbia/CRG	"Men In Black, 2" (ST), #1 movie, MTV, BET, Top 40
_		13	PINK	JUST LIKE A PILL	Arista	MTV, VH1, Top 40 and Hot A/C, multi-Platinum LP
_	_	14	TRUTH HURTS	ADDICTIVE	Aftermath/Interscope	Dr. Dre protege, MTV, BET, X-over, Top 40, hot LP debut
_	_	15	OUR LADY PEACE	SOMEWHERE OUT THERE	Columbia/CRG	MTV, VH1, new LP selling, PoMo and Top 40
_		16	P. DIDDY f/GINUWINE	I NEED A GIRL, PT. 2	Bad Boy/Arista	X-over, from P. Diddy's LP, BET
_	_	17	N.O.R.E.	NOTHIN'	Def Jam/IDJ	MTV, BET, X-over, strong debut on LP chart
_	_	18	DIRTY VEGAS	DAYS GO BY	Capitol	From Mitsubishi TV campaign, VH1, MTV, MTV2, Top 40, hot LP
_		19	BIG TYMERS	STILL FLY	Cash Money/Universal	MTV, BET, X-over, Top 40, phones, multi-Platinum LP
_	_	20	CHAD KROEGER F/JOSEY SCOTT	HERO	RR/Columbia/IDJ	From "Spider-Man" (ST), A. Rock & PoMo, MTV, VH1, phones
_	_	21	NEW FOUND GLORY	MY FRIENDS OVER YOU	Drive Thru/MCA	Smash at A. Rock, PoMo, MTV, VH1, solid LP sales
_		22	VANESSA CARLTON	A THOUSAND MILES	A&M/Interscope	VH1, radio, developing LP, "Ordinary Day" starting
—	_	23	ENRIQUE	DON'T TURN OFF	Interscope	Hot at Top 40 & Hot A/C, VH1, MTV, LP triple-Platinum
_	_	24	CELINE DION	A NEW DAY HAS COME	Epic	Top 40, Hot AC, LP continues, "I'm Alive" starting
		25	JIMMY EAT WORLD	THE MIDDLE	DreamWorks	VH1, phones, some radio, "Sweetness" MTV2, A. Rock, PoMo

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ÿ	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
26	SHAKIRA	UNDERNEATH YOUR	Epic	Falling slowly now, LP double-Platinum, "Objection" starts
27	NO DOUBT	HELLA GOOD	Interscope	VH1, PoMo, Top 40, phones, "Underneath It All" PoMo & MTv
28	JACK JOHNSON	FLAKE	Enjoy/Universal	Mod AC, APM, VH1, breaking LP continues to grow
29	CREED	ONE LAST BREATH	Wind-Up	PoMo, A. Rock, Top 40, MTV & VH1, mega-Platinum LP, phones
30		DRIFT AND DIE	Flaw/Gef/Interscope	A. Rock and PoMo, at Top 40, MTV, VH1, LP Platinum-plus
31	PAULINA RUBIO	DON'T SAY GOODBYE	Universal	Latina Diva debuts with hot LP, Hot A/C, Top 40, MTV, VH1
32	MICHELLE BRANCH	ALL YOU WANTED	Maverick/WB	MTV, Top 40, Modern Adult, phones, Platinum LP, thriving
33	MARC ANTHONY	I'VE GOT YOU	Columbia/CRG	Urban Adult, Top 40, VH1, LP selling
34	THE HIVES	HATE TO SAY I TOLD	Sire/Reprise/BH/Epitaph	MTV (Buzzworthy), MTV2, hot at PoMo, A. Rock, from Sweden
35	NELLY	THE DILEMMA	Fo'Reel/Universal	Features Kelly Roland, X-over, hot #1 debut on LP this week
36	ANASTACIA	ONE DAY IN YOUR	Epic	VH1, Top 40 radio, LP selling
37	ASHANTI	HAPPY	Murder Inc./IDJ	Follow up to smash, MTV, BET, MTV2, X-over, Top 40, hot LP
38	KHIA	MY NECK, MY BACK	DD/Artemis	BET, MTV, X-over, some Top 40, phones, developing LF sales
39	HOOBASTANK	RUNNING AWAY	Island/IDJ	MTV, MTV2, A. Rock, PoMo, LP continues to develop
40	MUSIQ	HALF CRAZY	Def Soul/IDJ	VH1, BET, X-over, Urban Adult, MTV, LP selling, phones

