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City of Lafayette announces Scotty McCreery coming to Loeb Stadium August 17

LAFAYETTE, IN – June 14, 2023 – Country music singer Scotty McCreery brings his Damn Strait Tour to Loeb Stadium. The concert is Thursday, August 17, 2023, at 7:30 p.m. Gates open at 6 p.m.

Tickets are \$35, \$55, \$75 (plus applicable fees). Tickets sales will open to the public on Monday, June 19 (12 p.m.) at longpac.org and 765-742-5664. A fan club and stadium table pre-sale starts Thursday, June 15 (noon – 10 p.m.) and Friday, June 16 (noon – 10 p.m.). The event is presented by City of Lafayette, Lafayette Parks & Recreation, Honeywell Arts & Entertainment, and Long Center for the Performing Arts.

McCreery, whose current single is “It Matters to Her,” achieved new heights in the last couple of years. The tour is named after McCreery’s fifth consecutive No. 1 hit “Damn Strait,” written by Trent Tomlinson and Jim Collins, which spent three weeks at the top of both the Mediabase and Billboard charts. One of the highlights of McCreery’s concerts is his performance of his current single “It Matters to Her,” which he co-wrote with Rhett Akins and Lee Thomas Miller. “It Matters to Her” is the singer/songwriter’s fastest rising single of his career.

McCreery has earned one Triple Platinum, five Platinum and three Gold singles as well as one Platinum and two Gold albums; won the 10th season of “American Idol” in 2011; was named the ACM New Artist of the Year in 2011; won the CMT Music Award for Breakthrough Video of the Year (“The Trouble with Girls”) in 2012; American Country Awards for New Artist of the Year in 2011 and Breakthrough Artist of the Year in 2013; BMI Awards for writing One of the Top 50 Country Songs of the Year four times (in 2015 for “See You Tonight,” in 2018 for “Five More Minutes,” in 2019 for “This is It,” and in 2022 for “You Time”); a Carolina Beach Music Award for National Dance/Shag Song of the Year (“Barefootin’”) in 2018; and the NSAI Nashville Songwriter Award for One of the Top Ten Songs I Wish I’d Written (“Five More Minutes”) in 2018. The North Carolina native released his first book, *Go Big or Go Home: The Journey Toward the Dream*, in 2016; it was recently re-released in paperback in 2020. He is being inducted into the North Carolina Music Hall of Fame on October 19,



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McCreery launched his recording career by making history in 2011 as both the first country artist and the youngest male artist of any genre to debut his first studio album, the Platinum-certified *Clear as Day*, at No. 1 on the all-genre *Billboard* Top 200 Albums chart. For more information and his current tour schedule, visit ScottyMcCreery.com.

Scotty McCreery at Loeb Stadium

Date: Thursday, August 17, 2023 | 7:30 p.m. (Gates open at 6 p.m.)

Location: Loeb Stadium, 1915 Scott St., Lafayette, IN

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Purchase online: www.longpac.org

Press photos and bio can be found [here](#).

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