

Emmis, which has battled the FCC throughout recent years over whether broadcasts by WKQX/Chicago morning man Mancow Muller are indecent, announced earlier this week that it has settled its indecency cases with the FCC by signing a consent decree. The company will reportedly make a voluntary contribution of \$300,000 to the U.S. Treasury, and the FCC will end all pending indecency proceedings against the company. Pres./CEO Jeff Smulyan said, Earlier this year we adopted an aggressive policy to ensure that Emmis provides quality, compelling, on-air content that conforms to decency standards. We announced a zero tolerance policy and are taking extraordinary steps to educate our on-air employees and program directors. The consent decree settles all pending indecencyrelated issues, and allows us to move forward. Meanwhile, FCC Commissioner Michael Copps, who has been vocal in pushing for license revocation hearings, was critical of the settlement, citing in a statement that, the totality of a broadcasters record is pertinent and should be considered when licenses are renewed. Today s decision takes an entire part of the record off the table.

This week the Radio Hall of Fame in Chicago announced the inductees for their November 6<sup>th</sup> ceremony, including; Clear Channel's Lowry Mays, new XM host and former NPR Morning Edition host Bob Edwards, Chicago Top 40 legend Larry Lujack, WOMC/Detroit morning-man Dick Purtan and the late gossip master Walter Mitchell. The five will be inducted at an event to be broadcast live by Premiere Radio Networks, with Glen Beck hosting. Learn more at radiohof.org.

**Kimberley Locke** continues her ascent up the *R&R* CHR chart this week on the merit of her new single **W rong** climbing from #38-36! New adds this week include WRVW and **Disney Radio!** Don t miss the Kimberley feature in *US Weekly* either, it is on stands now! **Curb** 

**Marty Brennaman**, the longtime voice of Cincinnati Reds baseball and recipient of the Hall of Fame's **Ford C. Frick Award** in 2000, has inked a new three-year deal to stay with the team through 2007. Reds games air on WLW/Cincinnati and (50) affiliates in six states.

Infinity VP/AC Programming, WNEW/New York PD (and former KYKY PD/OM) Smokey Rivers is reportedly transferring to the PD post at sister AC KVIL/Dallas, effective Monday (8/30). Smokey will replace Kurt Johnson as PD at KVIL reporting to KVIL VP/GM David Henry. Johnson, who remains Infinity/Dallas VP/Programming, takes over the PD post at KJKK, and in addition he II continue to program Smooth Jazz KOAI.

LaFayette, IN Spring Book. **Wask** owned WKOA slips a little but stays tied for first with **Stay Tuned Broadcasting** s New B 102.9 who gains nearly a share. WKOA-FM 13.2-11.9, WXXB-FM 11.0-11.9, WASK-AM 1.5-11.2, WASK-FM 8.1-11.2, WAZY-FM 10.3-11.2, WKHY-FM 8.1-7.7, WSHP-FM 6.6-5.6, WGLM-FM 5.9-4.2, WLFF-FM 3.7-4.2, WLS-AM 2.9-2.8, WFBQ-FM 1.5-2.1, WMRS-FM 0.7-0.7, WSHW-FM 2.2-0.7, WGN-AM 0.7-0.7, WIBC-AM 0.7-0.7, WRZX-FM 0.7-0.7. Disclaimer: Books in *The TATTLER* are12+ persons, Fall-Spring comparisons, unless otherwise noted. Copyright ' 2004, **The Arbitron Company**. These results may not be used without permission from **Arbitron**.

The TATTLER sends out well wishes for all our friends in Tampa and surrounding areas weathering Hurricane Charlie as we go to print.

**Richard Marx** and his new hit **When You re Gone** is bulleted at #21 on the *R&R* HAC chart this week in addition to finding a new home at KSTP/Minneapolis and many others! Regional stations already in the know include; KSRZ 29x, KYKY 19x, WXSS 18x, KFBZ 14x and many more! **Manhattan** 

Congratulations to legendary Urban radio consultant, columnist (and Conclave BOD) **Dr. Jerry Boulding** on being named Urban/Urban AC Editor for **Allaccess Networks** earlier this week! Jerry replaces **Terry Fox** who joins **X-Radio Networks** as Director of Programming.