MTV (Buzzworthy), MTV2, hot at PoMo, A. Rock, from Sweden Features Kelly Roland, X-over, hot #1 debut on LP this week VH1, Top 40 radio, LP selling Follow up to smash, MTV, BET, MTV2, X-over, Top 40, hot LP BET, MTV, X-over, some Top 40, phones, developing LF sales MTV, MTV2, A. Rock, PoMo, LP continues to develop VH1, BET, X-over, Urban Adult, MTV, LP selling, phones GOTS TA BE MTV, BET, X-over, Urban Adult, Platinum LP, T40 B2K Epic 41 DAVE MATTHEWS BAND WHERE ARE YOU GOING RCA "Mr. Deeds" (ST), movie #2, PoMo and Top 40, VH1, NTV 42 KELLY OSBOURNE PAPA DON'T PREACH Epic From "Osbourne's" TV soundtrack, A. Rock, PoMo, MTV, LP sales 43 JENNIFER LOPEZ I'M GONNA BE ALRIGHT Epic MTV, VH1, Top 40, X-over, BET, phones, LP Platinum-plus AA TWEET CALL ME Goldmind/Elektra/EEG BET, VH1, MTV, X-over, Top 40, follow up to smash 45 **CRAIG DAVID** WALKING AWAY WS/Atlantic/Atl G VH1, Urban Adult, X-over, Top 40, Platinum-plus LP 46 BRANDY **FULL MOON** Atlantic/Atl G MTV, BET, X-over, Top 40, phones, Platinum-plus LP 47 CAM'RON OH BOY Roc-A-Fella/IDJ BET, MTV, Urban Adult, X-over, phones, LP selling 48 Capitol KYLIE MINOGUE LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT VH1, MTV, Top 40, Hot A/C, LP nearing Platinum 49

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RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS (WB) JOSH GROBAN (143/Reprise) MICHELLE BRANCH (Maverick/WB)

DON'T LET ME GET ME

TRUSTCOMPANY (Geffen/Interscope) COUNTING CROWS (Geffen/Interscope) SMILEZ & SOUTHSTAR (ArtistDirect)

THE VINES (Capitol) JERZEE MONÉT (DreamWorks) BRITNEY SPEARS (Maverick/Reprise)

Going away, "Just Like a Pill" hot everywhere

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WINNERS

1	NELLY f/K. ROWLAND	Dilemma	(FR/Universal)	6	OUR LADY PEACE	Somewhere Out	(Col/CRG)
2	DANIEL BEDINGFIELD	Gotta Get Thru	(Island/IDJ)	7	NORAH JONES	Don't Know Why	(B Note/Virgin)
3	ELVIS PRESLEY vs JXL	A Little Less	(RCA)	8	JENNIFER LOVE HEWITT	Barenaked	(Jive)
4	MICHELLE BRANCH	Goodbye To You	(Mav/WB)	9	BBMAK	Out Of My Heart	(Hollywood)
5	BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN	The Rising	(Col/CRG)	10	JACK JOHNSON	Flake	(Enjoy/Universal)

JR KBMB/SACRAMENTO Usher/S Village/J Monet

FISHER WHZT/GREENVILLE, SC Nivea/D Bedingfield/R. Kelly & Jay-Z

WEASEL WJFX/FT. WAYNE Monica/Nelly f/K. Rowland/Eve f/A Keys

ORLANDO WLLD/TAMPA LL Cool J/N.O.R.E./Clipse

KRAIMER WMBZ/MEMPHIS J Johnson/S Princess/M Branch

JIM ALLEN WDJX/LOUISVILLE V Carlton/M Branch/Eve f/A Keys

RUSS ALLEN WJBT/JACKSONVILLE Usher/1. Gotti

JEFF ANDREWS WSNX/GRAND RAPIDS YY Twins/Soluna

TOMMY AUSTIN KQKQ/OMAHA Nelly f/K. Rowland/D Bedingfield

JAMES BAKER K101/SAN FRANCISCO Elvis/JL Hewitt/Splender/Jewel ERIK BRADLEY B96/CHICAGO B Man f/Janet/3LW/R. Kelly/B Tymers

DAVE BREWSTER WRMF/WEST PALM BEACH JL Hewitt

ERIN BRISTOL WMT/CEDAR RAPIDS CD Johnson/B Springsteen/Elvis

AL BURKE WRFY/READING M Branch/Jewel

TOM CALOCOCCI KBXX/HOUSTON Eve f/A Keys/Monica

CHRIS CALLOWAY KRUF/SHREVEPORT N Jones/OL Peace/Nelly f/K. Rowland

AJ CARLISLE KVUU/COLORADO SPRINGS JE World/Hoobastank/P Roach/Coldplay

CHRIS CARMICHAEL WVSR/CHARLESTON Beyonce/B Spears

ROBIN COLE WBNS/COLUMBUS S Crow/Rosey/Ninedays

KYLIE CURLEY WXYK/GULFPORT, MS D Bedingfield/Hoobastank/V Carlton JEFF CUSHMAN WOMX/ORLANDO B Springsteen/N Jones

