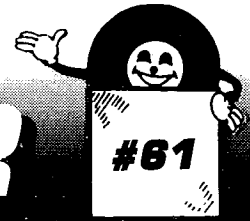




NEWSLETTER



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VIEW FROM THE TOP!

Every year about this same time, I start to get real excited about what is to follow. Fall is traditionally one of the best seasons (spring is right up there, too) for record shows, concerts and other music-related activities. Taking a quick glance at the calendar on page 2 will quickly give you an idea of what I am referring to.

One event I'm sure you'll want to attend is the **KRC 10th Anniversary Party**, set for Saturday, September 30th starting at 7 PM at Fat Daddy's Oldies Night Club, 18 South Belmont Street, York PA. It is located just west of Exit 8 of Interstate 83. Club members that would like to "spin" tunes for an hour or two that evening are urged to contact 10th Anniversary Chairman Roy Robbins at 717/244-7933 for details. Other events are planned for that evening that we can't mention now... so plan to attend and find out!

As more and more music outlets in South Central Pennsylvania begin to "dump" vinyl in mass quantity, our shows are becoming even more necessary for the collector looking for 7" and 12" product. The music outlets view our show as an opportunity to still serve their customers by providing them with a music resource.

Our college campus promotion is being put into full swing as classes begin. Show flyers are being distributed at Franklin & Marshall, Millersville University and Elizabethtown College. If you have a contact at other colleges and universities in the area, please contact me for quantities of flyers for distribution.

Sincerely,

B. Derek Shaw,
1989 KRC President

Until next issue, keep collecting and playing those discs! (CD's too.)

OTHER OFFICER REPORTS

(As a benefit to members, club officers will periodically update members on projects and activities they are involved with...)

JOHN ORLOUSKY, Vice President

"The Club will have album and 45 RPM sleeves once again for the September show. Our purchase was over \$900 this time.

Goldmine has a price guide in publication and I hope to have a review copy in hand shortly. This will allow me to see if it would be worth offering to Club members at a substantial saving."

BOB ATWATER, Secretary and Marketmaster

"Over the past month, I've been bringing my secretarial duties up to date. All members who have joined later in 1989 have all received the back printed material they were promised.

Our roster stands at 265 members, as of September 1. We should be near 300 members by the end of the year. Our members live in twelve states (mostly eastern) and three foreign countries."

CHARLIE REINHART, Treasurer

"All the new paper sleeves and plastic mylars have been ordered. Our checkbook shows a balance of \$1,833.37. Each show nets about \$300 after all bills (Market House rental, advertising, helpers, etc.) have been paid. If you ever have any practical suggestions, feel free to ask me at any of our upcoming shows."

CHANGE OF THE GUARD

It is with regret that **Dave Hofer** can no longer continue providing the typesetting for each newsletter. All of the officers appreciate the time, effort and dedication Dave gave to the project. The look and feel of each issue got better and better.

Club member **Mark Wyatt** has agreed to take over the responsibilities of typesetting and laying out each newsletter, beginning with this issue. Mark will more than adequately fill the position. Welcome aboard!

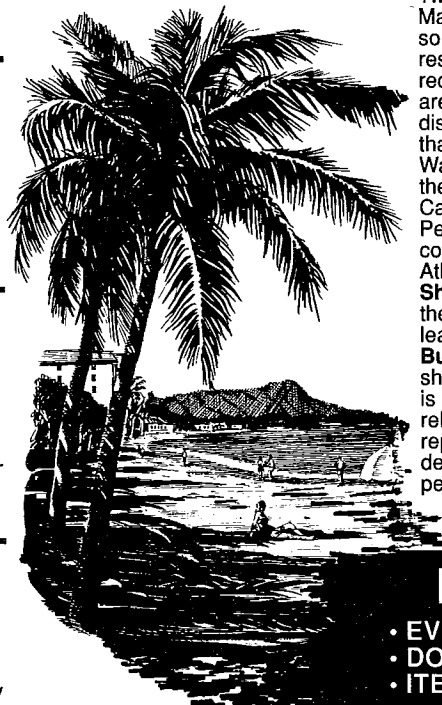
Also, another topic, same theme. It will soon be time to nominate and select Club officers for 1990. Begin thinking about who you would like to nominate for the four elected positions: President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. Nominations will be accepted at the November and December business meetings, with balloting to occur during the holidays. The selected candidates will begin their terms early in January.

A TIP OF THE HAT TO...



Club member **Jack Supplee** recently aided our Public Relations efforts in his area. Jack sent a copy of our show dates flyer, along with a note to the editor of the "Helping Hand" column in the Wilmington (DE) News Journal newspaper. Frequently, there are questions in the column from various people asking where to pick up old, used or rare recordings. The column listed some record shops in the Wilmington area. Jack thought that rather than just the shops being listed, people that may not be aware of our show should be told that we exist. (Each of our shows also gives a person 65 sources for a record, tape, etc. as opposed to one for an individual shop.) The paper printed the information he sent quickly, and in a timely fashion (two days prior to our May show.) Thanks again, Jack, for taking the time to promote our club. Your efforts help everyone out. This is something other members may want to consider doing.

