

KEY NOTES

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RAMBLINGS FROM THE EDITOR...

Fall is traditionally a time for change. The weather turns colder, the leaves fall off and the days get shorter. The KRC is not immune from change. Beginning with this issue of *Key Notes*, the publication will come out every other month. This schedule coincides with our new show schedule of the second Sunday of EVERY month (except April 18th).

Nominations for any of the four elected officer positions will be open at the November 8th business meeting (today) and December 6th business meeting (immediately following the show). Ballots will be sent out over the holidays along with your 1993 renewal notice. If you want to vote, you can only do so if the renewal form and dues payment accompany the ballot. Elected officers will take over at the January 10th business meeting. Think hard and carefully and select people for President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer who will serve your club well. Those people elected for 1993 will then appoint the 1993 Appointed Officers. When you see any of the 1992 officers, please thank them for their service to the club. Nearly 100% of the time it is a thankless job. If it wasn't for self-satisfaction and personal motivation, we might have an even more difficult time filling the slots. **Each of us owe our officer team a great deal of gratitude.**

One thing that does not change for 1993 are dues. The membership rate will remain a bargain (for the third straight year) at \$12. That's a deal in these recessionary times!

In other news, people are finally starting to come through with material for *Key Notes*. After years of pulling teeth, the effort has worked. In this issue, **Bill Stump** reviews a book on Florida garage bands. If you'd like to get on the bandwagon, drop me a line or give me a call. Your participation is vital to the ongoing success of the Keystone Record Collectors!

Sincerely,

B. Derek Shaw,
Key Notes Editor

Have a Safe and Happy Thanksgiving and Christmas



See
You
in
1993!

OFFICER REPORTS

KRC officers update the membership on projects and activities they are involved with...

JOHN ORLOUSKY, President • 717-921-2551

(At press time, John had not provided a report. You may want to contact him at the number above for an update, if you desire.)

STEVE CLARK, Vice President • 215-444-6071

"We are pleased to note that several people have begun to help publicize our club. As a result, media attention is increasing. **Mark Wyatt** and **Steve Clark** arranged to have freelance writer Mark Marymont attend the September show to write an article on record collecting for the *Philadelphia Inquirer*. That publicity should provide valuable (and free!) "eastern" exposure to a market largely unaware of our club. Long-time show attendee Jack Eisen of WITF-TV channel 33 in Harrisburg visited the October show with a cameraman and interviewed many people for a ten-minute television feature story. Kommander Kool of KOOL-FM broadcasted live from the October show and promoted upcoming show dates. Since we are a non-profit organization with a rather limited budget for advertising, each of us should be looking for opportunities to promote the club. Our cheapest advertising is the club flyer. Be sure to take some to each show and distribute in your area. Tell your friends how great our shows are. Your participation will help us to continue to present the BEST show around."

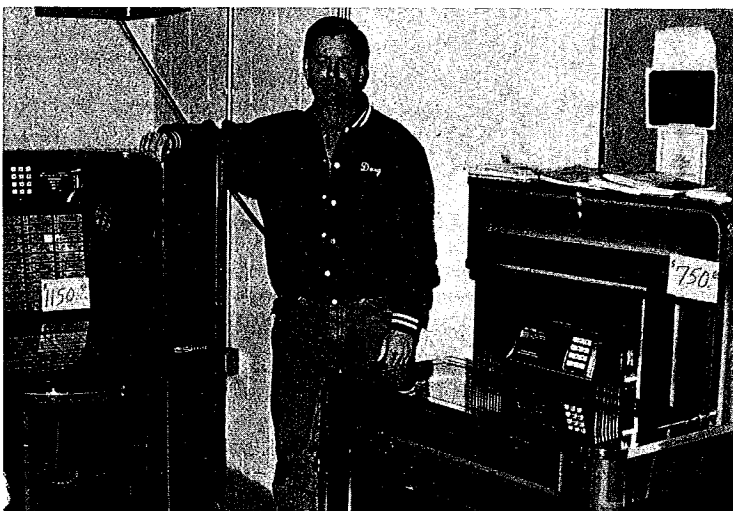
ERNA REINHART, Secretary • 717-299-4935

"As of our October show we had a total membership of 307. Of these, 109 were new members. Taking into consideration that not everyone rejoins each year, plus the relocation to the Blue Ball Market, we did lose and gain members. This tally remains consistent with previous years.

The new year is gradually approaching for renewal. Your renewal form (along with your ballot for 1993 officers) will be mailed to you after the December show. Nominations will be taken during the November and December business meetings. Also, keep in mind that a gift certificate is a great Christmas gift idea for record enthusiasts!"