TOMMY DEL RIO KSEQ/FRESNO Nelly f/K. Rowland/Eve f/A Keys

DAVID EDGAR WNOU/INDIANAPOLIS Elvis/V Carlton/Eve f/A Keys/Hoobastank

CAREY EDWARDS KZPT/TUCSON Splender/OL Peace/B Springsteen

DIANNE FOX KWIN/STOCKTON Nelly f/K. Rowland/A Rene/Usher

MARK FRENCH WMXY/YOUNGSTOWN, OH BBMak/C Dion

CHARESE FRUGE KMXB/LAS VEGAS Elvis/GG Dolls/Hoobastank

MICHAEL GIFFORD KIMN/DENVER JL Hewitt/Splender/J Johnson/M Branch

TOM GJERDRUM KALC/DENVER N Jones/Elvis/Jewel

JOHNNY HARTWELL WZPT/PITTSBURGH OL Peace/Jewel



CURRENT FAVORITES AS CHOSEN BY MEMBERS OF ALL SEGMENTS OF THE MUSIC INDUSTRY

DAVID J WVRV/ST. LOUIS Coldplay/J Johnson

E. CURTIS JOHNSON KALZ/FRESNO M Branch/Luce

JOHN E. KAGE KQKS/DENVER Eve f/A Keys/Nelly f/K. Rowland/T Daddy/N Roots

SHARON KELLY WDAQ/DANBURY BBMak/C Dion

KEITH KENNEDY WKDD/AKRON CD Johnson/N Jones

KRISTY KNIGHT WSSR/TAMPA M Branch

SIMON KNIGHTS KTOZ/SPRINGFIELD Elvis/N Jones/K Chambers

JOE LIMARDI WZOK/ROCKFORD V Carlton/BBMak/Hoobastank

LESLIE LOIS KZPT/TUCSON Splender/B Springsteen

JAY LOVE WJHM/ORLANDO Ginuwine/Archie Eversole

MIKE LOWE WAOA/MELBORNE B Springsteen/Mario/M Street/D Bedingfield

DEREK MADDEN KLLC/SAN FRANCISCO Ninedays/RHC Peppers/Elvis/D Sheik

CHRIS MANN WAEZ/TRI CITIES B Spears/Shakira/BBMak

TONY MANN WAPE/JACKSONVILLE Elvis/OL Peace

MICHAEL MARTINEZ KEZR/SAN JOSE Elvis/B Springsteen/N Jones JIM MATTHEWS KZZO/SACRAMENTO Coldplay/R Zero/OL Peace

JEFF MCCARTNEY KZHT/SALT LAKE CITY Nelly f/K. Rowland/JL Hewitt

MARK MCCRAY WMBX/W PALM BEACH L Wayne

DARREN MCPEAKE KBBY/OXNARD Silverchair/7 & The Sun/Hives/Oasis

TAP MONEY WJMH/GREENSBORO, NC Styles/J Monet/Skills

MIKE MULLANEY WBMX/BOSTON Elvis/J Mayer/Rubyhorse/OL Peace

MEGAN MURPHY WMRV/BINGHAMPTON J Mayer/V Carlton/M Branch/Hoobastank

SHAWN MURPHY WQGN/NEW LONDON A Morissette/Mario/C Dion/NB Nature

COURTNEY NELSON KSII/EL PASO CD Johnson/Coldplay

JOHN O'DEA WNNK/HARRISBURG B Springsteen/M Branch/GG Dolls/JL Hewitt

DUNCAN PAYTON KMYI/SAN DIEGO B Springsteen/GG Dolls/OL Peace

TOM PEACE WRVW/NASHVILLE Nelly f/K. Rowland

JIM ROBINSON KAMX/AUSTIN M Branch/Jewel

JILL ROEN KSTP/MINNEAPOLIS N Jones

BECKY ROGERS KURB/LITTLE ROCK Elvis/B Springsteen/JL Hewitt/Splender **STEW SCHANTZ** WSKS/UTICA M Branch/Elvis/Nelly f/Ashanti

SEAN SELLERS WWZZ/WASHINGTON DC OL Peace/Ninedays/N Jones/D Confessional

NEAL SHARPE WLNK/CHARLOTTE J Johnson/OL Peace/B Springsteen

SCOOTER B. STEVENS KQBT/AUSTIN L Wayne/Usher/J Monet/Monica

SHERYL STEWART KRSK/PORTLAND Elvis

DION SUMMERS WERQ/BALTIMORE Eve f/A Keys/F Evans

DAVE SWAN KSRZ/OMAHA Creed/D Matthews/B Springsteen

TONY TECATE KSFM/SACRAMENTO Eve f/A Keys/Crooked I/Monica

EJ TYLER KLLY/BAKERSFIELD Elvis

RICK VAUGHN WKSS/HARTFORD Ashanti/Eve f/A Keys

SHAWN VINCENT WMMX/DAYTON N Jones

TODD VIOLET KRBZ/KANSAS CITY Coldplay/Dishwalla/NF Glory/Moby

BRIAN WALLACE WHHH/INDIANAPOLIS Eve f/A Keys/N Roots/E-40

BILL WEST WZYP/HUNTSVILLE A Studt/M Branch/GG Dolls

ROB WHITE CKEY/BUFFALO Coldplay



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David Hasselhoff calls in for "One Bourbon, One Scotch, One Beer."