MAG SHAG



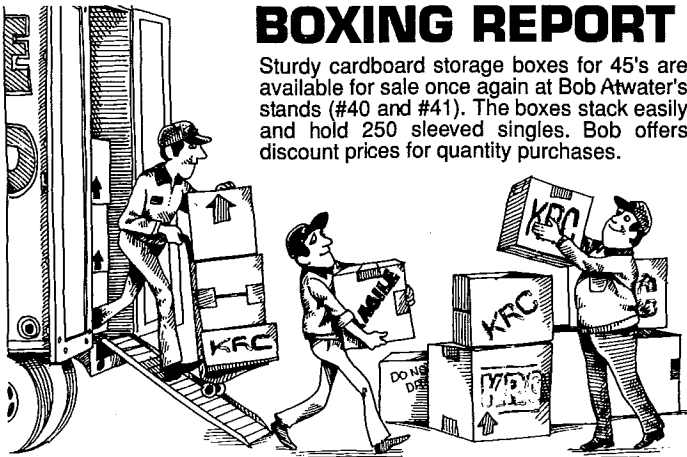
Two years ago, the then-reformed Magnificent Men released a four song EP in a 12" format. Local response was moderate. However, recent developments south of here are sparking renewed interest in the disc. It appears that the one song that is contained in the EP "I Don't Wanna Know", originally done by the Five Royales, is a major hit in the Carolinas - "Shag" music territory. People are going crazy trying to get copies of the disc. A record store in Atlanta called Club President **Derek Shaw** to obtain as many copies of the disc as possible, for resale. Band leader and KRC member **Dave Bupp** also answered their call, shipping quantity of the tune. There is a possibility that the 45 that was released from the EP could be repressed to help satisfy the big demand for the song. Who knows, perhaps it will appear in "Shag II!"

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BOXING REPORT

Sturdy cardboard storage boxes for 45's are available for sale once again at Bob Atwater's stands (#40 and #41). The boxes stack easily and hold 250 sleeved singles. Bob offers discount prices for quantity purchases.



OTHER MUSIC EVENTS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29th: Concert featuring rockabilly/ballad singer Jack Scott, with Robert Gordon and Billy Hancock. 9 PM. \$20. Elks Lodge, Truckhouse Road, off Route 2, Severna Park MD. Info: 301/544-5824 or 301/647-2482.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30th: KRC 10th Anniversary Party. 7-11 PM. Fat Daddy's Night Club, 18 South Belmont Street, Exit 8 off I-83. Info: Roy Robbins 717/244-7933.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8th: Annapolis Oldies Record Mart XIII. 10 AM - 5 PM. National Guard Armory, Willow Avenue and Hudson Street, Annapolis MD. Info: Bob Tierney 301/757-6182.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13th: Doo-Wop Extravaganza featuring The Harptones, The Willows, The Teenchords, The Chimes, The Chaperones, The Wrens, Reparata and the Delrons, The Emotions, The Sensations, and Frankie Lymon's Teenagers. 8 PM. \$20. Valley Forge Music Fair, Route 202 at Devon PA exit. Tickets: 215/644-5000.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24th: Lou Christie, The Shirelles and Brian Hyland. 7:30 PM. \$10. Strand-Capitol Performing Arts Center, 50 N. George St., York PA. Info: Diane Difabio 717/846-1155. Tickets: 717/846-1111. (Sponsored by Northern York County Police officers).

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28th: Record Fair. 10 AM - 6 PM. Youngstown OH (exact location TBA). Info: Pat McArdle 412/371-4767.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29th: Record Fair. 10 AM - 5 PM. Howard Johnson's Motor Inn, Monroeville PA (Pittsburgh suburb). Exit 6 off PA Turnpike to Route 48 South. Info: Pat McArdle 412/371-4767.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29th: ARC Record Show. 9 AM - 4:30 PM. Holiday Inn, 260 Goddard Blvd., King Of Prussia PA. Info: 317/646-5305.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12th: Parsippany Record Collector's Convention. 9:30 AM - 3:30 PM. Sheraton Tara Hotel, Smith Road at Routes I-80 and I-287. Info: John Godlewski 201/768-8207.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19th: ARC Record Show. 9 AM - 4:30 PM. Holiday Inn, 260 Goddard Blvd., King Of Prussia PA. Info: 317/646-5305.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19th: Hudson Valley Record Collector Show. 10 AM - 6 PM. Civic Center, Routes 55 and 44W, Poughkeepsie NY. Info: John Godlewski 201/768-8207.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd: The Quintones in concert (York PA High Class of '58). 8 PM. \$5. The Dutch Club, 142 North George Street, York PA. Info: 717/843-7672 (Dutch Club) or 717/854-9007 (Rose).