**Citadel** President of Programming **Eric Logan** left the company this week to take the as Exec. VP/Programming position at **XM Satellite Radio**. A 19-year radio industry veteran, Logan has also held senior executive positions at **Infinity** and received numerous programming awards over his career in radio which included VP/Operations at Country WUSN/Chicago.

Minnesota Public Radio (MPR) buys non-comm Classical WCAL/ Minneapolis and simulcast KMSE/Rochester, MN from St. Olaf s College for a reported \$10.5 million this week. The deal may mean the end of the Classical format on the stations, since MPR s crosstown KSJN is already in the format. However, it is expected to stay classical - through December - when the sale should close.







Columbia, MO Spring Book. **Zimmer** s Country solidifies the top dog position. KCLR-FM 10.1-10.7, KOQL-FM 10.7-8.1, KFRU-AM 10.7-7.4, KPLA-FM 7.5-7.4, KSSZ-FM 5.0-6.7, KBBM-FM 5.0-5.4, KCMQ-FM 5.7-5.4, KBXR-FM 6.9-4.7, KTXY-FM 4.4-4.7, KWRT-FM 4.4-2.7, KZZT-FM 1.9-2.7, KPOW-FM 1.3-2.7, KTGR-AM 3.1-2.0, KWWR-FM 2.5-2.0, KMFC-FM 1.3-1.3, KRES-FM 0.6-1.3, KATI-FM 0.6-0.7, KJMO-FM 1.3-0.7, KKCA-FM 0.6-0.7.

TALENTRAK 2004 AGENDA SET! The 9th edition of the Conclave s exclusive air talent seminar, TalenTrak 2004, has set its agenda for Saturday, September 18, 2004 at the Holiday Inn/City Centre Lakeside in Cleveland, Ohio. The day begins at 9AM with It's All In the Package — an in-depth look at resumes and resume-building with WRIF/Detroit PD Doug Podell and WNCI/Columbus PD Jimmy Steele . At 10 AM, It's All In The Presentation — a session chaired by Mike McVay/McVay Media (2004 Conclave Rockwell recipient) which will dissect on-air expectations and performance in each of the major dayparts. Joining Mike will be **Dave & Geri** — WLHT/Grand Rapids, WAJI/Ft. Waynes Barb Richards, Moonlight Groove Highway's Raechel Donahue and Cleveland broadcast legend Bill **Gable**. At 11:30AM — Its All In the Politics, a most extraordinary session which will actually teach how to play the in-station and corporate game for personal and professional gain, featuring; WXTM/ Cleveland MD Tim Slats, 95.5 The Fish PD Sue Wilson, and Clear Channel Market Manager Diana Coon! At 12:30PM, it's TalenTrak Keynote time, featuring what is sure to be a lively and entertaining one with the NHL's Columbus Bluejackets play-by-play guy George Matthews and the voice of the Cleveland Indians Tom Hamilton! At 2PM, the all-important Aircheck Clinic (for the first 60 registrants, only; bring your scoped 3 minute aircheck ON CD ONLY!!) At the conclusion of the day, TalenTrak presents Great War Stories of Radio, and intimate glance at the trials and tribulations of some of the industry s most successful air talents, taught in story form! You II laugh, you II cry, and for sure — you II learn! It wouldn t be a Conclave event if more food and drink weren t supplied, so that's why the TalenTrak Happy Hour wraps up the day! But wait, there s more! For the first time at a TalenTrak there will be special off-site gatherings on both the Friday evening prior to TalenTrak, and Saturday evening after the event. Faculty for all these sessions, as well as a very special keynote, will be announced in the next 14 days. The price for all this learning? Just \$49 (\$39 if you re part of a group of 4 or more from the same station/cluster who register at the same time!). But hurry, these special tuitions expire on September 1st, just one month from now. For more details, check www.theconclave.com or call the Conclave office at 952-927-4487.

