

STRAIT TALK

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2008 GSTRC Tickets On Sale October 1st

George Strait has chosen March 14th & 15th as the dates for the 26th Annual George Strait Team Roping Classic at the San Antonio Rose Palace in San Antonio, Texas.

The event, which began as a small family roping in 1982, has grown into the most prestigious open Team Roping competition in the country. 627 Teams competed for the coveted championship at the 25th Anniversary GSTRC in 2007 worth more than \$500,000 in prize money. The 2007 champions, Nick Sartain of Yukon, OK and Jhett Johnson of Casper, W. both won \$84,337 in cash and drove away in their new 2007 Chevy Silverado Trucks provided by Cavender Chevrolet of Boerne, TX pulling two Strait X-Treme 3-horse slant trailers by Bruton.

All ropers will participate on Friday the 14th for cash and prizes with the top 50 teams coming back for the final three rounds on Saturday the 15th.

Entry fee for the 26th annual GSTRC will be \$1,000 per team (\$500 per roper). Each roper will have the opportunity to enter up to three times with different partners.

The Roping will start at 10 am each day and ticket prices for the event will remain at \$16.00 per person, per day. Children 6 & under are free when accompanied by a parent or guardian. Fans may begin ordering their tickets on-line beginning October 1st at <http://www.gstrc.com> or by calling the Team Roping office at 210-698-0791 between 9 am and 5 pm Monday thru Friday. The ticket office is closed from

12:00 to 1:00 pm for lunch. Fans wishing to order their tickets by mail may do so by sending \$16 for each ticket ordered per day. Please send money order or check to:

George Strait Team Roping Classic
PMB #452
24165 IH-10 West
Suite 217
San Antonio, TX 78257-1159

All tickets are final and non-refundable and cannot be exchanged for another day. Additional postage will be charged for ticket orders sent outside the United States.

Please remember that the GSTRC ticket office will not begin mailing tickets out until February of 2008. 🍀

George Strait Now All-Time Leader For #1 Singles

The King of Country Music Ties Conway Twitty With Record 55 #1 Singles As "Wrapped" Reaches Top Of Chart

George Strait continues his reign over country music with his latest single 'Wrapped' topping the charts. Not only does this mark Strait's 55th number one, it is also the third single to hit number one

from his 34th studio album 'It Just Comes Natural'. The success of 'Wrapped' is the latest in a string of accolades from King George's current album.

The first single off the project, 'Give It

Away', went to the top of the country singles chart in just 13 weeks, making it the fastest rising single of Strait's career. The song also recently received two Academy

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of Country Music Awards for 'Song of the Year' and 'Single Record of the Year.' The albums title track 'It Just Comes Natural' also reached number one on the charts.

Though Strait already held the record for solo number one singles, his 55th notch ties

Conway Twitty's record, which includes his number one duets with Loretta Lynn.

Since his debut in 1981, the Texas troubadour has indeed been doing what comes naturally, putting together scores of hits that have earned him millions of fans worldwide and the unanimous respect of

the critics.

With the enormous success of his latest release and a slew of multiplatinum albums under his belt, Strait just keeps getting better, striking a chord among the legions that yearn for wide open spaces and a simpler lifestyle. 🌟

Fan Collectable Column

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- Portland Metro / SW Washington Edition: Country Music Chronicle of Bonifide Country Newspaper, August 2007. Page 11 mentioned in story. Portland, OR.
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- Parsons Sun Newspaper - 7-24-07. Parsons, KS. P. 22 photo ad for Justin Boots.

The following George Strait Fan Club Members submitted to the Collectable Column...

