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***DOWN HOME DIVAS* Spends 10 Weeks in the Top 10**

Wells, Folk Singer with New York Roots, to Appear at Grey Fox Bluegrass Festival

OAK HILL, New York. (July 16, 2014) - [Brooksie Wells](#), originally discovered by Bobby Darin at the age of 19, spent her early years as a member of Kid Creole & The Coconuts and a songwriter for Chappell Music in New York City. She landed several cuts on major recordings and movie soundtracks and worked with John Lennon's band Elephant's Memory. After growing up in the South with parents who fought for Civil Rights and The Equal Rights Amendment, Wells' move to New York in the early 1970s was fitting, and the thriving folk music scene heavily influenced her writing. With a strong foundation, she became a successful songwriter in folk and country music.

Wells is now at the top of her game with her new, definitive album - ***Down Home Divas***. Featuring 11 new original tracks with Missy Raines on bass, Jenny Leigh Obert on fiddle, Lisa Kay Howard on mandolin, and a full cast of the industry's best female players, ***Down Home Divas*** has been well-received by Folk DJs on the East Coast. Her single "True Love" is currently # 17 on the Roots Music Report's Folk Song Chart, and "Janglin'" and "Down South Blues" went to #22 and 25 respectively. The album debuted in April on the Folk Charts at #68, and has since spent 10 weeks in the top 10 on the Roots Music Report's True Country Album Chart, including a week at #2.

Wells will appear with Lisa Kay Howard this weekend at Oak Hill's Grey Fox Bluegrass Festival Friday, July 18th at 5:30pm and Saturday, July 19th at 4:45pm on the Family Stage.

Fans can hear Wells live on WIOX Friday morning on "Mostly Folk" with Artie Martello in Roxbury, and again on WTBQ in Warwick Friday, July 25th.

For sound clips, videos and a full list of tour dates, visit www.brooksiewells.com.

***"I didn't know Brooksie Wells and I've been touched by
the beauty of her songs...genuine and sincere..."***

- Remo Ricaldone, DJ/Reviewer, Italy

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