



# PARTY IN THE PINES

## MUSIC FESTIVAL

THE INAUGURAL MUSIC FESTIVAL IS SET TO MAKE A SPLASH IN WHITE SPRINGS

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After months of planning and preparation, the Bienville Plantation in White Springs will be hosting its inaugural Party In The Pines music festival. Promising to be the largest country music festival in North Florida, this is one party you don't want to miss.

Presented by Bienville Entertainment, Party In The Pines will feature some of the biggest names in country music. Superstars including Keith Urban, Miranda Lambert and Jake Owen are set to perform.

"The enthusiasm is extremely high," said Bienville Entertainment Event Producer Vickie Bass. "People are amazed that we have talent of this level coming to White Springs and North Florida."

The inaugural Party In The Pines will be held on October 20-21. The Bienville Plantation will host several country superstars for the festival and offer various camping accommodations.

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### WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Party in the Pines Music Festival

Friday, October 20 | 3 PM

Saturday, October 21 | Noon

**Bienville Plantation** | 16673 SE

81st Drive, White Springs

*Advance Cost through October 16:*

Two-day VIP: \$650

Two-day Reserved Seating: \$420

Two-day General Admission: \$160

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try music's biggest female superstars, Miranda Lambert, will be one of the headlining acts at the inaugural Party In The Pines. The singer/songwriter is the reigning ACM Female Vocalist of the Year and has won two Grammy Awards, 12 CMA Awards and 28 ACM Awards. Known for hit songs like "The House That Built Me," "Kerosene" and "Platinum," Lambert released her most recent album, *The Weight of These Wings*, in November 2016, which debuted at No. 1 on the Billboard County Albums chart.

Country music legend Keith Urban will also be a headlining

act at Party In The Pines. A premier singer/songwriter/musician, Urban has collaborated with everyone from The Rolling Stones to Alicia Keys to John Mayer. The four-time Grammy winner and Grand Ole Opry member has produced four No. 1 songs including "Wasted Time," "John Cougar, John Deere, John 3:16," and "Break On Me." His most recent album, *RIPCORD*, released in 2016, was certified platinum and produced its 22nd No. 1 song, "Blue Ain't Your Color."

Also performing at Party In The Pines is Jake Owen, a Vero Beach native known for his high-energy performances and laid-back style. Owen is known for several, chart-topping country hits, including "Barefoot Blue Jean Night," "Anywhere With You" and "American Country Love Song." Easton Corbin is also set to perform. His traditional country style and authentic lyrics have left an impression on country music. Some of his more popular songs include "Lovin' You Is Fun" and "All Over The Road."

Singer/songwriter Maren Morris, most popularly known for her fan-favorite single, "80s



Keith Urban



Miranda Lambert



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Jake Owen



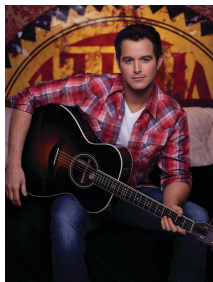
Maren Morris



Brothers Osborne



Raleigh Keegan



Easton Corbin

Mercedes,” and Brothers Osborne, John and TJ, known for their No. 1 smash hit “Stay A Little Longer” will also play at Party In The Pines. More recently-announced artists include Ryan Hurd, a musician who has written songs for famed artists including Party In The Pines performers Jake Owen and Maren Morris and is now venturing out on his own with his debut album “We Do Us,” Lanco, a country band that just debuted it’s self-titled EP, and singer Raleigh Keegan.

Party In The Pines will have continuous music, with national artists performing on the main stage while regional artists perform on the Showcase Stage. More lineup additions will be announced closer to the event.

Party In The Pines will also be hosting a huge giveaway program throughout the two-day event, with over \$100,000 in prizes up for grabs, including a new pickup truck, a boat, a Polaris Ranger, kayaks, vacations, big-ticket coolers and more.

The proceeds from the giveaways will benefit local charities, including Haven Hospice, Love INC and the Stephen Foster Citizen Support Organization.

“We really like the fact that it not only benefits the people coming to the festival but it also gives back to the community,” Bass said.

Party In The Pines is offering a VIP experience, which promises a “never before experienced ambiance, decor and activities.” VIP guests will receive special parking, entry privileges, reserved seating, access to exclusive VIP vendors, meals and three complimentary beers each day and

access to a cash bar inside the VIP tent.

The two-day VIP package costs \$650 and includes all the perks listed above. The two-day reserved seating package, which includes a two-day parking pass, costs \$420 and the two-day general admission package, which includes a two-day parking pass, costs \$160 in advance through Oct. 16.

The military discount two-day general admission price is \$122 and the student discount two-day general admission price is also \$122. Proper identification must be presented at the gate, and the tickets include a two-day parking pass. The two-day child’s general admission package, which is for children ages 6-12, is \$61 and children ages five and under are free. Kids and family activities will be offered in addition to musical performances.

Guests can also enjoy the full Party In The Pines experience with camping. Primitive camping for tents and RVs will be offered at the Bienville Plantation during the festival. For a complete list of prices, visit [www.partyinthepines.com](http://www.partyinthepines.com).

The star-studded lineup kicks off at 3 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 20 and continues Saturday, Oct. 21. Gates for the festival open at noon.

The Bienville Plantation is located at 16673 SE 81st Drive in White Springs. For more information or to purchase tickets visit [www.partyinthepines.com](http://www.partyinthepines.com).