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*Match the name(s) to the song titles from the CD, “Live at Texas Stadium.”
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Place the letter(s) on the line provided by each song title. Good luck!!!*

(A) George Strait

(B) Jimmy Buffett

(C) Alan Jackson

1. Milk Cow Blues
2. Hey Good Lookin’
3. Margaritaville
4. Honk If you Honky Tonk
5. Boats To Build
6. Five O’Clock Somewhere
7. Texas Women
8. Murder On Music Row
9. Sea Of Heartbreak
10. Where I Come From
11. North East Texas Woman
12. Cowboys Like Us
13. Designated Drinker
14. Seven Bridges Road
15. All My Ex’s Live In Texas

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		photo & 4 quarterly issues of STRAIT TALK sent through the mail with periodic email updates)FOREIGN	\$30	
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		Incredible Career, Behind the Scenes Fact Sheet & Biography. All Fan Club Documents are emailed immediatelyCANADA	\$15	
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	252	PHOTO MAGNET (2"x2" Square magnet with photo from "It Just Comes Natural")	\$2.95	
	306	PHOTO MOUSE PAD (Photo from CD "It Just Comes Natural," 7.5"x8").....	\$9.95	
	312	BALL POINT PEN (Fashionable chrome colored ballpoint pen with metal body and a soft grip section, an elegant pen for everyday use, "GEORGE STRAIT" imprinted on side in black)	\$3.95	
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	546	PHOTO KEYCHAIN (Double sided photo keychain containing photo from CD "It Just Comes Natural")	\$3.95	
	558	LICENSE TAG (Red, White and Blue Texas plate with silhouette "STRAIT" design and "It Just Comes Natural" across bottom)	\$6.95	
	580	HAT PIN (Sterling silver w/G.S. signature in blue) SUPER!	\$9.95	
	585	EARRINGS (Sterling Silver w/G.S. signature. For pierced ears only!).....	\$14.95	
☆☆☆	566	LICENSE TAG HOLDER (Black frame with classic "George Strait" on top and www.georgestrait.com on the bottom)NEW	\$7.00	
☆☆☆	631	CALENDAR (13 page, 13 month calendar, July 2007-July 2008, closed calendar dimensions are 12" x 12", excellent full color photos).....NEW	\$12.95	
	650	SONGBOOK (The Best of George Strait 2nd Edition, includes 34 of George's Greatest Hits for Piano, Vocal and Guitar)	\$17.95	
	652	CHRISTMAS SONGBOOK (Includes lyrics and music for piano & guitar for all songs on G.S. Christmas Album)	\$10.95	
	662	LATEST GREATEST STRAITTEST HITS (Songbook)	\$14.95	
	663	THE BEST OF GEORGE STRAIT (Songbook)	\$10.95	
☆☆☆	982DVD	2007 GEORGE STRAIT TEAM ROPING CLASSIC VIDEO (DVD)	\$29.95	
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	1023	APRON (Black apron with Burning Hot Flames G.S. "Texas Cookin'" design)	\$19.95	
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	1038	TRAVEL MUG (Blue thermal 16 oz. stainless steel travel mug offers a secure cap and an easy-slide drink top closure to keep beverages from spilling during commutes. Designed to fit securely in most vehicles' holders and consoles, G.S. signature logo in white)	\$14.95	
	1042	PHOTO COFFEE MUG (WHITE 11 oz. Ceramic Mug with a Great looking concert photo from "It Just Comes Natural")	\$12.95	
	1049	COFFEE MUG (Great looking "I Love George Strait" coffee mug)	\$8.95	
☆☆☆	1062	SHOT GLASS (2 oz. clear shot glass, sharp black "It Just Comes Natural" vintage design with photos of G.S., specially designed to match the old fashioned gla #1066)NEW	\$6.95	
☆☆☆	1066	OLD FASHIONED GLASS (11 oz. glass, sharp black "It Just Comes Natural" vintage design with photos of G.S., specially designed to match the shot glassw #1062)NEW	\$6.95	
	1070	SATCHEL ("George Strait" Embossed Satchel, 12 oz. Canvas fusion dyed in a rich Chocolate Brown. Washable, Sturdy Construction, 16-1/2" Wide and 14" Long, 2 Extra Pockets with Snaps for extra security, Adjustable Strap. Brand NEW G.S. Rodeo Design using a permanent 3 dimensional embossing process. EXCELLENT Book Bag, Diaper Bag, Purse, or Briefcase! Roomy enough for a laptop! Made in USA)	\$34.95	
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	1075	TOTE BAG (LARGE size Embossed Denim Tote Bag, 22-1/2" Long and 20" Wide. You can carry Everything in this one - GREAT for shopping! Washable and Durable, Brand NEW G.S. Rodeo Design using a permanent 3 dimensional embossing process, Made in USA)	\$29.95	