LW	тw	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL H	IOTS	INCL	JDING		%
	1	AVRIL LAVIGNE	Complicated	Arista	39	WNOU WRMF	WKSS WSKS	WWZZ WMBZ	57
-	2	EMINEM	Without Me	After/Interscope	37	WRVW WMRV	KQKS KQKQ	KIIS WAOA	54
	3	NELLY	Hot In Herre	Fo' Reel/Universal	32	WNOU WJJS	WKSS KWIN	WDJX WAOA	47
	4	PINK	Just Like A Pill	Arista	30	KIIS WVSR	WAPE WHTS	WAEZ WQGN	44
	5	P. DIDDY	l Need A Girl Part 2	Bad Boy/Arista	29	KSFM WJFX	WJMH KWIN	KQBT B96	43
	6	KHIA	My Neck, My Back	Dirty Down/Artemis	28	WHHH WXYK	KDGS KQKQ	WHZT WJFX	41
	7	DJ SAMMY	Heaven	Robbins Ent.	27	KZHT WJJS	KRBE KQKQ	KRUF WAOA	40
	8	C. KROEGER F/J. SCOTT	Hero	RR/Col/IDJ	26	WWZZ WZYP	KRBE WMBZ	WAPE WVSR	38
	9	NELLY	Dilemma	Fo' Reel/Universal	25	WKSS KSEQ	WLLD B96	KBMB WHYI	37
	10	MARIO	Just A Friend 2002	J Records	24	WHHH WXYK	KBMB KQBT	KSFM WJHM	35
	11	IRV GOTTI PRESENTS	Down 4 U	Murder Inc./IDJ	23	KBMB WHYI	KSFM WJHM	KDGS KSEQ	34
	12	BIG TYMERS	Still Fly	CM/Universal	22	KQKS WHZT	WLLD KSEQ	WHHH WJHM	32
	13	DIRTY VEGAS	Days Go By	Capitol	21	WXKS WAEZ	WHZT WZYP	WZOK KIMN	31
_	14	P. DIDDY	l Need A Girl Part 1	Bad Boy/Arista	20	KBMB WHTS	WRVW WZOK	KZHT WAPE	29
	15	KELLY OSBOURNE	Papa Don't Preach	Epic	19	KIIS KRUF	WXKS WDJX	KRBE KFMS	28
_	16	CAM'RON	Oh Boy	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ	18	WJMH WSNX	WKQI WSKS	KZMG WBZZ	26
	17	JOHN MAYER	No Such Thing	Aware/Col/CRG	17	WNOK WQGN	G105 KIOI	KMXB WZOK	25
	18	JIMMY EAT WORLD	The Middle	DreamWorks	16	WAPE KIMN	WZYP KIOI	WSTR WZOK	24
	19	SOLUNA	For All Time	DreamWorks	15	WDJX WBZZ	KIIS WSKS	KFMD WKZL	22
	20	EMINEM	Cleaning Out My	After/Interscope	14	KSFM WHZT	KQKQ KDGS	KKRZ KSEQ	21

