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**3 DOORS DOWN TO HEADLINE OPENING NIGHT OF THE 2017 DUTCHESS COUNTY FAIR**

Rhinebeck NY.....3 Doors Down formed in 1995, Grammy Award®-nominated multiplatinum Mississippi rock band 3 Doors Down consistently captivates audiences worldwide. The quintet's many accolades include selling 16 million albums globally, receiving three Grammy nominations, and winning two American Music Awards, and five BMI Pop Awards for songwriting including "Songwriter of the Year." Their debut *The Better Life*, became certified six-times RIAA platinum in 2000 and was fueled by the success of juggernaut hit " Kryptonite." This was followed by 2002's sophomore album, *Away from the Sun* which went triple-platinum and saw similar success with "When I'm Gone" and "Here Without You." 2005's platinum *Seventeen Days* and 2008's 3 Doors Down each earned #1 debuts on the Billboard Top 200, while *Time of My Life* landed at #3 in 2011. Ignited by the single "In The Dark," 3 Doors Down unleashed their sixth full-length album, *Us and the Night*, which debuted top 10 on the Billboard Top 200 in 2016.

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