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“American Idol” favorite comes to Worcester in March



WORCESTER, Mass. (December 11, 2017) Grammy-nominated rock band *Daughtry* have announced details for the first leg of their 2018 headlining tour. Set to hit 30+ cities across the U.S., *Daughtry* will come to The Hanover Theatre for the Performing Arts on Saturday, March 31 at 8 p.m. Tickets go on sale to members on Thursday, December 14 at 10 a.m. and to the general public on Friday, December 15 at 10 a.m.

In addition to the tour, *Daughtry* are also gearing up to announce new music that is set to come in 2018.

“We are very much looking forward to hitting the road again and reconnecting with our fans,” Chris Daughtry said. “We’ve been grinding away in the studio working diligently on our 5th album and cannot wait to share the new material in 2018! Our fans have waited long enough.”

As the frontman for the band bearing his name, Chris Daughtry has become one of the most visible and consistent rock & roll torchbearers of the 21st century. Since rising to prominence on the fifth season of “American Idol,” he has released four albums, all of which reached the Billboard Top Ten and have combined sales of more than eight million copies in the U.S.

Daughtry have released four studio albums, scored four No. 1 hits and garnered four Grammy nominations. Additionally, the band has sold over eight million albums and 16 million singles, as well as selling out concerts around the globe. At radio, the band has also earned four No. 1 singles, including the multi-format hit No. 1 song “It’s Not Over.” *Daughtry*’s self-titled album was the fastest-selling rock debut in Soundscan history, and its follow up, “Leave This Town,” marked the quintet’s second consecutive No. 1 album. The band’s third album, “Break The Spell,” was certified gold within four weeks of its release, and their last studio effort, “Baptized,” produced the certified gold single, “Waiting For Superman.”

Tickets to *Daughtry* are \$45 and \$55. Discounts are available to members of The Hanover Theatre and groups of 10 or more. Tickets are available online at TheHanoverTheatre.org, by phone at 877.571.SHOW (7469) or at The Hanover Theatre box office located at 2 Southbridge Street in downtown Worcester.

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About The Hanover Theatre

The Hanover Theatre continues to draw over 197,000 patrons annually with world-class performances and headlining acts including Broadway hits (“Les Misérables,” “Jersey Boys”), comedians (Dave Chappelle, Jay Leno, Daniel Tosh), musical acts (Neil Young, Aretha Franklin, John Legend, Donny Osmond) and everything in between (“A Christmas Carol,” Alvin Ailey American Dance Theatre, Alton Brown). POLLSTAR consistently ranks The Hanover Theatre as one of the Top Theatres in the World. After eight seasons, the award-winning, historic theatre continues to establish its place as a world-class performing arts venue, acting as a catalyst for the economic development of downtown Worcester. The Hanover Theatre’s acquisition of 551 Main Street houses new function space, offices, rental space for a restaurant on the ground floor and The Hanover Theatre Conservatory for the Performing Arts on the lower level.

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