

Jayde Donovan
Radio and Television Personality

Jayde Donovan longed for a career in broadcasting and gained her first position in the industry with Clear Channel Communications in Los Angeles. Through hard work and determination, Donovan worked her way up from a part-time runner, passing out bumper stickers and soliciting celebrity audio on the red carpet, all the way to executive producer of the syndicated radio program *The Craig Shoemaker Show*.

Later Donovan moved on and in 2007 she auditioned for, and won, the position to co-host a popular morning radio called *Johnny and Jayde in the Morning* on Orlando XL 106.7 FM. She left the show in 2011, with Hollywood as her desired destination.

This opportunity behind the mic would prove to be the first in a long line of successes as an on-air personality. Donovan stepped out from behind the mic and began hosting specials on Orlando television, such as *The CW 18 Friday Night Comedy Lounge with Jayde* and was seen on national television with ABC at The CapitalOne Bowl's Citrus Parade. She has made periodic appearances on *LIVE from Orlando*, which received national syndication on CW 18, and also appeared as a guest host on the nationally syndicated morning TV program *The Daily Buzz*.

In August 2010, Donovan beat out 150,000 women for the opportunity to co-host *LIVE with Regis and Kelly* alongside Regis Philbin while Kelly Ripa was on vacation.

Her success and notoriety stemming from her appearance on *LIVE with Regis and Kelly* has opened up new doors for Donovan. In 2011, she landed a new gig on Bravo's new show *Love Calling* with notable TV personality Donny Deutsch. The show featured Deutsch and Donovan providing relationship, love, and sex advice to numerous callers. Most recently, Donovan has been named the newest contributor for *Access Hollywood*.

Donovan enjoys giving back to the community, and paired up with the Give Hope Foundation to launch the Apple A Day Program. The program is designed to provide support to children and families in Central Florida who are battling childhood cancer and have a unique combination of medical, emotional, and financial needs.

A Los Angeles native, Donovan attended the University of Southern California. She loves classic cars and is a fan of comedies and romantic movies. She is a self-proclaimed shopaholic and is a fan of USC, LA Dodgers, LA Lakers, Orlando Magic and the Green Bay Packers.