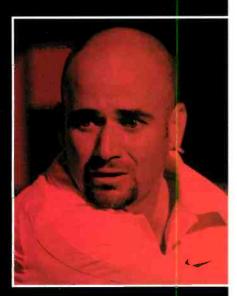


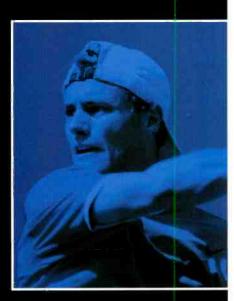
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LAST WEEK	this Week	ARTIST TITLE LABEL(S)	TOTAL PLAYS	+/- PLAYS	GROSS	WEEKS ON CHART	TOTAL STATIONS/ ADDS
1	1	NELLY Hot In Herre (Fo'Reel/Universal)	8703	450	(00) 996205	12	126/0
3	2	AVRIL LAVIGNE Complicated (Arista)	8616	1104	950069	8	134/
2	3	EMINEM Without Me (Aftermath/Interscope)	8082	7	880709	10	130/0
4	4	KROEGER & SCOTT Hero (<i>RR/Col/IDJ</i>)	8035	526	844501	9	131/0
5	5	JIMMY EAT WORLD The Middle (DreamWorks)	6220	-442	666204	17	130/0
6	6	VANESSA CARLTON A Thousand Miles (A&M/Interscope)	6018	-474	581150	21	132/0
11	7	JENNIFER LOPEZ F/NAS I'm Gonna Be Alright (Epic)	5991	316	657073	12	130/0
7	8	DIRTY VEGAS Davs Go Bv (Capitol)	5934	-322	527536	12	134/0
12	9	DJ SAMMY & YANOU Heaven (Robbins Entertainment)	5905	688	727864	7	122/0
15	10	PINK Just Like A Pill (Arista)	5439	887	582746	5	132/2
8	111	P. DIDDY F/USHER Need A Girl (Bad Bov/Arista)	5316	-665	535183	15	126/0
10	12	NO DOUBT Hella Good <i>(Interscope)</i>	5093	-748	481550	15	134/0
9	1E	ASHANTI Foolish (Murder Inc./IDJ)	5048	-820	517729	15	130/0
13	14	FAT JOE F/ASHANTI What's Luv? (TS/Atlantic/Atl G)	4470		450476	19	
14	15	MICHELLE BRANCH All You Wanted (Maverick/WB)	4470	-618	450476 476191	26	123/0
14	16			-391			128/0
16	17	SHERYL CROW Soak Up The Sun (A&M/Interscope)	3729	17	318142	17	123/1
	18	PINK Don't Let Me Get Me (Arista)	3647	-521	359111	22	132/0
20		DEFAULT Wasting My Time (TVT)	3346	-110	385062	20	112/0
19	19 20	PUDDLE OF MUDD Blurry (Flawless/Geffen)	3329	-174	346957	25	128/0
18	21	CRAIG DAVID Walking Away (WS/Atlantic/Atl G)	3295	-355	437851	14	120/0
23	22	SOLUNA For All Time (DreamWorks)	3263	362	310303	13	122/1
27		JOHN MAYER No Such Thing (Aware/Columbia/CRG)	2928	330	319691	8	100/2
25	23	BRANDY Full Moon (Atlantic/Atl G)	2855	93	307230	10	103/0
30	24	CAM'RON Oh Boy (Roc/IDJMG)	2441	492	207410	5	86/7
26	25	KELLY OSBOURNE Papa Don't Preach (Epic)	2418	-231	305657	7	102/0
28	26	CREED One Last Breath (Wind-Up)	2391	236	181873	7	92/0
29	27	KYLIE MINOGUE Love At First Sight (Capitol)	2380	353	272010	5	114/4 .
22	28	MARY J. BLIGE Rainv Davz (MCA)	2334	-569	212659	11	108/0
31	29	ANASTACIA One Day In Your Life (Epic)	2000	66	233848	8	112/1
32	30	ENRIQUE IGLESIAS Don't Turn Off (Interscope)	1920	50	191459	6	101/1
33	31	SEVEN AND THE SUN Walk With Me (Atlantic/Atl G)	1840	282	186501	7	93/2
24	32	AALIYAH More Than A Woman (BlackGround)	1761	-10 <u>71</u>	203636	12	108/0
36	33	MARIO Just A Friend 2002 (J Records)	1745	425	161689	3	101/20
34	34	TRUTH HURTS F/RAKIM Addictive (Aftermath/Interscope)	1596	138	148494	5	74/4
46	35	BBMAK Out Of My Heart (Hollywood)	1511	623	178035	2	98/11
DEBUT	36	NELLY/KELLY ROWLAND Dilemma (Fo' Reel/Universal)	1267	568	181204	1	50/19
45	37	BIG TYMERS Still Flv (CM/Universal)	1125	179	98896	4	50/2
41	38	NAUGHTY BY NATURE/3LW Feels Good (TVT)	1077	83	101957	3	59/2
37	39	NICKELBACK Too Bad (RoadRunner/IDJ)	1065	<u>-1</u> 59	88010	15	89/0
40	40	GOO GOO DOLLS Here Is Gone (WB)	1046	35	101379	17	92/0
44	41	B2K Gots Ta Be (Epic)	1029	82	83986	3	65/2
42	42	B2K Uh Huh <i>(Epic)</i>	1023	39	105739	17	76/0
DEBUT	43	P. DIDDY F/GINUWINE Need A Girl Pt. 2 (Bad Bov/Arista)	1009	436	1 71027	1	64/14
DEBUT	44	SHAKIRA Objection (Tango) (Epic)	1002	418	105088	1	87/8
DEBUT	45	EVE F/ALICIA KEYS Ganosta Lovin' (Ruff Rvders/Interscope)	1000	419	152018	1	84/38
47	46	KHIA Mv Neck. Mv Back (DD/Artemis)	982	101	84299	2	53/5
48	47	A1 Caught In The Middle (Columbia/CRG)	960	135	73969	5	53/2 -
38	48	USHER U Don't Have To Call (LaFace/Arista)	928	-236	87139	16	107/0
DEBUT	49	OUR LADY PEACE Somewhere Out There (Columbia/CRG)	882	197	75086	1	64/8
DEBUT	50	DANIEL BEDINGFIELD Gotta Get Thru This (Island/IDJ)	814	350	126405	1	51/14
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1.	MICHELLE BRANCH Goodbye To You (Maverick/WB)	61
2.	EVE f/ALICIA KEYS Gangsta Lovin' (Ruff Ryders/Interscope) 38
3.	BEENIE MAN f/JANET Feel It Boy (Virgin)	36

