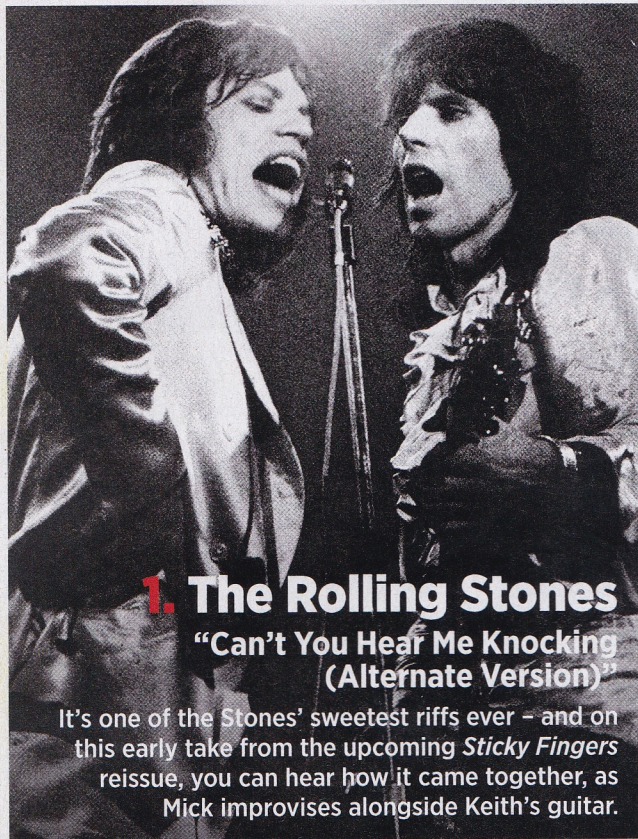


THE PLAYLIST

OUR FAVORITE SONGS, ALBUMS AND VIDEOS RIGHT NOW



1. The Rolling Stones "Can't You Hear Me Knocking (Alternate Version)"

It's one of the Stones' sweetest riffs ever – and on this early take from the upcoming *Sticky Fingers* reissue, you can hear how it came together, as Mick improvises alongside Keith's guitar.

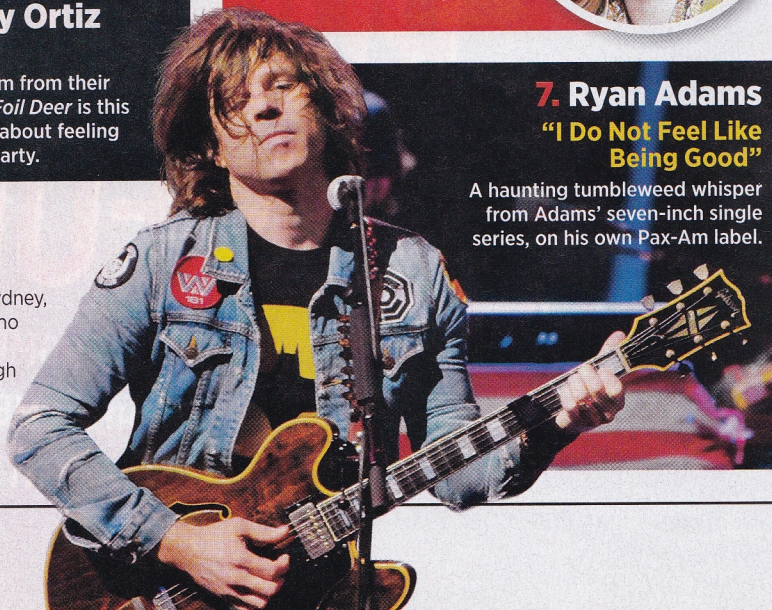


2. Speedy Ortiz "Ginger"

The choicest jam from their excellent new *Foil Deer* is this gnarly anthem about feeling awkward at a party.

3. DMA's "Your Low"

Straight out of Sydney, this rising trio (who have an EP due soon) have enough catchy, jangly sunshine in their sound to last you all summer.



7. Ryan Adams "I Do Not Feel Like Being Good"

A haunting tumbleweed whisper from Adams' seven-inch single series, on his own Pax-Am label.

4. Jamie xx "Gosh" ▼

"Gosh" isn't what we'd call a cool exclamation in 2015, but Jamie proved us wrong with this irresistible body-mover from his upcoming *In Colour*.



5. The Relationship "Oh Allen"

Weezer guitarist Brian Bell steps out with his other band for an extra-hummable bite of power-pop crunch. Like a candy bar in audio form.



6. Kurt Cobain "And I Love Her"

One of the most moving things unearthed by *Montage of Heck* director Brett Morgen is this lost tape of Cobain finding the raw hurt in the Beatles classic.

EXPERT OPINION



Blake Shelton

With the *Voice* star's summer festival tour about to kick off, we asked him to tell us what he thinks of five songs.

OLD

Bruce Springsteen "Glory Days"

The older I get, the more I can relate to this song. Everybody has their own place it takes them back to. For me, it's high school.

John Mellencamp "Jack & Diane"

There probably isn't a bar band in this country that hasn't covered this song at some point along the way, including myself. So much energy and fun.

Dixie Chicks
"Not Ready to Make Nice"
Natalie Maines' voice grabs your attention and won't let it go. It was a statement about how they were blacklisted – but probably not the best choice of a single to be reinstated.

NEW

Wiz Khalifa, feat. Charlie Puth "See You Again"

I love this song. I'm always fascinated when two artists that seem completely different on paper come together.

Maroon 5 "Sugar"

This makes me want to get married all over again in hopes that Adam Levine will surprise everyone at my wedding.