CHARLIE REINHART, Treasurer • 717-299-4935

"The final payment has been made for the club's 125 tables! The final payment was made following the October 11th show. Beginning with the November show, the club's treasury should begin to return to the levels it had achieved several years ago. We have been operating for the past two years with very little reserve cash. Fortunately, no unforeseen costly items have been encountered. However, your officers will feel much more comfortable with a reserve of \$1000-\$2000 in the bank. This should allow us to purchase sleeves, bags, etc., on a more regular basis, advertise more often and put out club publications on a more regular basis."



Our shows have more than just records, tapes, CDs, T-shirts and memorabilia... occasionally we even have jukeboxes! Last spring, Doug Cisney, who owns American Amusements, a Lancaster company, brought two of his vintage boxes for display and sale. You never know what you might find in our 12,000 square foot venue.

MID-ATLANTIC MUSIC EVENTS

All of the following events provide a special admission discount to KRC members upon presentation of your KRC membership card unless there is a **NO** in bold type after their listing.

REMAINING 1992 KRC SHOW DECEMBER 6 – 9 AM TO 4 PM

1993 KRC SHOWS... THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH
(EXCEPT APRIL 18TH)

at THE BLUE BALL MARKET, 1/2 MILE EAST OF RT 23 ON US RT 322
BLUE BALL, PA. 8 miles south of PA Turnpike exit #22, 9 miles east of Ephrata.
KRC flyers are available during each show... take some and SPREAD THE WORD!
Business Meeting after every show

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15th: Greater Baltimore Collector Mart XIV. Pikeville MD Armory (I-695, exit 20) 10 AM-5PM Info: Bob Tierney 410-757-6182.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15th: ARC Record Show. Holiday Inn, City Line Ave. (US 1 at I-76), Bala Cynwyd PA. 9 AM-4:30 PM. Info: 317-646-5305. **NO**

NEW SHOW!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd: Northeast PA Record/Music Expo. Lakeside Ballroom, Barnesville PA. 10 AM-4 PM. Exit 37 off I-81 on PA Rt. 54. Info: Eddie Collins 717-622-1091.

NEW SHOW!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd: Upstate New York Record & CD Convention. Ramada Inn, Buckley Rd., exit 25 off I-81 or exit 36 off I-90, Syracuse NY. 10 AM-4 PM. Info: Jack Skutnik 607-648-4997.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd: Lost & Found Record Review, session #10. Bring your obscure doo-wop, r&b, soul, instrumental records only. White Rose VFW #556, 333 Eberts Lane, York PA. 6-10 PM. Info: Skip McComas 717-767-5198. **NO**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 28th & SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29th: WYSP Classic Rock 'N Roll Expo 1992. Valley Forge Convention Center, King of Prussia PA. Info: 317-646-5305. **NO**

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5th: Music Collectible Show. Boulevard Bingo, 1514 Union Blvd., Allentown PA. Rt. 22 to Airport Rd. south, east on Union. 10 AM-4 PM. Info: John Godlewski 201-612-8222.

REALLY BIG SHEW IN '92

"A Classic Christmas From The Ed Sullivan Show" made its home video debut on October 30 from Buena Vista Home Video. Priced at \$14.99, the video album boasts over one dozen classic holiday performances including Bing Crosby, Johnny Mathis and Diana Ross and the Supremes. Crosby's "White Christmas" and additional yuletide songs are featured.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5th: Upstate New York Record & CD Convention. Holiday Inn, Water St., exits 56 and 57 off Rt. 17, Elmira NY. Info: Jack Skutnik 607-648-4997.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13th: Arbutus/Baltimore Record Expo. Arbutus Fire Hall, 5200 Southwestern Blvd., Exit 12A off I-695 (Baltimore Beltway). 10 AM-4 PM. Info: Ray Quigley 410-247-2589. *Note: Starting in January, this show will be held the third Sunday of every month, except April 25th.*

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 20th: ARC Record Show. Holiday Inn, City Line Ave. (US 1 at I-76), Bala Cynwyd PA. 9 AM-4:30 PM. Info: 317-646-5305. **NO**

NEW LOCATION!

SATURDAY, JANUARY 2nd: Northeast PA Music Expo. Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge, 500 Kidder Street, (exit 47 off I-81) Wilkes-Barre PA. 10 AM-4 PM. Info: Kai Kates 215-233-0638.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 3rd: Lehigh Valley Music Expo. Holiday Inn West, I-78 (Rt. 22) at Rt. 100 south, Foglesville PA (Allentown suburb). 10 AM-4 PM. Info: Kai Kates 215-233-0638.

