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## **Billy Currington On Tour**

**With special guests Eli Young Band and Marlon Funaki**

**Mullett Arena**

**Friday, September 6, 2024**

***Tickets Go On Sale Friday, May 3, at 10:00 a.m.***

**TEMPE, AZ, April 26**—Billy Currington is on his Tour at the Mullett Arena on Friday, September 6, 2024! Special guests include Eli Young Band and Marlon Funaki. Tickets start at \$45.50 plus applicable fees and go on sale Friday, May 3, 2023 at 10 a.m.

### **About Billy Currington**

Billy Currington's latest album bears the breezy title *Summer Forever*, but the talented Georgia native has spent more than a decade in the spotlight proving he's truly a man for all seasons. Possessing one of the smoothest and most distinct voices in any genre of music, Currington is equally skilled at delivering upbeat summertime anthems as well as exploring the complexities of life and love with a poignant ballad. On *Summer Forever*, Currington's sixth studio album, he brings both with a collection of songs that will take the listener on a riveting musical journey and leave them breathless at the end of the ride.

Since his self-titled debut album bowed on Mercury Records in 2003, Currington has scored eleven career No. 1 singles, most recently, "Don't Hurt Like It Used To." His other hits that reached the No. 1 spot include such memorable songs as "Good Directions," "Let Me Down Easy," "Must Be Doin' Somethin' Right," "People Are Crazy," "That's How Country Boys Roll," "Hey Girl," and "We Are Tonight." Over the years, the self-effacing Georgia boy has amassed an impressive list of accolades. He won the "Hottest Video of the Year" honor at the fan-voted CMT Music Awards for "Must Be Doin' Somethin' Right" in 2006. The same year, he received an ACM nod for Top New Male Vocalist. His hit duet with Shania Twain, "Party for



Two,” earned nominations from both the CMA and ACM. “People Are Crazy” took Currington’s already hot career to another level. He earned Grammy nominations for Male Country Vocal Performance and Best Country Song in addition to being nominate for Single and Song of the Year from the Country Music Association.

### **About Eli Young Band**

ELI YOUNG BAND has always been unique in modern Country music – a true band of brothers who play their own instruments, write their own songs and cling fast to their Texas roots. With *LOVE TALKING* out now via The Valory Music Co., they embrace what makes them different once and for all. Overall, lead singer Mike Eli found himself writing more than 150 songs in the time since the GRAMMY-nominated band released *THIS IS ELI YOUNG BAND: GREATEST HITS* in 2019. On *LOVE TALKING*, he joins forces with Nashville stalwarts Jimmy Robbins, Laura Veltz, Josh Osborne, Jon Nite and more. Also finding a home on the album is the sentimental “Lucky For Me” and tongue-in-cheek “Break Up In A Bar.” Eli founded the band with guitarist James Young, bassist Jon Jones and drummer Chris Thompson at the University of North Texas in 2000, steadily building a grassroots fanbase that propelled four No. 1 singles and gave the band an edgy, romantically-charged identity (4X PLATINUM “Crazy Girl,” 2X PLATINUM “Even If It Breaks Your Heart” and PLATINUM “Love Ain’t” and “Drunk Last Night “).

### **About Pepper Entertainment**

Established in July of 2006, Pepper (PE) is based in Sioux Falls, SD. As one of the fastest scaling, independent promotions company in the Midwest, PE, collectively, exceeds 25 years of experience spanning a broad scope of industry specialties, such as; Live Promotions, Corporate & Private Event Talent Buying, Club & Performing Art Center Programming & Media & Marketing Services. Pepper currently ranks 27th of the Top 100 Worldwide Promoters according to Pollstar Magazine and was nominated in 2020 and 2022 as Promoter of The Year by The Academy of Country Music. Pepper holds offices in Sioux Falls, SD, Minneapolis, MN and Boise, ID.

### **About Mullett Arena**

The new 5,000-seat multi-purpose arena located on the Arizona State University Tempe main campus ushers in a new level of entertainment for all. Owned and built in partnership with ASU; Mullett Arena is home to Sun Devil ice hockey, wrestling and women’s volleyball programs, Arizona Coyotes NHL hockey and national touring live entertainment. Premium VIP spaces, OVG Hospitality Food & Beverage, Local Partners and the Mountain America Credit Union Community Iceplex makes Mullett Arena THE entertainment destination in the desert. Managed by OVG360, a division of Oak View Group, the full-service venue management and event programming company creating a positive disruption in the industry.

**Tickets are available at the venue box office and [ticketmaster.com](https://www.ticketmaster.com)**

For more information about the Mullett Arena visit: [www.mullettarena.com](https://www.mullettarena.com)

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