"Eleanor"
Lo(w) and behold these Triple A leaders:
WRLT
WMMM
WTTS
WNCS
KALZ

She Makes the Make-Up Look Good from Feel is already making waves as they climb the indicator chart from #45-41 this week! If you missed it, audition this pop gem today! Curb

Kudos to **Entercom** s Alternative KRBZ/Kansas City which kicked off their Phill Kline Weekend at 5pm (CT) today (8/13) by playing songs and doing CD giveaways from the list of artists banned from public libraries by the Kansas Attorney General. The list of (25) artists, which will be aired this weekend on The Buzz include: **Blink 182**, **Lou Reed, Devo, Cypress Hill, Outkast, Stone Temple Pilots, Rage Against the Machine, Alice in Chains** and **P. Diddy**.

**Low Millions** and their single **Eleanor** are adding soon at HAC, but already enjoying significant AAA airplay and - as a result - some savvy HAC programmers are *already* taking their position ahead of the curve, such as; WHTG, KALZ and KLLY! Audition today! **Manhattan** 

Changes. Zimmer s KSYN/Joplin, MO PD Jason Knight has hired former WCIL/Carbondale night jock Jake McNeill to join Rick Taylor for mornings, as Entercom KFBZ/Wichita MD Craig Hubbard leaves for Zimmer s KJMK as PD, replacing Steve Kraus who moves over to KSYN as APD/MD...KIXQ/Joplin, MO has tapped KOSB and News/ Talk KOKP/Stillwater, OK OM/PD Shotgun Steve Kelly for PD duties effective Monday (8/30), he s replacing Cody Carlson who previously left for PD duties at KKCS/Colorado Springs. Meanwhile, interim PD Jay McRae stays on for APD/MD/night duties...WOKV/ Jacksonville reporter Ryan Hermes joins The Illinois Radio Network as a reporter based in Springfield...Christian AC WGRL/Indianapolis officially changed their call letters this week and is now known as WISG (93.9 The Song)... Entercom announced it is swapping two of its Wichita AM stations call letters and programming effective Monday (8/30), with mainstream talker KNSS calls and programming moving to 1330 AM and KFHs hot talk and Sports moving to the smaller 1240 AM signal, although it will continue to simulcast on 98.7 FM.

KBBK/Lincoln joins the growing list of calls on **Here W ith Me** from **Curb** recording artists **Mercy Me** this week. Currently bulleted at #37 on the *R&R* HAC chart this week, and already approaching Top 10 on the AC chart, the band appears destined to repeat the success of their previous multi-formatic smash!

## THE CONCLAVE NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Help the Conclave prepare for next year's gala 30th anniversary by sharing your favorite Conclave experience. Was it a keynote? A format breakout? Someone you met? Something that happened at an outside event, like a Twins game or music showcase? A special dinner, or drinks at your favorite watering hole? Whatever the memory, the Conclave wants to know about it as it prepares for next year's very special Conclave. Got more than one? Great...tell us about them all! The responses will be made available in a special booklet being prepared for Conclave 30. Immortalize yourself in Conclave lore by sending your response no later than 9/1/04. Email tomk@theconclave.com or fax (952-927-6427). Snail mail is fine -4517 Minnetonka Blvd, #104, Minneapolis, MN 55416) 1st.

Thank you - and see you at Conclave XXX: HARD CORE RADIO - next July!

Earlier this week **Apple** announced that the **iTunes Music Store** now has over one million songs available for download in the US, becoming the first and only online digital music service to offer consumers a million song catalog! iTunes has music from all (5) major record labels and over (600) leading independent labels from around the world. With more than 100 million songs downloaded to date, iTunes says it has more than 70% market share of legal downloads for singles and albums, and is the world's number one online music service!

Meanwhile, **Napster** has announced that they recently inked a deal with the Army and Air Force Exchange Service that gives ALL branches of the United States military access to the Napster 2.0 music service through the <u>CentricMall.com</u> website. Napster s catalog of over 750,000 legal music tracks are available to the over 11.5 million active, reserve and retired military personnel and their families, with specially discounted rates on both its subscription service and the Napster Light download store.