JANUARY 2nd and 3rd: Record Show. Timonium MD Holiday Inn, exit 16 off I-83, one mile north of I-695. 10 AM-6 PM. Info: Mike Sanford 410-636-5783.

ABOUT OUR CALENDAR: Dates and times of events are subject to last minute changes and/or cancellation. Please call ahead to confirm. *Key Notes* will gladly list other record shows and concerts of interest to our members, space permitting, as long as they do not conflict with any KRC scheduled event. Send your items to: 329 Rathton Road, York PA 17403-3933. This service is provided free of charge. **Deadline for Key Notes #75 calendar is December 6th.**

A BOOK REVIEW BY BILL STUMP "SAVAGE LOST – FLORIDA GARAGE BANDS: THE 60s AND BEYOND" by Jeffrey M. Lemlich

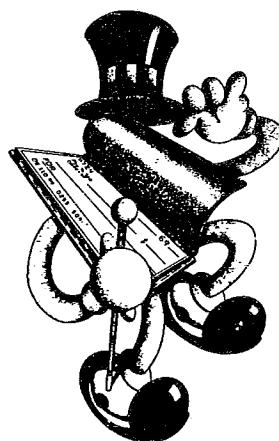
When I was approached to read and review this book, I was excited. This contains (almost) all the information you'll ever need to know concerning 60s Florida rock. Mr. Lemlich writes in depth about local Florida record label discographies, names of the personnel in the various garage bands, as well as even reading dead wax markings!

I was intrigued, and the book brought back many memories of those long lost days (daze!) in the Sunshine State. Starting with the early 60s, throughout the 70s and even into the 80s, everything concerning the Florida rock music scene is chronicled, examined, explained, then discussed, which made for great reading. I highly recommend this book for anyone collecting obscure 60s and 70s rock 45s. I believe all music fans would enjoy reading this book.

Savage Lost is 416 pages, softcover, and sells for \$19.95 + \$3 shipping and handling. To order, write: Distinctive Publications, PO Box 17868, Plantation FL 33318.

1967 PERFORMANCES AVAILABLE IN NEW BOX SET

Legendary performances from the 1967 "Monterrey International Pop Festival" featuring Jimi Hendrix, the Who, Otis Redding, Canned Heat, Country Joe and the Fish, Eric Burdon and the Animals, Big Brother and the Holding Company with Janis Joplin, Jefferson Airplane, the Byrds and others will be featured in Rhino Records' November release of a box set of these performances. Some of them have been heard only on a radio special but will be officially released for the very first time.



A CHECK IS ON ITS WAY

That's what we hope most of you will be saying as soon as your 1993 KRC renewal notice arrives. The notice, scheduled to be mailed in December, should be mailed out quickly so it doesn't get lost with monthly and Christmas bills. By renewing your membership early, you can assure yourself a listing in our 1993 *Club Directory* and also not miss out on any of the special offers that appear in *Key Notes*.

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(Deadline for #75 is December 6th.)

NEWSLETTER REVIEWS

There are a pair of newsletters that we're going to spotlight in this issue of *Key Notes*. Both have been in business for some time, and both deserve your attention.

Greg Milewski is young. He knows it. However, after getting into a discussion on 50s and early 60s music with him, one learns in a minute or two that Greg's knowledge, interest and understanding of this era is quite comprehensive. Five years ago, Greg created *Cat Tales*, a 100% non-profit big beat music 'zine. Each 12-16 page issue, published quarterly, is crammed with lots of useful information, interviews and related advertising. Recent issues have featured articles on James Dean, the Quintones, shag dancing, the Clefones, Hal Roach, the Danleers and Screamin' Jay Hawkins. Most issues contain a Letters To The Editors column, guest columnists, and a record/CD review. The newsletter is not splashy, but Greg's artwork adds zest to the overall presentation. The bottom line is that he's got the news. For subscription information, write: *Cat Tales*, c/o Greg Milewski, 401 East Dartmouth Drive, Sterling VA 20164.