3.	BEENIE MAN f/JANET Feel It Boy (Virgin)	3 6
4.	ELVIS PRESLEY vs JXL A Little Less Conversation (RCA)	24

5. MARIO Just A Friend (J Records)

- NELLY Dilemma (Fo' Reel/Universal)
 VANESSA CARLTON Ordinary Day (A&M/Interscope)
 DANIEL BEDINGFIELD Gotta Get Through This (Island/IDJ)
 P. DIDDY I Need A Girl Pt. 2 (Bad Boy/Arista)
 AMY STUDT Just A Little Girl (Universal)
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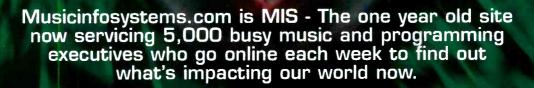
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HACHING RECORDS

by Bobbli Hach

WEDDING BELLS, SUMMER HITS: To those of you who've been living in a cave and don't know that I'm getting married July 13th, wake up! The day is right around the corner and I cannot wait, especially for the honeymoon. Hawaii, here we come! While I am away chilling at the beach, this column will be taken over by radio geeks. Be nice to them—they don't bite. On to the music... Charese Frugé came to visit me over the long holiday weekend. We spent a lot of time listening to music and catching some rays. (I sure hope that she can make it down the aisle for my wedding.) She has become a permanent fixture in my house. When Elvis Presley's "A Little Less Conversation" came through the speakers, I screamed "Smash." RCA hip-swivelers Cheryl Khaner and Adrian Moriera have a hit with this one. The top-selling single is exploding; it's part of a massive, multimillion-dollar campaign around the 25th anniversary of Elvis' death. It's Most Added this week, nailing down, among others,

KEZR, KLLC, KMXB, KRSK, KALC, KTOZ, KSII, KPLZ and KYKY. Dave Mathews Band is getting Top 5 requests at WSNE, WWZZ, CKEY, KLLC, WHTG and WVRV. There's solid callout at KALC and KQMB. Jarvis Church's "Shake It Off" is a cool song with a good vibe. If you haven't seen this live, it's a real treat... While Cheryl and Adrian are working the King, Columbia's Pete Cosenza and Laura LaBadia are working. The Boss. Bruce Springsteen's single, "The Rising," is blowing up. Watch for this one to go all the way. Also building nicely every week is Our Lady Peace's "Somewhere Out There," which is earning solid requests at KYSR, WBMX, KMXB, KZPT and KRBZ... Kevin Carroll and Hilary Shaev are teaming up to close out Norah Jones. This



Debbie Cerchione: "Hello Everyone."

