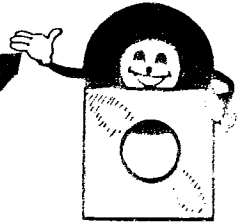


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KRC E C O REVIEW D

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Drive-In Guitars, Jerry MacNeish, Rockhouse Records LP8803, Bachstraat 6-2421 TS Nieuwkoop- Holland, 1988

From the moment you first see the album cover you know it's going to be good - it's got to be good, with the catchy title, variety of selections and cover layout. Dropping the needle on the platter for the first time confirmed my feelings.

Jerry MacNeish, long time loyal follower of surf instrumentals, remains loyal in his recreation of these classic selections. Jerry has freshened up these great tunes ala' 1980's, without losing the original flavor.

For the most part, today's music lacks a quality Jerry mentioned in his own liner notes - sincerity. Drum machines and synthesized music don't have the same feel, and down to earth quality that music of the 60's and early 70's had. Now, Jerry has brought it back.

While listening to the disc, it became increasingly difficult to tell Jerry's cover versions from the original ones done over 20 years

ago. My only giveaway was that some of my originals are scratchy and also not in stereo.

This album contains a generous supply (16 songs - compared to 10 or 11 these days) of tunes that will please surf instrumental enthusiasts. The songs were all recorded in 1987 with one done in late 1986. Selections include: Walk Don't Run, Changing Tides (both Ventures); Mr. Rebel, (Eddie & The Showmen); Misirlou, Let's Go Trippin', and Surf Beat (all Dick Dale); Las Vegas Scene (Wes Dakus); Pipeline (Chantays); Wipeout (Surfaris); Penetration/ Outer Limits Medley (Pyramids/ Marketts); Mr. Moto (Bel Airts); Surf Party, Baja (The Astronauts); Rumble at Waikiki (recent John Blair composition); and two Bobby Fuller Four compositions before their big vocal hits, Stringer and Our Favorite Martian.

This Baltimore native has outdone himself on his second album, a project he funded himself. The sound quality and pressing is great, the music fantastic and the selections appropriate. Liner notes from Jerry (not identified) and Don Risnick (author of "Nothin' But Instrumentals") tie the package together.

Although pressed on a foreign label (Holland), I hope a U.S. company takes the initiative to press, promote and distribute this album. It's one that is a necessary ingredient to any surf instrumental collector's collection.

Jerry MacNeish



RECORD OFFER

KRC is pleased to announce that we have made special arrangements with Jerry MacNeish who recently pressed the album, "Drive-In Guitars" to offer this album to our members.

Normally, the album sells for \$9.00. As a KRC Member, if you send in the accompanying coupon you'll save nearly 20%, and get this great surf instrumental LP for only \$7.50. Those ordering albums will be able to pick theirs up at the December 4th show. Jerry will be on hand to autograph and deliver them. Those folks not ordering in advance will be able to pick one up at the show, but not at the KRC Advance Discount Price of \$7.50. They will be sold for \$9.00 the day of the show. Order yours today - it is money well spent! (Jerry will also have on hand limited quantities of his first album of covers of Fireball's songs.)

Yet another benefit of KRC MEMBERSHIP!

JERRY MacNEISH "DRIVE-IN GUITARS" SURF INSTRUMENTAL LP ORDER FORM

(You may submit a photocopy of this form if you prefer)

NAME: _____ TOTAL # OF LP'S _____

ADDRESS: _____ POSTAGE (IF APPLICABLE) \$ _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

will pick up at 12/4 KRC show mail mine (Add \$1.00 per LP for 4th Class Postage/Handling.)

MAKE CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO: JERRY MacNEISH

SEND BY December 2nd TO: Jerry MacNeish Record Offer
3816 Collier Road
Randallstown, MD 21133

NOTE: IF YOU PLAN TO PICK UP YOUR LP AT THE SHOW AND DO NOT ATTEND, IT WILL BE SENT WITH POSTAGE C.O.D. UNLESS OTHER ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE WITH JERRY.