	1115	STRAIT UMBRELLA (42" arc, 36" spread, 32" length when closed, navy blue and white with "A Better Rain" cloud design from Title LP "It Just Come Natural")	\$19.95	
	3200	CAMOUFLAGE BANDANA (Camouflage color Bandana with G.S. "It Just Comes Natural" design)	\$5.95	
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	3300	EMBROIDERED CAMO CAP ("Go Camo" in our Advantage MAX-1 HD Camouflage Cap with a full visor and adjustable headband, custom embroidered with G.S. initials on front, and "George Strait" across the back)	\$16.95	
	3320	EMBROIDERED KHAKI CAP (Khaki color cap, 6 panel, 100% cotton brushed twill with black and white trim on bill, matching G.S. initials embroidered on front and "George Strait" embroidered on back with tuck strap buckle enclosure)	\$16.95	
	3500	LADIES ANTIQUE PINK TANK TOP (With a soft feel and attractive styling our "How 'Bout Them COWGIRLS" Tank will stand out when worn by itself or under a sweater or shirt, made of a comfortable 90% rib-knit cotton, preshrunk)Check Size: M L XL	\$17.95	
	3510	LADIES VINTAGE FOOTBALL JERSEY (A fun retro look, all the softness of 100% ring spun combed cotton jersey knit, grey crossover v-neck, 3/4 length sleeves with navy double needle stitched stripes, "How 'Bout Them COWGIRLS" G.S. design on front)Check Size: M L XL	\$24.50	
	3515	LADIES ARMY LONG SLEEVE TEE (Army colored, contoured feminine body with a snug baby rib fit and a generous long sleeve length, preshrunk super soft 100% combed cotton with G.S. 2007 "It Just Comes Natural" army style design, USA made)Check Size: M L XL	\$17.95	
	3520	LADIES SADDLE BROWN LONG SLEEVE TEE (Saddle brown ladies long sleeve tee styled in a flattering slim fit with the silky smoothness of 100% ring spun combed cotton, beautiful vintage paisley G.S. "a heart like mine" design).....Check Size: M L XL	\$17.95	
	3525	LADIES LIGHT LIME LONG SLEEVE TEE (Light lime color boat neck long sleeve tee, slightly shaped to flatter a woman's figure, made of 100% ring spun combed cotton for silky softness that lasts, G.S. initials CowGirl design, fitted)Check Size: M L XL	\$17.95	
	3530	LADIES PETAL PINK RINGER TEE (Petal pink ringer tee with contrasting red ribbing at the collar and sleeves. Vintage "How About This Cowgirl" G.S. design in red and white, preshrunk 100% ring spun cotton, fitted)Check Size: M L XL	\$17.95	
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	3560	LADIES CAMOUFLAGE TEE (Camouflage ringer tee with contoured fit and soft 100% cotton baby rib knit fabric, styled in a flattering slim fit, G.S. 2007 "It Just Comes Natural" army style design on front chest).....Check Size: M ___ L ___ XL___	\$17.95	
	3575	LADIES SADDLE BROWN SONG TITLE TEE (Ladies saddle brown tee made from a comfortable 100% cotton jersey and garment-washed for extra softness, imprinted with all the song titles from George's CD "It Just Comes Natural" and the G.S. signature logo, fitted).....Check Size: M ___ L ___ XL___	\$17.95	
	4100	GOLDENROD PHOTO T-SHIRT (Goldenrod color 100% cotton short sleeve t-shirt, pigment dyed to feel comfortable from the start, contrasting dark brown ribbing at the collar and sleeves, vintage G.S. "It Just Comes Natural" design on front chest with three excellent photos, sized for men).....Check Size: M ___ L ___ XL___	\$17.95	
	4110	BLACK OVAL DESIGN T-SHIRT (Black 100% preshrunk cotton short sleeve t-shirt, G.S. "It Just Comes Natural" oval design in white distressed lettering on front chest, sized for men).....Check Size: M ___ L ___ XL___	\$17.95	
	4120	BLACK PHOTO TOUR T-SHIRT (Black 100% preshrunk cotton short sleeve t-shirt, three great looking concert photos of G.S. with autograph and "It Just Comes Natural" logo on front, sized for men).....Check Size: M ___ L ___ XL___	\$15.95	
	4130	BLACK ON STAGE T-SHIRT (Black 100% preshrunk cotton short sleeve t-shirt, distressed G.S. onstage live design on front chest in white, sizing for men).....Check Size: M ___ L ___ XL___	\$14.95	
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♪ Anita's Notes ♪

Welcome to the fall issue of Strait Talk. As we write this issue, many of us are finishing up summer vacations, getting their children off to college or back to school. I believe this has been the hottest and driest summer that we have ever experienced in Tennessee while many of you had the wettest one. I hope that you all had a safe and pleasant summer in spite of it all.

