

"Breaking Eight to Release First Full Album"  
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## **BREAKING EIGHT TO RELEASE FIRST FULL LENGTH ALBUM AND GO ON TOUR**

Breaking Eight is a new band that, in one year's time, has experienced a whirlwind of activity. The group recently finished recording its first self-titled album and is now setting out to promote it by performing for live audiences, beginning in Las Vegas at the Professional Bull Riders (PBR) World Finals Kick off event on Tuesday, November 6th at The South Point Hotel and Casino main Showroom following the Heroes and Legends Ceremony.

Being at the PBR World Finals and performing live is familiar ground for Breaking Eight front man Beni Paulson. He is a former PBR World Finals contestant who wrote and performs the theme music for two television series: Special Cowboy Moments, which airs each Wednesday night on RFD-TV, and Wild Rides, which airs each Sunday night on the COWBOY CHANNEL.

"This music thing is similar to riding bulls," said Paulson. "If you want to be good you have to work hard and be prepared. I get almost as nervous for big shows as I would for riding bulls in front of large crowds, because you want to succeed and do a good job."

Future goals for the band include playing for many more for rodeo and bull riding crowds, since a lot of their music is focused on that lifestyle. The music is high energy and edgy, but it is also positive and appropriate for all ages.

"If you don't have anything good to sing about then don't sing at all," said Paulson. "I want people to feel better about themselves after they see us perform than they did before."

The group consists of Ty Taylor on guitar and vocals, Luke Smillie on drums and vocals, newcomer Jerilyn Wiseman on fiddle and vocals and Paulson on vocals and bass guitar.

Wiseman is a collegiate rodeo athlete who competes in barrel racing, breakaway roping and team roping. One of her first live shows with the band will include a November 3rd fund raising event entitled Cowboys & Candlelight, originally created to raise funds for her college rodeo team at Dickinson State University in Dickinson, ND.

"It's a lot of fun to perform," Wiseman said, "but it's even more fun to perform for a good cause."

The release date for Breaking Eight's debut album is late October. For further details go to [www.breakingeight.com](http://www.breakingeight.com) or to Breaking Eight's Facebook page.

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