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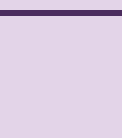
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I'm so glad you're here! Grab your favorite pumpkin spice or apple cider treat and get ready to celebrate all the women killing it in country music this week.

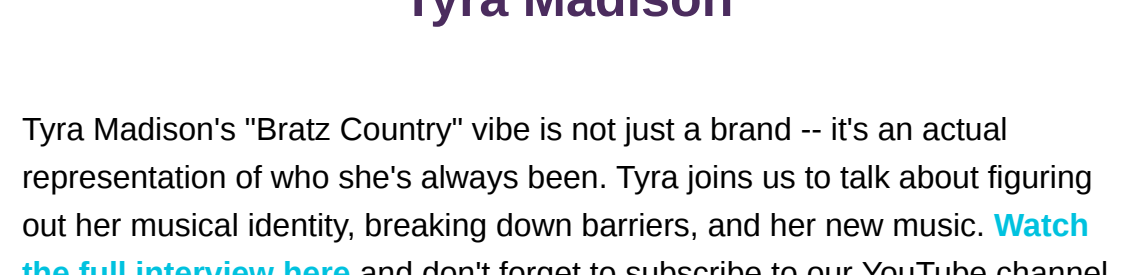
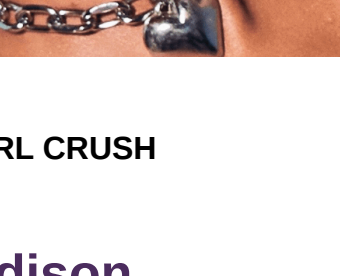
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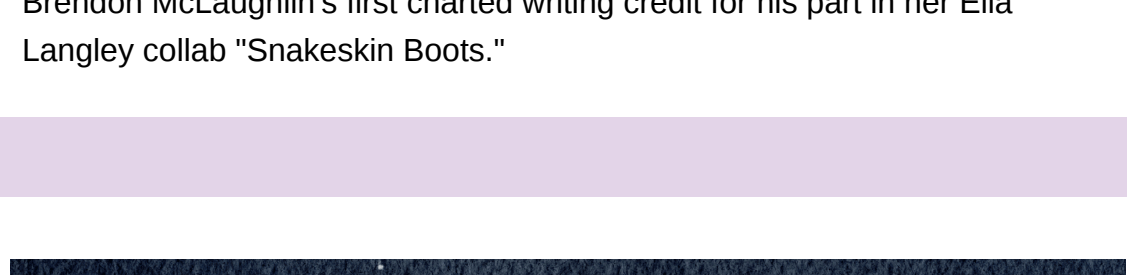


FEATURED GIRL CRUSH

Tyra Madison

Tyra Madison's "Bratz Country" vibe is not just a brand -- it's an actual representation of who she's always been. Tyra joins us to talk about figuring out her musical identity, breaking down barriers, and her new music. [Watch the full interview here](#) and don't forget to subscribe to our YouTube channel while you're there!

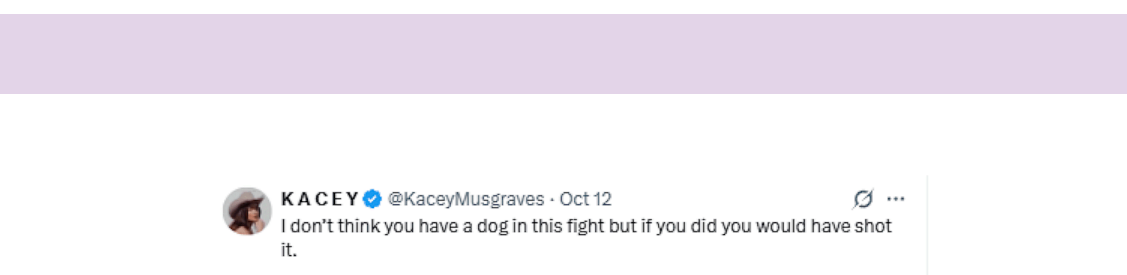
The Tea



NEWS

Miranda's Cookin' With Crisco

Miranda Lambert's new album *Crisco* is keeping a winning streak going that she started with her first album: every one of them has landed in *Billboard's* Top Country Albums chart in the top 10, including *Crisco*, which makes its debut at #4. So far, seven of her albums have topped that chart, which this one could still do. By the way, the album also features Ran's husband Brendon McLaughlin's first charted writing credit for his part in her Ella Langley collab "Snakeskin Boots."