George and his family have been taking some well deserved time-off during the summer and will soon begin getting ready for the 2008 tour that is scheduled to begin in January. The tour is not yet complete but an announcement of the schedule is expected to be made on our website at www.georgestrait.com around the first of October.

I am sure that you have noticed in a separate story in the newsletter that the 26th Annual George Strait Team Roping Classic has been scheduled for March 14th and 15th in San Antonio, TX at the San Antonio Rose Palace. I would suggest you book your hotel rooms early so you won't be left out. There's a lot of history and great things to see in San Antonio so save some time to experience some of the great wonders of the area. Also, don't forget to save a little time to test drive a new Chevrolet from Cavender Chevrolet in Boerne, TX while you are there. I'm sure that Tommy Pipes will make you a great deal so you can drive home in style.

The George Strait Team Roping Classic is

a family event and is a lot of fun. We always enjoy watching the world class ropers as well as visiting with many old friends. If you haven't ever been before, check out the Team Roping section of the website and get a feel of what it's like by reading past stories and looking at many of the photos in back issues of Strait Talk. We promise you that once you attend you will be hooked.

George's newest #1 single "Wrapped" of the CD "It Just Comes Natural" is his 55th. No individual has ever accomplished this before as a solo act. Conway Twitty had a total of 55 but three of them were duets with Loretta Lynn. George's newest single from the same CD is "How 'Bout Them Cowgirls" which is rapidly climbing the chart.

Congratulations to Shirley Van Velzer of Deming, New Mexico for being our winner after having submitted items for the Fan Club Collectable column. All fans who submit a photo, magazine or newspaper story that is used in Strait Talk is automatically entered into our drawing. Shirley, your prize is on its way.

A big congratulations and best wishes to our webmaster, Sid Farbstein and his lovely new bride, Noelle. They exchanged their vows in July.

With the Holidays approaching at a rapid pace, we have added the Christmas Sweatshirt this issue. It is red in color and features George with "Merry Christmas

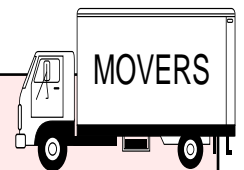
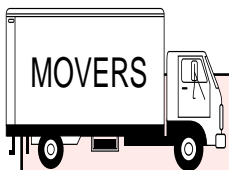
Strait to You." Please check the Special Order form for details elsewhere in the newsletter. In addition, we have added a new license tag holder and the 2007 George Strait Team Roping Classic video on DVD only. Please keep checking the George Strait website at www.georgestrait.com for a lot of new merchandise that will begin coming in shortly.

When you get a chance, please review your Fan Club membership info. The first tickets for the 2008 tour will be going on sale sometime in October and fans will not be able to take advantage of the special fan club seating if memberships are expired or we have the wrong information. Also, please verify that the email address we have for you is correct as that is how fans are notified of on-sale dates.

Have you moved? If you have, please call or email the information so you won't miss any issues of Strait Talk. Our office hours are 8:30 am - 3:00 pm central time. The Fan Club phone number is 615-824-7176 and the fax line is 615-826-7052.

Thanks for your continued support of George Strait and his fan club. We do cherish all the friendships that have been made over the 25 years and look forward to the many years ahead.

As we close this issue, please continue to pray for the service men and women of our armed forces stationed all over the world protecting our freedom.



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There are no tour dates scheduled for the remainder of 2007. The 2008 George Strait Tour is tentatively scheduled to begin in January and run through the end of March. All dates have not been finalized but the tour schedule is expected to be made available on the George Strait website at www.georgestrait.com around the 1st of October.