

# New Celebrity Couple: Rob Kardashian is Dating 'Bad Girls Club' Star Mehgan James



By [Marissa Donovan](#)

The on-again off-again celebrity relationship between Rob Kardashian and Blac Chyna has finally come to a close. The duo went through a [celebrity break-up](#) in December, and Kardashian is now dating Mehgan James, though both seem to be keeping the relationship private for now. No comment has been made from James or her rep to confirm details on the [celebrity couple](#). According to sources for [UsMagazine.com](#), the two are a good fit for each other. Hopefully, we'll see them go public soon!

# There's a new celebrity couple in town, as Rob Kardashian has moved on from Blac Chyna. What are some ways to know you're ready to move on after your relationship ends?

## Cupid's Advice

Sometimes it takes a while to realize that you're on a rollercoaster you need to exit from. Here are some hints to look out for when you're ready for someone new.

**1. You have no desire to be with your ex again:** If you find yourself still trying to fix past arguments for the sake of being with your ex, then you need to give yourself time. If you've accepted that it's over, then you are absolutely ready!

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**2. You already have an idea of what you want:** After discovering what you disliked about your past relationship, now you have a clear idea of what you don't want in a relationship. This list will also allow the person you're dating to have an understanding of your expectations.

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**3. You find yourself being excited to meet new people:** Feeling very social after a break-up means you're ready to see who else is out there. Going out with your friends and attending large events is a good way to start opening yourself up to the chance of meeting the right.

**What are some other cues to know you're ready to move on? Let**

us know in the comments!

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# 'Bad Girls All-Star Battle' Host Ray J Says a Bad Girl Is "Confident, Sassy and Independent"



By [Sarah Ribeiro](#)

He may be notorious for being a bad boy, but now, Ray J is hanging out with a bunch of bad girls. The singer, actor and reality television star will be hosting Oxygen's *Bad Girls All-Star Battle*, which takes 14 of the most popular ladies

from [Bad Girls Club](#) and pits them against each other, competing for 100,000 dollars and the title of “Baddest Bad Girl of All Time.”

After appearing on his own show *For the Love of Ray J*, he is once again surrounded by girls – but this time, he says it’s all professional. “Being on a dating show with all these girls trying to be with you is a whole different concept from being on a show with the baddest bad girls on the planet,” he says. “So I looked at it as a new challenge. It’s a step up to me from anything I’ve done so far.”

Of course, it’s no secret that Ray J knows all about bad girls. His history with Kim Kardashian – and their sex tape – is still a big identifier for the singer. His newest single “I Hit It First” is a definite shout-out to Kardashian and her new beau Kanye West.

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One thing has changed though: Ray J can now tell who’s a bad girl and who isn’t. According to the musician, a bad girl is “a girl who never gives up, who is confident in herself, who has been through things. Maybe she’s been knocked down and got right back up. She keeps fighting and keeps moving forward. And a true bad girl has been through some tough things but is still a winner and continues to go on with her life as a champion.”

His new gig on *Bad Girls All-Star Battle* has even shown him that every bad girl has a good side too. “Some of these girls are coming on this show to win this money for real positive reasons. There is a single mom trying to win the money to help her daughter have a better life. Another bad girl is trying to help her brother get out of foster care. It’s a great show with challenges, but there’s also some real substance.”

It's this substance, he says, that helped him become a good host: "You want to know certain things about somebody that you trust and care about. For the show, I had to go deep with the questions. I had to really get inside of the girls' minds and understand their angle, their plan, their emotions."

Ray J has also grown on a personal level and adds, "It has helped me become more honest with the people around me, so as far as control and authority, I stepped up my game a thousand percent."

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Because of this new truth, he has a lot of respect for his "bad girls." He believes it takes strength to be bad and that being bad doesn't mean, well, being *bad*. "I think a bad girl comes from within," the host explains. "I don't think a bad girl is a bad thing. I think it's just a girl that's confident, sassy and independent. If you're a good girl or even a great girl, you can still be strong. You can still believe in yourself and stand up for what you believe in."

*Oxygen's Bad Girls All-Star Battle premieres on Tuesday, May 21st at 9/8c. You can keep up with Ray J on [Twitter](#) and his personal site [www.rayj.com](http://www.rayj.com).*

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## **Musician Kimberly Cole Says to "Embrace the Butterflies" When Dating**



By Steven Zangrillo

Reality TV has become a melting pot for people from all walks of life. There are those people who take part for the spectacle, and others who use it as a springboard for bigger career opportunities. Although not a star on Oxygen Network's *The Bad Girls Club*, musician Kimberly Cole used reality television to jumpstart her music career by promoting the show with the hit single "Smack You" off of her 2010 album, *Bad Girls Club*.

Cole chatted with us about the challenges she faces as an artist, shedding perspective on what creative personalities deal with as they navigate their career. She even spoke about her love for fashion and how what you wear can translate on the first date. The most important take-away from our conversation with Cole is that being true to yourself and doing what you feel is in your heart is the best approach.

Perhaps this philosophy can be best explained in Cole's recent single, "U Make Me Wanna," which features an infectious dance beat with Keith Apicary (Nathan Barnatt) who is absolutely killing it on the dance floor. "We originally had this 'video vixen' idea for the shoot, so it was really surprising that Keith came out and blew us away with his moves," Cole gushes. When you get a good look at Apicary, he embodies the kind of feel-good goofiness that pop music does not always seem to embrace.

His audition was classic, and the video, even better.

In addition to her singing career, Cole hosts FM (short for Fashion + Music). "When you create a song, you immediately think about what you're going to be wearing. When you put on an outfit, it creates a mood – even a 'swag.'" Cole successfully combines the two. When asked about fashion advice for a first date, Cole's response: "Well, that depends... do I or don't I want to see this person again? If it's someone who I think I'm interested in, I'll definitely pare it down a little bit."

Cole feels that being an artist poses a unique circumstance. "There really shouldn't be any rules in fashion. Artists walk a fine line, and sometimes, we catch criticism for it. Obviously, you wouldn't be out wearing a meat dress like Lady Gaga on a first date. At the end of the day, wear something that makes you feel good. It's hot to be comfortable in what you're wearing."

Of course, this discussion brought up the question of Cole's personal love life, which she navigated with stealth. "I do keep a few things under wraps," she says. "However, I will say that if you're not exploring relationships, feeling the highs and the heartbreaks, then you're not gaining much inspiration. That inspiration definitely comes out in my music."

Delving even deeper into her dating philosophy, Cole believes

that “we all have those butterflies. If navigating a relationship was easy, it would be no fun!” She continued, “There aren’t any real tricks for moving past that nervousness – but I will say that it is what makes us human. We should embrace that.”

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As far as her upcoming projects, she has a ton of new music coming out. Throw that together with her work at FM, some new television projects and preparation for an upcoming tour – it’s safe to say she has a full plate. “A lot of hard work is paying off, and I couldn’t be looking forward to it more,” she says.

*You can find out more information about Kimberly and catch the latest FM episodes, which are part of Stylehaul, at [www.youtube.com/stylehaul](http://www.youtube.com/stylehaul). And, of course, don’t forget to check out “U Make Me Wanna” on iTunes!*