Just a few miles up the road from the site of the Central Pennsylvania Music Expo, is the world headquarters of the American Bandstand Fan Club. David Frees, president of the group also edits the *Bandstand Boogie*. As the name implies, the club is specifically for people interested in the Bandstand TV show, Dick Clark, or in knowing the original Bandstand dancers. Most of the material contained within is from pre-1970 Bandstand shows, however, when David Hirsch took over the MC responsibilities of the show, there was a piece about him. The newsletter – a hodge-podge of photos, clippings and



artwork – all blends together. Issue #4, a 16-page volume, contained a members hotline as well as Market Street, a place where members can buy and trade as well as solicit for pen pals. Recently, Frees added another publication, *Bandstand News*. It contains more current information on Dick Clark projects. This smaller tip sheet is designed to supplement *Bandstand Boogie*, which comes out in May and November. *News* is slated for February and August release dates. For information, contact: Dave Frees, PO Box 131, Adamstown PA 19501.

CLUB PARTICIPATION OPENS ANOTHER STORE

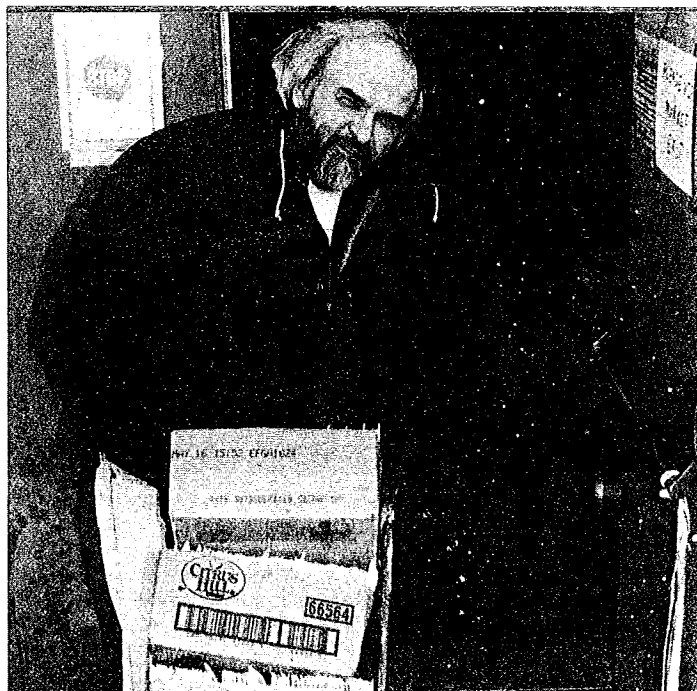
KRC members **Theresa and Wayne Smith** recently opened WTZ Music Co. in Rehersburg. They opened May 9th, carrying records, CDs, cassettes, licensed concert T-shirts, sweatshirts, sweatpants, shorts, hats, posters, cleaning supplies for records and CDs, banners, buttons, patches and more. WTZ Music buys, sells and trades music and music-related items from the 60s to the 90s. They carry all forms of music, including rock and roll, metal, pop, r&b, soul, country and even Spanish product. Wayne and Theresa would like to thank the KRC for our helpful advice. Store hours are: 1-9 PM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday and 9 AM - 9 PM Saturday. WTZ Music is closed Wednesdays and Sundays. For more information call 717-933-9200. The shop is located on Route 419 in Rehersburg at the "four points" intersection.

**FAST
FACT**

Madonna has sold more records worldwide than the total amount of Americans who voted in the recent Presidential election.

KRC MEMBERSHIPS MAKE GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Buying a club membership for the music collector husband, wife, cousin, uncle, grandfather or friend of yours makes an excellent stocking stuffer gift for the holidays. For only \$12 a year someone you know can become (or continue) a membership in the world's largest organized record collector's club. Membership provides six issues of the club newsletter *Key Notes*, 1-2 issues of the *Recorder Magazine* each year, in addition to discounts on sleeves, price guides and special offers. Also, selected music retailers in South Central Pennsylvania offer a cash register discount to card holding KRC members (a revised list will be made available in the near future). If that's not enough, many record/CD shows in the region recognize the value of KRC membership and offer admission discounts to their shows with a current KRC membership card. (Refer to "Mid-Atlantic Music Events" on Page 2 for a list of those who offer this benefit.) What are you waiting for? Sign up your neighborhood today! Gift memberships may be obtained by contacting club Secretary **Erna Reinhart** at 1616 Robert Road, Lancaster PA 17601.