NEWS YOU CAN USE

- Parking is now becoming less of a problem around the Columbia Market House. The new parking lot in the rear (east) end of the building is almost completed. It is designed to accommodate almost 35 cars. Dealers are reminded that the lot is for **CUSTOMER USE ONLY**. Please refer to your Dealer Procedure Sheet for places you may park.
- Club Treasurer **BOB ATWATER** and President **B. DEREK SHAW** have been meeting with the widow of former KRC member **TED HESBACHER** to appraise and help her profitably dispose of Ted's personal record collection. It was always Ted's goal to sell his collection when his grade-school aged daughters reached college age to help finance their education. Some of the better records will be auctioned through GOLDMINE and DISCOVERIES, while some will be bulked off. The majority of the records will be sold at the November 6 and December 4 KRC shows. Karen will be on hand with quite a number of "goodies". Make it a point to see her and at the same time help Teddy make his dream come true. Karen will be set up in **BOB ATWATER's** spaces.
- Rumors have been circulating as to when members might expect Edition #5 of our magazine, THE RECORDER. Rest assured it will be in your hands before the end of the year. Editor, **PHIL SCHWARTZ** has had a hard time tracking down a few people to complete some articles he has in the works. Articles scheduled for this issue or the next (depending on when everything falls into place) include: The Kit Kats, Gene Vincent, Blue Magic, Amusement Park music, plus other smaller items. Once again, **THE QUALITY OF OUR PUBLICATION DEPENDS ENTIRELY ON THE AMOUNT OF MATERIAL OUR MEMBERS SUBMIT TO BE PUBLISHED. THINK ABOUT IT RIGHT NOW. DROP PHIL A CARD OR GIVE HIM A CALL WITH INFORMATION ON SOMETHING YOU COULD CONTRIBUTE, AND THEN DO IT!**
- Future mailings are going to contain many different enclosures including a Whitburn Publications book offer, DISCOVERIES subscription discount form, Columbia Market House 10% discount pre-payment form, 1989 membership renewal form (yes, rates will remain the same), and ballot for 1989 KRC officer elections. So watch your mailbox for your Publishers Clearing House AND KRC information!

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Shows for the remainder of the year...

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH: American Record Association Record Show, Veterans Memorial Hall, 300 West Broad Street, Columbus, OH, 10 AM - 6 PM. Info: Coleen (614)261-1585

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH: Record Convention, Sheraton Inn, Rt. 1 and Gill Lane, Iselin, N.J. (across from Woodbridge Shopping Center), 10 AM - 4 PM. Info: Little Joe (201)738-8129

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH: Record Show, Holiday Inn, Eisenhower Metro in Alexandria, VA, Exit 2-N off I-95 at Telegraph Road, 10 AM - 6 PM. Info: Mike Sanford (301)636-5783

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH: ARC Record Show, Holiday Inn, 260 Goddard Blvd. King of Prussia, PA, 9 AM - 4:30 PM. Info: (317)646-5305

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH: Oakland Music Expo, New Holiday Inn (Oakland Section of Pittsburgh, near University of Pittsburgh), Pittsburgh, PA, 10 AM - 5 PM. Info: Pat McArdle (412)371-4767

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26TH & 27TH: WYSP Rock 'N Roll Expo, Valley Forge Convention Center, Sheraton Complex, King of Prussia, PA, 10 AM - 5 PM. Info: (317)646-5305

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH: Collectors Mart VIII, Baltimore Hilton, Reisterstown Road, Exit 20, Baltimore Beltway (I-695), 10AM - 5 PM. Info: Bob Tierney (301)757-6182

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3RD: Suburban Philadelphia Collectibles Show, George Washington Motor Lodge, Route 202 & Warner Road, King of Prussia, PA, 10 AM - 4 PM. Info: Dennis Kinslow (215)657-1029

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11TH: ARC Record Show, Holiday Inn, 260 Goddard Blvd., King of Prussia, PA, 9 AM - 4:30 PM. Info: (317)646-5305

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FACES IN THE CROWD

- **GARY & EILEEN GILBERTHORP**, owners of Classic Tunes in York recently moved their record store to a bigger facility. They originally opened in March of this year in the lower level of the Colonial Shopping Center, but recently have out-grown the space. Now they are located upstairs in this mini-mall in a location double in size. Gary attributes the tremendous growth at their 970 A South George Street location to its close proximity to York College and the tremendous number of college students supporting his operation. GARY & EILEEN can usually be found set up at Columbia and other shows selling, in addition to vinyl, tie-dye T-shirts and rock star posters.
- Club Member **BILL TROUSDALE** is back in the news again. He and 19 other people in the Harrisburg, York, Lancaster, Carlisle area recently formed the first non-profit record pool (to our knowledge) in the country. S.P.I.N.S. (Susquehanna Professional Independent Network of Spinners) is a way for record labels to get new 12" dance music product into the hands of 20 of the best mobile and club DJ's in South Central Pennsylvania. If you, or anyone you know is involved with a record label or a particular group and are looking for breaking in and testing new music that many times radio stations won't touch, please contact Bill at (717)234-5481. Product should be

shipped to the Distribution Director at 10 Orchard Avenue, York Haven, PA 17370.

