

Heartwreckers Join Tim McGraw On His 'Standing Room Only' Summer Arena Tour With Special Guest Carly Pearce

New Duo To Hit Six Cities With Country Superstars Beginning May 30, Following May 24 Release Of Debut EP Shut Up And Drink, Produced by Andrew Baylis (Jelly Roll, Pecos & The Rooftops, Austin Snell)



NASHVILLE, Tenn. (Jan. 29, 2024) — <u>Heartwreckers</u>, the new duo composed of singersongwriters **Brock Butler** and **Ryan Garrett**, will join **Tim McGraw**'s "Standing Room Only" summer tour for six arena shows beginning May 30 in Toledo, OH, with dates in Chicago, Kansas City and more.

The duo released its debut single "Shut Up," written by Butler and Garrett, and produced by Andrew Baylis (Jelly Roll, Pecos & The Rooftops), on Friday, Jan. 19. Download/stream/purchase "Shut Up" <u>HERE</u>.

"Tim McGraw was a mainstay on our radio growing up — I still say *Everywhere* is one of my favorite albums of all time," says Butler. "Having the opportunity to share a stage with him at this point in my life is surreal, and I couldn't be more grateful or excited about it."

Garrett adds, "I grew up listening to Tim McGraw driving down backroads in my dad's Dodge. 'Shotgun Rider' is one of my favorite country songs of all time. Being able to hear that song on the road every night and being able to open for such a staple in country music is a dream I never thought would become reality until now."

Heartwreckers' upcoming EP, *Shut Up And Drink*, a collection of five envelope-pushing country songs all written by Butler and Garrett, reflects the unblinking lyrical and sonic approach the duo applies to country music, described by Garrett as "Country. Ass. Rock. With the periods!"

Shut Up And Drink is set for release on May 24, supported by a run of live show dates beginning Feb. 9, including May 1 performances at the 28th Annual Key West Songwriters Festival,
Presented by BMI. For tickets and tour information, visit realheartwreckers.com.

Heartwreckers Tour Dates:

(Tim McGraw & Carly Pearce dates in boldface, Creed Fisher dates in italics)

Feb 9 - Cedar Park, TX - The Haute Spot
Feb 10 - Baton Rouge, LA - The Texas Club
Feb 15 - Stuart, FL - Terra Fermata
Feb 17 - Brooksville, FL - The Whitehead Farm
Feb 22 - Leesburg, VA - Tally Ho Theatre
Feb 24 - Greensboro, NC - Hangar 1819
Feb 25 - Jacksonville, NC - Hooligan's
May 30 - Toledo, OH - Huntington Center
May 31 - Chicago, IL - United Center
June 1 - Grand Rapids, MI - Van Andel Arena
June 6 - Sioux Falls, SD - Denny Sanford PREMIER Center
June 7 - Omaha, NE - CHI Health Center Omaha
June 8 - Kansas City, MO - T-Mobile Center

Heartwreckers is managed by **Joe Carter** of Carter & Co, **Keith Lazorchak** (Hard 8 Working Group), **Mike Taliaferro** (Taliaferro Entertainment), and **James Stewart/Scott Siman** (EM.Co), with **Jackie Marushka** on PR.

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About Heartwreckers

Heartwreckers bring a no-filter approach to country music with their debut EP *Shut Up And Drink*. Produced by Andrew Baylis (Jelly Roll, Austin Snell, Pecos & The Rooftops), the songwriting duo of Brock Butler and Ryan Garrett deliver a fearless collection of country bangers, from songs about drinking away an ex ("Shut Up") to one about a pickup with a mind of its own ("Don't Trust That Truck").

Brock Butler

Brock Butler is an eclectic performer, songwriter, and recording artist. Born in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, he was steeped in country music — especially that of local hero Tim McGraw and, later, Nashville stars like Blake Shelton and Trace Adkins. Brock soon made New Orleans his home, adding a layer of rich history to his musical tapestry. He relocated to Texas after Hurricane Katrina, where he began performing blues rock, ska, and reggae, but it wasn't long before he returned to his country roots. Relocating to Nashville in 2021, Brock signed publishing deals with Tim McGraw's publishing company, and BMG, and has gone on to write with a diverse group of songwriters, including McGraw, Megan Moroney, and his partner in Heartwreckers, Ryan Garrett.

Ryan Garrett

Ryan Garrett just wants to rock. The Texas native cut his teeth playing in emo and punk bands, crisscrossing the country on the Warped Tour, and brings that hard edge to country music. But he also has a keen sense of melody, informed by the bands his mother played for him growing up, from

Fleetwood Mac and the Eagles to the Doobie Brothers, and his songwriting melds those worlds seamlessly. Since moving to Nashville in 2021, Ryan has written with Tim McGraw and recorded with producer Andrew Baylis (Jelly Roll, Austin Snell, Pecos & The Rooftops), who helmed the debut EP by Ryan's band with collaborator Brock Butler, Heartwreckers.



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