NEWS

Backstage Access in Nashville

CMA Awards week is always a busy time in Nashville, and now there's another cool event you can join. It's a 3-day live music experience that features performances from -- among others -- Carly Pearce, Alannah McCreeley, Lilly Moss, Tori Rose, and MaRynn Taylor, in showcases, writers rounds, and shared meals. [Get in on it here](#).

Kacey's Clapback

Hello, 911? I'd like to report a murder. In case you missed it, when the Texas U.S. Senate candidate James Talarico tweeted a picture from his meetup with Kacey Musgraves at her Dallas show last week, former Secretary of Homeland Security Kristi Noem tried to do what we always see happening to women: pit them against each other. She took the opportunity to tweet that she'd take Ella Langley over Kacey any day. Ella has since untagged herself in the tweet, because who wants to be part of that mess? And Kacey clapped back so hard, the gasps could be heard around the world. She said, "I don't think you have a dog in this fight but if you did you would have shot it." GIRL. Kristi's been strangely silent about it all since.



herstory



It was this week in 1974 that The Pointer Sisters became the first group of black women to play the Grand Ole Opry. They performed their country crossover "Fairytale," which went on to win the Grammy for Best Country Vocal Performance by a Duo or Group. The performance didn't come without some controversy, including protestors with signs demanding that "country stay country" (yep, that old thing), but once they were on stage, the audience reacted excitedly to their performance.

The drops

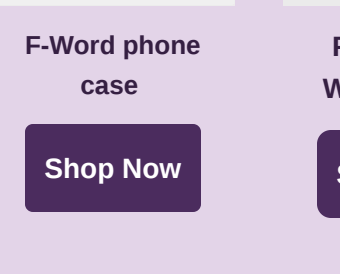


The freshest Girl Crush Country music:

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| Abby Anderson | Who Gets To Be Happy |
| Alyssa Flaherty | I Can't Hear You (La La La La La La) |
| Angeleena Presley | Murder For Hire |
| Ashe | The Girl of Your Dreams |
| Ava Hall | I've Always Hated Space |
| Belles | Midwestern |
| Bri Fletcher | New Her EP |
| Caitlyn Smith | Peace In My Mind |
| Caryn Dixon | Star of Boscobel |
| Caylee Hammack, Trisha Yearwood | Coldest Shoulder |
| Chloe Kimes | Daredevil |
| Emily Ann Roberts | Thread EP |
| Erin Duvall | In The Flutter EP |
| Erin Kirby | Nothing Is Everything |
| Haley Mae Campbell | Just A Date |
| Hannah Jane Lewis | Pretty Boy |
| Hollye B | 10,000 Times |
| Jenna Davis | Bloody Mary |
| Jenna Raine | Jeans, Boys & Jesus (Deluxe) |
| Jennifer Hart | Ten In Tennessee |
| Jessi Alexander | Southern |
| K. Michelle | Jesus & Whiskey |
| Kylie Frey | Laundry & The Dishes |
| Lauren Eliza | The Girl From Nowhere EP |
| Madeline Edwards | low hanging fruit |
| Mae Estes | The 90s Called |
| Mary Bragg | Secrets to Strangers |
| Mattie Taylor | Pushing 20 |
| Presley & Taylor | ACT MY AGE |
| Rebekah Snyder | Lonely Cowboy |
| Sacha | Wild Hearts |
| Saige Davis | Change My Mind |
| Shantiaia | One Trick Pony |
| Tatum Scott | Waves EP |
| Tenille Townes | the long haul |
| Tess Marshall, Cassadee Pope | A Good Thing |
| Trudy | got me good EP |
| Valley Flower | Look At Miss Ohio |

Listen to all these songs, plus music from other kickass women, including all our featured guests, on the Girl Crush Country Playlist on [Spotify](#) and on [Pandora](#).

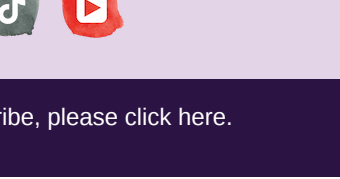
birthday queens



Girl Crushes celebrating birthdays this week:

- Tegan Marie
- Chely Wright

The fits



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