- A new record label is emerging in South Central Pennsylvania, and once again KRC members are involved. **BILL THOMAS** and **CARL WOLF, JR.** owners of "Web of Sound" Record Shop at 23 North Prince Street in Lancaster debut the release of Jack Lord's Hair on the label that bears the same name as their store. Perhaps KRC will be forwarded a copy for review and a possible autograph party. BILL and CARL are both avid supporters of our club, both in their store and by frequently setting up at Columbia. Congratulations and best wishes in your latest endeavor.

(If you know of other KRC Members doing great things, send the info to: Faces in the Crowd, 39 N. West St., York, PA 17404.)



Enthusiastic faces that made up the attendees of the 1st Annual KRC Good Ole' Days Sway Meet. The records were plentiful, the food delicious, and Dutchess was quite entertaining. (Just ask BOB or DORIS ATWATER just exactly what their dog can do.)

ARE YOU AWARE?????????

- At the September KRC Business meeting, a great deal of items were discussed and voted upon. First it was decided that from now on business meetings will be held after every show at 5 PM at Bully's Restaurant, corner of 8th (Route 462) and Union Streets. Social hour is from 4 - 5 PM. Three motions were made, discussed and approved:

MOTION # 1: Due to the enormous work load put upon the Marketmaster at any given show, the person in that position would receive two table spaces at no charge.

MOTION # 2: People joining the club after September 1st of any given year will no longer be carried over with membership into the next year. Instead, there will be a membership fee for the last four months of the year at 50% of the current rate.

MOTION # 3: As an inducement to attend business meetings, the club will cover all meal gratuities at all 10 of our monthly after-show meetings. These policies will go into effect immediately.

- In an effort to bring officer elections into synch with the calendar year, we are moving back the nomination process. Those people interested in running for President, Vice President, Secretary or Treasurer need to submit their intention, or be nominated at the December 4th Business meeting. If you would like to nominate someone, but cannot attend the meeting, please submit your nomination(s) to P.O. Box 1516, Lancaster, PA 17604 by Friday, December 2nd.
- The Guinness Book of Records people would be pleased with this one. We broke our all time number of dealers at our September show. On Sunday the 11th, we had 58 people set up displaying and selling records. This calculates out to almost a QUARTER OF A MILLION RECORDS OR RELATED ITEMS! Not bad for a town that boasts a population of 11,237!
- KRC received great mentions in an article that appeared on an inside section front page of the Reading Times. The article was covering the July 10th Record Show put on by the Berks County Park and Recreation Department outside at Grings Mill Recreation area. The majority of the folks set up were KRC members.



New meets old. PAUL BYRNE, left and BOB ATWATER recently got together to discuss a few ideas about the Columbia Market House operation. PAUL is the newly appointed Assistant Market Master for our record swap meets. He will be assisting BOB in various capacities. When you run into him, be sure to stop and say Hi. Welcome PAUL!

PPPLATTER CCHATTER

Beginning with **NEWSLETTER #58**, we will be starting a new, (and regular, I hope) column based entirely on items you submit. It will cover a potpourri of music related items - whatever you'd like to submit, report on or otherwise tell us. To get those of you started who can't think of anything to contribute, here's some ideas to ponder...

- How did you get started collecting records?
- Name your most prized record and tell us about it.
- How do you file and store your records/tapes/CD's?
- Tell us about some obscure artists/labels you've uncovered.

OK, I hope all of you have an idea or two on something to contribute. Now, get out the typewriter and bang out

a letter, or jot your thoughts on a postcard, or a napkin, or the back of a soon-to-be-obsolete 1988 KRC show dates flyer and send it to: B. Derek Shaw, Newsletter Editor, 39 N. West Street, York, PA 17404 Enter as often as you like. Mail must be postmarked before midnight, July 14, 1996. **SO GET CRACKIN!!!** (My thanks to **RON DIEHL** who in part submitted this idea)

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... and into the New Year

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8TH: Record Show, Timonium Holiday Inn, Exit 16 off I-83 one mile north of Baltimore Beltway (I-695), 10 AM - 6 PM. Info: (301)636-5783

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14TH: Record Fair, Hilton Inn West, 3180 West Market Street, Akron, OH, 10 AM - 6 PM. Info: Pat McArdle (412)371-4767

SUNDAY, JANUARY 15TH: Record Fair, Howard Johnson's, Monroeville (Pittsburgh suburb), Exit 6 PA Turnpike off Rt. 48 South. 10 AM - 5 PM. Info: Pat McArdle (412)371-4767

THE FINAL TWO KRC SHOWS FOR 1988:

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4TH**

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR & PLAN TO ATTEND.
RECORDS MAKE GREAT CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!**



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