In just two-weeks (8/28) Minneapolis-based artist **Keri Noble** will play a home-coming show at the Twin Cities Zoo Amphitheatre. She s currently enjoying significant spins from KSTP 28x and KTCZ 31x who lead the way on her debut single **Talk to Me**. (Still need a copy? Contact <a href="mailto:cmozena@main-st.net">cmozena@main-st.net</a> and we II Fed-Ex you one today!) **Manhattan** 

Changes too. Milwaukee Radio Alliance WKLH PD Bob Bellini adds Classical WFMR/Milwaukee Operations Dir. duties as WFMR PD Steve Murphy remains in his post...Don Rosette returns to Talker WMCS/Milwaukee as Station Manager, replacing Billy Young, effective Monday (8/23)...KQKS/Denver MD **John E. Kage** adds APD stripes...WLYD/Green Bay-Appleton MD/morning-man Big AI has left the building...WPKR/Appleton-Oshkosh morning host Stace has exited due to budgetary issues...following the recent format change from AC to Rock, **Artistic Media** s WWLV/South Bend has flipped to WOZW and is now simulcasting with Rock sister WZOW...WUSN/ Chicago has hired former Green Bay APD/MD Marci Braun for similar duties effective Monday (8/16), replacing Evan Kroft who recently left the station to serve as Dir./Music Prog. & Talent Relations for CMT/Nashville...former Chicago Bear **Dave Duerson** exits WMVP/ Chicago to join cross-town WSCR to co-host the station s pre-game Bears coverage...

According to reports from this weeks *Chicago Sun-Times*, WLS/ Chicago married morning team **Don Wade** and **Roma** are approaching the end of their deal (8/31), and their agent **Eliot Ephraim** says that the sides are still pretty far apart. The paper also says the station is surveying listeners on possible replacements, including midday team **Jay Marvin** and **Eileen Byrne** and/or weekenders **Jake Hartford** and **Terri O Brien**. WLS recently lost its afternoon co-host **Garry Meier** when he walked out over a contract dispute.



**Busted** and their single **What I Go to School For** goes for adds in just a dozen days (8/24), but you won t want to wait! **Universal** 

Condolences to family and friends of longtime former WLEC/ Sandusky, OH host and newscaster **Dickie Schock**, who died of cancer last Thursday (8/5) at 71.

Sheboygan, WI Spring Book. **Midwest Communication** s Country WBFM picks up almost 3 full shares to assume the lead! WBFM-FM 7.0-9.8, WHBL-AM 10.9-9.1, WHBZ-FM 8.5-7.0, WTMJ-AM 7.0-7.0, WXER-FM 5.4-6.3, WXSS-FM 3.1-6.3, WAPL —FM 3.9-4.9, WKLH-FM 7.8-4.2, WLKN-FM 3.9-2.8, WKTI-FM 2.3-2.8, WJUB-AM 2.3-2.1, WISN-AM 3.1-2.1, WOGB-FM 1.6-2.1, WRIT-FM 3.1-2.1, WIXX-FM 2.3-1.4, WLTQ-FM 1.6-1.4, WLZR-FM 1.6-1.4, WMIL-FM 3.9-1.4, WOKY-AM 0.8-1.4, WCLB-AM 2.3-0.7, WBKV-AM 0.7, WBWI-FM 0.8-0.7, WJZI-FM 1.6-0.7, WLUM-FM 1.6-0.7, WLYD-FM 0.8-0.7, WPKR-FM 0.8-0.7.

Congrats to Clear Channel HAC WMVX/Cleveland morning show hosts **Brian & Joe** ad the rest of the staff on raising \$305,286 in their Second Annual Brian and Joe Rainbow Radio Benefit. The money benefits Rainbow Babies and Children's Hospital of Cleveland, with celebrity contributors including; **Richard Marx**, **Amy Lee** and **Huey Lewis**.