phenom has #1 requests KLLC, KPLZ, WBNS and KLLY, not to mention #1 callout at KLLC and KPLZ ... It's only been a year since Michelle Branch hit the airwaves, and she has another hit with her third single, "Goodbye to You." WB's Debbie Cerchione will deliver this song with her partner in crime, Maverick's Ken Lucek. The track's #1 Most Added this week, with WSSR, KRBZ, WPTE, WWMX, KAMX, WVTI leading the way. Goo Goo Dolls "Big Machine" will blow out next week. Don't be a follower... Ken is also working with Reprise's Alex Coronfly to spread the word on Alanis Morissette. Don't forget: she's a core artist for the format. It's getting solid rotation at WTMX, KOSO, KZZO, WMBZ, KLCA and WVRV. Alex is all about Dropline. This is a song you can't afford to overlook. Once you play it, the phones will light up... Epic's Jo Hodge is busy setting up the new single from ninedays, "Good Friend," impacting 7/23. Don't forget that "Story of a Girl" is still being played over 400x a week. Celine Dion continues to grow every week. New at KMXB, WVTI, WJLK and WMXY. Oasis had solid first-week sales. KLLC comes in on Phantom Planet's "Lonely Day," Already spinning at KOSO and KLCA... Dishwalla has so many believers. Immergent's Michelle St. Clair is on a mission. There's solid rotation at WMBZ, KOSO, KMXB, WSSR, KRSK and WKRQ... Island's Patty Morris is riding the Rubyhorse every week, and the stories keep growing. The band is #1 callout with their core at WVRV, and they're on the World Outside Tour with Sheryl Crow. Rosey's "Afterlife" impacts 7/15, but it's already playing at WBMX... Hollywood's Nick Bedding is all about BBMAK, which is new at KQMB, WMXY and WWWM. Isn't it about time to give more consideration to Sheila Nicholls? She's working well at KDMX, KYSR and KRSK ... J Records and the infamous Steve Kline had another great week on Splender. This perfect pop record was added at WHYN, WMBZ, WALC, KQMB and KFBZ... Universal gunslingers David Nathan and Dave Reynolds are bringing home Jack Johnson. This song is going all the way, with big requests at KRBZ, KYSR, KMXB, WRFY, WSSR and KLLY ... Carolyn Dawn Johnson's "Complicated" is a shoo-in with your 25-34 females. KIMN reports Top 5 callout with their core, as well as solid callout at WMC, KPLZ and WTSS. BNA's Cheri Lynn Martin is pounding the phones to get your commitment now ... Capitol's Mark Rizzo is campaigning for Coldplay "In My Place" and closing out Dirty Vegas... Interested in a totally unique song with horns that has people turning their heads? Check out "Good Day" by Luce on Nettwerk Records. The adorable Tom Gates is setting it up now and going on 7/22. It's scoring #2 requests at KLLC... Last but not least, Jive's Tom Cunningham is telling the world about his multi-talented artist, Jennifer Love Hewitt. Her "Barenaked" was Most Added out of the box, and she's on an extensive radio promo tour that will hit your market soon. The lyrics on this song scream female... Records I love: Goo Goo Dolls, Dana Glover, Doves, Custom and Wayne. Gotta run and go get married-talk to you all in a couple weeks...

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Pop Go The Weasels

Summertime & there's talk of pennant fever or maybe not? In the music biz, two at-bats, two home runs! Kudos to Universal's Val DeLong & Nelly for hitting a "grand slam," reaching #1 at CHR, Rhythm & Urban... Arista's power hitters, Steve, Joe & Des, are set to send Avril Lavigne's debut over the wall and headed for #1 this Monday at Top 40, Pink slides up the chart again & P. Diddy's "Girl Part 2" is off and running... Radio is concurring with J Records' Palmese & Kline, with big requests, call-out & TRL for Mario's smash single ... Warner's Grover, Boulos, Connone, Flea & Maverick's



Richard Palmese: Just a promo-guy.

Ken Lucek come out swinging with a solid opening week on Michelle Branch's third hit "Goodbye To You" ... Hollywood's Fontaine, Finck & Smith quickly land on the Top 40 chart with BBMak's latest sporting huge spin increases & immediate requests... Columbia's Walk, Leipsner & Glassman have John Mayer inches from CHR's Top 20! Talk about artist development. With over 750K sold & a Top 10 Hot AC hit to boot, watch & learn. A1 has a Pop hit & the research to prove it. Our Lady Peace has the next big Rock hit that will chart at Top 40 Mainstream & Springsteen's "The Rising" makes a powerful statement. Top 40 programmers R U listening?... Atlantic's Andrea, Danny & Lisa have a CHR hit with Seven & the Sun on the chart. With solid spin increases plus continued support at MTV & radio Brandy's "Full Moon" keeps rising... IDJ's Ken, Mike & Erik have one of the biggest buzz records at CHR this summer with Daniel Bedingfield's debut. (Editor's note: We've been screaming about this record for three months & now you have it in your hands.) Cam'ron explodes at Top 40 with his #1 Rhythm/Crossover smash. MTV loves Hoobastank, & so do their 700K fans. CHR programmers discover that "Running Away" is a runaway smash. And make sure to listen to Def Leppard's "Now" so you're ready for impact 7/15... Congrats to TVT's Charlie Foster, who has Naughty By Nature "Feeling" like a Top 40 hit... Making TRL's Top 10 everyday, Capitol's Hubbert, Green & Levine set their sights on another huge hit for Kylie Minogue... Enrique Iglesias is all over TV! Today Show, "NBC/Macy's July 4th" telecast & a live performance of his Top 5 requested tune on MTV's TRL. Interscope's Romano & Lopes are making sure the lights green at radio for this hit... Epic's Joel & Tommy have no "Objections" to Shakira, already over 1000 spins at Top 40 & they can't complain about Jennifer Lopez having another Top 10 CHR hit, while Anastacia jumps into the Top 30 at the format with requests & research. The second hit from both Celine & B2K continue to grab new believers each week... Virgin's Hilary Shaev & Blue Note's Kevin Carroll are JONESing for Norah, as programmers wake up to "Don't Know Why," the hit we've been screaming about. Also just delivered to radio the best Beenie Man tune ever, featuring Janet Jackson. "Feel it Boy" impacts CHR/Rhythm 7/15... We bet Reprise's Costello, Weil & Rhoades never thought they would be working a new Britney tune, but thanks to Maverick's Ken Lucek & the Austin Powers flick, Britney has a new promotion staff for "Boys" & a new video already in the TRL Top 10... DreamWorks' Vicki Leben is on a continuous roll with America, Jessica, "T" & Aurora, the ladies of Soluna, as they watch their smash spread nationwide... Wind-up's Lori Holder-Anderson has exploding female research stories from Top 40 & Hot AC on Creed's "One Last Breath"... Curb's Bob Catania continues to generate fans at Top 40 for Sofia Loell ... Music We Love: Dana Glover, Amy Studt, Hives.



