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**Country Star Chris Cagle to Play SD State Fair**

Pierre, S.D. – The South Dakota State Fair is pleased to announce that country music star Chris Cagle will perform at the fairgrounds on Friday, Sept. 4. Cagle will headline an evening of country music that also features legendary singer-songwriter Mel Tillis.

Cagle is best known for his hit singles “Laredo”, “Chicks Dig It”, “I Breath In, I Breath Out” and “What Kinda Gone.” He recently hit No. 1 on the billboard charts with “My Life’s Been a Country Song.”

“We are extremely excited about booking Chris Cagle,” said State Fair Manager Jerome Hertel. “Adding this genre to the grandstand lineup ensures that we are providing something for everyone, which has always been the goal of the State Fair.”

The South Dakota State Fair will take place Sept. 3-7 in Huron. Tickets for Chris Cagle and all grandstand events are scheduled to go on sale June 20. For the latest information, check the State Fair website at [www.sdstatefair.com](http://www.sdstatefair.com).