**LeAnn Rimes/Ronan Keating** s **Last Thing on My Mind** up from #20-19 with a bullet on the *R&R* HAC chart this week. **Curb** 

More changes. WMMS/Cleveland has (finally) signed on a morning show called The MMS Morning Buzz, featuring former WKLQ/Grand Rapids alums Sean Kelly, Cristi Cantle and Hunter Scott...Clear Channel/Charleston, SC OM (and Conclave Ex. Comm member) Jay Philpott has made an exit. No word on a replacement, yet... United Stations Radio Network s Chicago office has upped Sr. AE **Dan Weisenberg** to Manager of Midwest Sales...WOWO/Ft. Wayne and News Dir. Kevin Morse have parted ways...Cumulus has named former Regent/St. Cloud, MN OM and veteran programmer Bill Fink as the new OM for their 5-station Appleton-Oshkosh cluster, effective Monday (8/23)...former MCA and Columbia/Minneapolis rep Dave Ross and his company, Supertasty, Inc, and has just inked an exclusive deal with **Netjamstv.com** to provide video content on (7) live streaming music channels...WYCD/Detroit PD Mac Daniels has announced his resignation in order to head back (he was previously PD at KASE/ KVET before heading to Detroit two years ago) to Clear Channel/ Austin for the OM position following **Jason Kane**'s departure a couple of months ago. Daniels will also handle day-to-day programming for Country combo KASE and KVET.

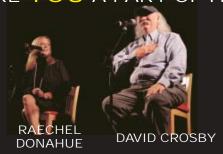
"I always love it and will always be there"-Randy Hawke

WWJO/Madison

"The Conclave was Awesome"-Alan Kabel Jones Networks

"A productive and enjoyable experience!"- **Ken Anthony** Radio Think Tank

## CONCLAVE XXIX - It Was Full of Shift! WERE YOU A PART OF IT?



"It was exactly what I needed to get recharged and motivated again"-Cosmo Q106/Columbia

> "You know I love it!"-Warren Christensen Sr. VP Promotion Q Prime/Volcano

Marion-Carbondale, Southern IL Spring Book. Clear Channel Country outlet W3D slips some but still stays on top, as Mississippi River Radio s CHR WCIL makes impressive gains! WDDD-FM 16.5-10.9, WCIL-FM 6.8-8.6, WOOZ-FM 11.4-8.6, WUEZ-FM 9.1-6.3, WQUL-FM 5.1-5.7, WCIL-AM 0.5-5.2, WJPF-AM 2.8-5.2, WTAO-FM 6.3-5.2, WQRL-FM 4.0-4.6, WVZA-FM 4.5-4.6, WFRX-AM 2.8-3.4, KGMO-FM 2.8-3.4, WGGH-AM 0.6-2.3, WXLT-FM 3.4-2.3, WBVN-FM 0.6-2.3, KEZS-FM 1.1-1.7, WDDD-AM 0.6-1.1, KMOX-AM 0.6-0.6, KTRS-AM 0.6-0.6, WKIB-FM 0.6-0.6, WMIX-FM 0.6-0.6.

Availz. WLYD/Green Bay-Appleton MD/morning-man **Big AI** is searching for his next challenge and can be reached at (920) 217-0315...WPKR/Appleton-Oshkosh morning host **Stace** is looking for her next opportunity, reach her at (207) 450-1942, or kxddstace@aol.com.

Jobs. Entercom s T40 WXSS/Milwaukee is looking for future parttime air-talent. Kiss FM is accepting T&Rs/MP3s from area talent who would like to be a part of their winning team! Send your materials today to: WXSS, Attn: PJ, 11800 W. Grange Ave., Hales Corners, WI 53130...Susquehanna/Indianapolis is looking for the right morning co-host for their much talked about Contemporary Christian station, 93.9 The Song. If you have ever wanted to do this format, but were uncomfortable with the idea of working for a non-comm or a not-for-profit, this could be your chance with one of most respected companies in the industry. Email your resume and MP3 to; dwood@indyradio.com or, mail your demo and resume to: 93.9 The Song, Attn: David Wood, 6810 N. Shadeland Av, Indianapolis, IN 46220...T40 KZIA/Cedar Rapids-Iowa City, IA is looking for its next evening star/AMD. Huge phones and audience interaction is a must. Adobe Audition and Selector experience helpful. Send your materials today to: Kevin Walker at Kevin@kzia.com or, mail to: 1110 26th Ave SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404-3430...AAA KSQY/Rapid City, SD is looking for their next production professional. If you have the creativity, drive and skills to take their production department to the next level...they want to hear from you ASAP. The position also includes a live mid-day shift. Rush your resume, air-check and production samples to: Haugo Broadcasting — KSQYAttn: Chad Carlson, 306 1/2 E. St. Joseph St., 57701 or email to chad@951ksky.com...T40 opportunity in Lansing, MI. Are you a medium market part-timer looking for a fulltime gig? Are you looking for a disciplined environment where performance is measured and rewarded? Are you a Michigan native? Overnight a CD/Resume to: Z101.7, Attn: Jason Addams, 600 W. Cavanaugh, 48910/...Citadel needs an assistant engineer in Lansing! Candidate must be a motivated individual with strong technical skills. Experience preferred with high power transmitting equipment, microwave, computers, networking, satellite and studio facilities. Resumes to: Citadel Broadcasting, Attn: Ray Marshall, 3420 Pine Tree Rd., Lansing, MI 48911... Waitt Media s HAC KQKQ/Omaha is looking for it s next great Midday personality! This is your opportunity to become one of an