A CROCK OF S***: CC Miami's Rob Roberts (I) explained, "Radio's just a day job. I'm Steve Irwin's stunt double. I do every tough crocodile maneuver in the new movie. That guy's a wimp!" Looking for his khakis are (I-r): WHYI's Michael Yo, Maverick artist Michelle Branch & WHYI's Chris Marino.



SHARON! Z100's Cubby Bryant gushed, "Your dad signed the MTV contract in blood! He's the man! MTV would be nothing without your dad! So, what does it feel like to have Carson for a dad, anyway?" Kelly Osbourne smiled politely, but dyed Cubby's hair three different shades in her head.



Joe Riccitelli: Barely there.



Ron Geslin: Loves to talk.

If you had the chance during the **R&R** convention to see & hear Jennifer Love Hewitt, then you're one of the lucky ones. With an "all-expense-paid" run throughout the country promoting her Jive debut "Barenaked." The singer/ songwriter shows she can do a lot more than act & kiss Enrique with a hook-driven sing-a-long single guaranteed to take a slice out of summer playlists. Joe **Riccitelli** promises to keep his clothes on for Top 40 adds on 7/29.

Elvis Presley's lesser-known gem "A Little Less Conversation" is the first song the "Elvis Estate" has approved for remixing. Permission was granted to Nike to use Dutch DJ, JXL's remix in their "World Cup Soccer" commercials. The exposure propelled the single to #1 in Britain, allowing Elvis to dethrone The Beatles for most #1s in UK history. RCA's Ron Geslin plans "Less Conversation" & more CHR adds for this gift to radio. Thank you very much!

Most Added

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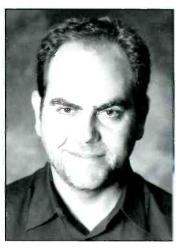
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Top story out of radio has Pressplay President/CEO Andy Schoun joining Infinity Broadcasting as President of Programming. For those of you with short memories, Andy has a long history in programming, as he used to hold the reins at KROQ LA and MTV. He reports directly to Chairman/ CEO John Sykes and will be based in New York. Back at Pressplay, look for COO Michael Bebel to take over as CEO. In other Infinity news, lots of speculation (and paranoia) running rampant regarding corporate's interest in the individual stations' independent promotion deals. Our sources tell us that this is NOT a precurser to a chain-wide deal, but mearly a fact-finding inquiry to find out what the

business relationship is between the stations and the various independent promotion companies. Speaking of indie promotion, big powwow in LA this week with UMG promotion heads to discuss how to reduce the "price of poker"..... Atlantic West Coast promo goddess Pamela Jouan is relocating to NY to fill the hole left by Lisa Velasquez. Speaking of Ms. V, she has begun building her Lava team by hiring Edie Lundeen-Fontiveros for WC promo duties..... KBOS Fresno ups MD Pattie Moreno to PD..... KPRR El Paso hires Clear Channel sister-station KZII Lubbock PD Bobby Ramos for similar duties..... New Top 40/Rhythmic KXDC Denver names High Peak

Broadcasting sister-station KNOU New Orleans Station Manager Michael Knight OM. Knight will be based in Denver but will also continue his duties in Nawlins..... Brian Burns exits his GM post at Hitmakers, as the position was eliminated. Reach him at 818-632-1516..... WDVD Detroit PD Tom O'Brien resigns, citing personal reasons. Crosstown WDRQ PD Alex Tear assumes interim duties..... Congrats to WRVW Nashville's Rich Davis and wife Mandi on the birth of daughter Maddy Mae, 6/25.....The Top 10 Most Played at MTV are #1 Nelly, #2 Eminem, #3 Avril Lavigne, #4 Irv Gotti Presents..., #5 Pink, #6 Jennifer Lopez, #7 Papa Roach, #8 Cam'ron, #9 Red Hot Chili Peppers and #10 Big

Tymers..... Blowin' in the Wind: Ken Carr, Jammer, Bob Ryan, Skip Bishop, Paul Karlsen, Tom Maffei, Jerry Brenner & Bonnie Goldner..... And here's Mr. Andy Schoun—to Infinity and beyond.





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