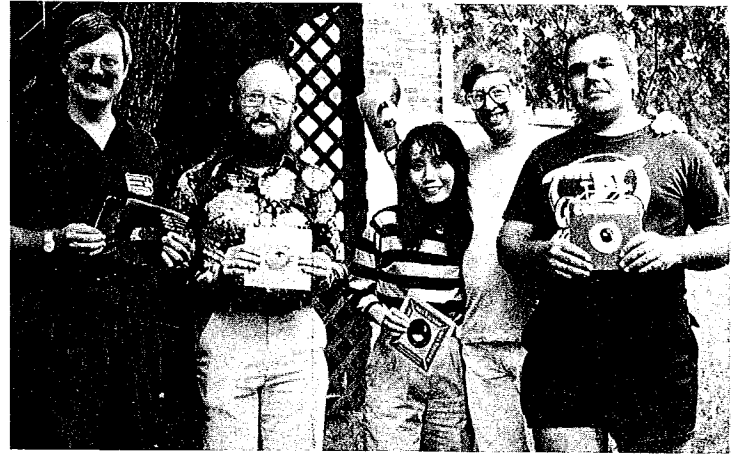
Is he coming or going with the music? Only Don Mennie knows for sure. Don has been a regular fixture at our music expos since the late 1908s. When he's not peddling his tunes, he's the editor of Record Collector's Monthly, a well done tabloid-style newspaper that's been around for ten years. A recent issue contained articles on the Moonglows and the Clientelles, concert reviews of Chuck Berry and Bobby Bland, Alan Freed and the Quotations. To order, write to: Record Collector's Monthly, PO Box 75, Mendham NJ 07945. Information on two other newsletters can be found in the box above.

STUCK ON YOU

Elvis won't be the only celebrity to take a lickin' and keep on stickin' next year. The U.S. Postal Service has announced several more stamps of celebrities. Elvis will be joined in a booklet with Buddy Holly, Bill Haley, Ritchie Valens, Otis Redding, Dinah Washington and Clyde McPhatter of the Drifters. The booklet will be released June 15th. Elvis will also have his own stamp that'll come out on his birthday, January 8th. Country stars Hank Williams, Patsy Cline, Bob Wills and the Carter Family will be featured in a stamp booklet coming out in September.

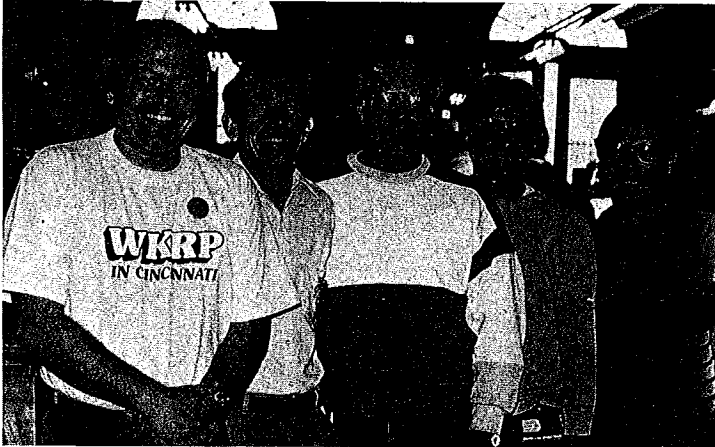
THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES – KRC PHOTO GALLERY

NOW...



(Above left) The record was broken again. In mid-August, Key Notes editor B. Derek Shaw graciously allowed KRC members to invade his home for the 5th annual KRC Good Ole Days Swap Meet. More than 22 members and guests attended along with six kids (including DC5 lead Dave Clark!). Can we top that in 1993? First row: Ernie and Carol Hertzog, Blake Yohe, Theresa Smith, Susan Clark, Doug Smith, Linda Lehman, Chris Quigley. Second row: Wayne Smith, John Ours, Steve Yohe, Dennis Emerick, Steve Clark, Roy Robbins, Derek Shaw, Richard Lehman and Ray Quigley. Top row: Smith kids, Heida Yohe, Dave Clark, his sister and their cousin. (Above right) Better late than never! This quintet missed the official group photo, so a second photo was added to the process. (L-R) Phil Schwartz (Recorder magazine editor), Cecil Worley (club promotions), Yumi and Vince Ringer and Karl ("Coach," "Skip," "Buddah") Wolf. (Below left) A historic photo was taken at the last Columbia show in December 1991. All five of the club's presidents were in attendance and were able to spare a couple of minutes away from their table to pose. (L-R) Derek Shaw 1988-1991, John Orlousky 1991-present, Roy Robbins 1979-1982, Steve Yohe 1982-1985 and Tom Grosh 1985-1988. Surprisingly, they're all still smiling! (Below right) Ho Ho Ho! Jack Suplee, Oxford PA, rings in some Christmas spirit at the December 1990 show. The man with the dark shades is Santa's security guard. Jack always has good stuff at great prices. He can be found in spaces #117 and 118.

AND THEN...



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