elite alumnus. We re looking for a great midday communicator with a minimum of 3 years on-air, production, and personal appearance experience. Selector/music scheduling skills are a big plus. Rush your audio, resume/package to: Nevin Dane, 5011 Capitol Avenue, Omaha, NE. 68132. E-mail <a href="mailto:nevin@q985fm.com">nevin@q985fm.com</a>...Clear Channel is launching a new exciting radio station and looking to fill several open part-time voice-tracked positions. They have several positions open on the new station along with several others on sister stations within the cluster. Please send your CD/T&R and references to; Clear Channel, c/o Roger McCoy, 3226 Jefferson Road, Ashtabula, OH 44004 or MP3 s (under 2.5 minutes long) and resumes and references WORD text in simple welcome orradio@skinnyboyrogermccoy.com...Infinity Rocker WRKZ/Pittsburgh is looking for Midday and Overnight talent ASAP! Rush your packages to: WRKZ, Attn: Ryan Mill, 651 Holiday Dr., Pittsburgh, PA 15220, or email him at ryan.mill@infinitybroadcasting.com...Saga seeks an OM. Overall Objective - Increase the listener base of both radio stations through the training/hiring of personnel. Analyze programming elements constantly to assure the right approach is being taken. Previous programming experience required, (3+) years. Send package to: Saga, Attn: Les Tuttle, 1609 East Highway 50, Yankton, SD 57078 or tuttle@wnax.com...Part-time positions available at active rock WEBX/WEVX and classic rock WGKC. If you are in the Champaign-Urbana area and have a strong desire to get your foot in the door, this could be your gig. Send CD/T&Rs to: Opening, Attn: John McKeighan, 4108 Fieldstone Rd Ste C, Champaign, IL 61822...Infinity Country WYCD/Detroit has an immediate opportunity for a dynamic PD. Your skill set must include growing a successful team of air-talent, direction of creative writing and imaging, outstanding promotional execution, vigilant attention to detail and mastery of Selector. Expedite your presentation materials to: Steve Schram, c/o WYCD,26555 Evergreen Road, Suite #675, Southfield, MI 48076...an Audience Development Group client station in the Midwest is looking for a hot night talent. Strong audience interaction is a must. You II be working with the best equipment so you II have all the tools you need to win BIG. Send your MP3 & Resume to hotnightjock@yahoo.com...If you can write, produce, voice and think, you could be a key player on Cox s Talker WHIO/Dayton, OH morning team. Could range from 10-30 hours per week. Send your materials to: Nick Roberts at nick.roberts@cox.com...Country night opening with possible MD and APD duties possible. Rush your package to: Randy Shannon, P.O. Box 23333, Green Bay, WI 54305 or E-mail shotgun@wncy.com...Zimmer s T40 KTXY is looking for their next morning or mid-day star! Applicants should have at least one year of on air experience, know how to use SAW or Cool Edit and have some promotional savy! Send your CD/T&R to: KTXY Opening, Attn: Rob Meyer, 3215 Lemone Industrial Blvd #200, Columbia, MO 65201. Small MP3's (under 3 minutes) are ok, send to rmeyer@zrgmail.com...all positions listed in The TATTLER are presented free of charge and represent equal opportunities. (Please, no calls unless otherwise noted.)