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25th: Concert featuring Johnny O & The Classic Dogs Of Love plus Harrisburg's Class Act. 8 PM. \$10 advance, \$12 at the door. Sheraton Lancaster Hotel, 2300 Lincoln Highway East, Lancaster PA. Info: 717/394-9516 (Jim) or 717/299-5500.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26th: Collector's Mart X. 10 AM - 5 PM. Baltimore Hilton, Reisterstown Rd., Exit 20 Baltimore Beltway (I-20), Baltimore MD. Info: Bob Tierney 301/757-6182.

The KRC Newsletter will gladly list other record shows and concerts of interest to our members, as long as they do not conflict with any KRC scheduled event. Send your items to: 39 N. West St., York PA 17404. This service is provided free of charge.

NEWS YOU CAN USE

• **DON'T BE A "NO SHOW"** after the next record show. As always, KRC Business Meetings are held at Bully's Restaurant, Union St. & Route 462, Columbia PA, at 5 PM after every show. ALL members are encouraged, urged and welcome to attend. YOUR participation (or lack of it) determines the success of YOUR club.

• **APPROVAL OF STAMP:** A rubber stamp was recently obtained that says "Compliments of Keystone Record Club" with our address. It will be used to stamp any materials we receive promoting other shows or music events. The purpose is two-fold: To give the event promoter an idea of what type of response he gets from material we hand out, and to give our club more exposure (hopefully resulting in more members) when distributed at other shows.

• **MIND IF WE DANCE WITH YOUR DATES?** 1990 Record Show dates are being selected for submission to the Boro of Columbia for final approval within the next few weeks. Show Dates Flyers for next year should be ready for distribution at the November 5th show. Be on the lookout.

• **THIS IS A RECORDER:** Two Recorder Magazines are in the works for the remainder of 1989. One issue will contain a bonus four-page pullout recapping our ten years as a viable record collectors club.



YOU NEVER KNOW what *Mary Loreto* (left) or *Millie Sheetz* have cooking. They run the KRC Snack Stand at all ten of our shows. Menu items include breakfast fare as well as hamburgers, hot dogs, soft drinks, dessert and more. Proceeds benefit the Columbia Community Action Center.

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ARE YOU AWARE...?

It is with deep regret we announce that club member **Ed Pacocha** passed away on January 5, 1989 while doing a record trade with a contact in Maryland. Ed, a member from Shamokin PA had an extensive collection of primarily Easy Listening music. Dave Dombroski, a friend of Ed's, has been called upon to liquidate his collection, which will be done auction-style. The collection includes Crosby, Dick Haymes, Soundtracks, 78's and Big Band music along with boxed sets. Over 90% of the music is pre-1950's. Once catalogued the collection will be auctioned. Serious collectors are welcome to contact Dave for further details at 717/648-5093.

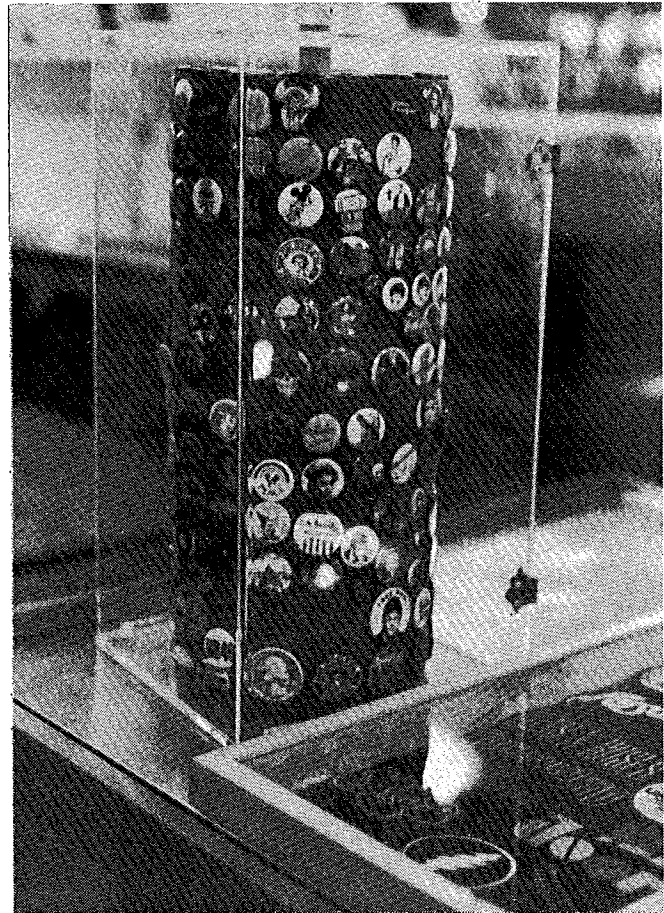
A REAL DEAL

It's still not too late for people to become KRC members for 1989. Anytime someone joins part-way through the year, they will receive all material from January to the present. If you have friends, relatives or acquaintances who would like to join, encourage them to do so. \$8 dues become half-price after September 1st. The \$4 check or money order should be sent to P.O. Box 1516, Lancaster PA 17604. It should be accompanied with the coupon on the bottom of the small grey Show Dates Flyer.

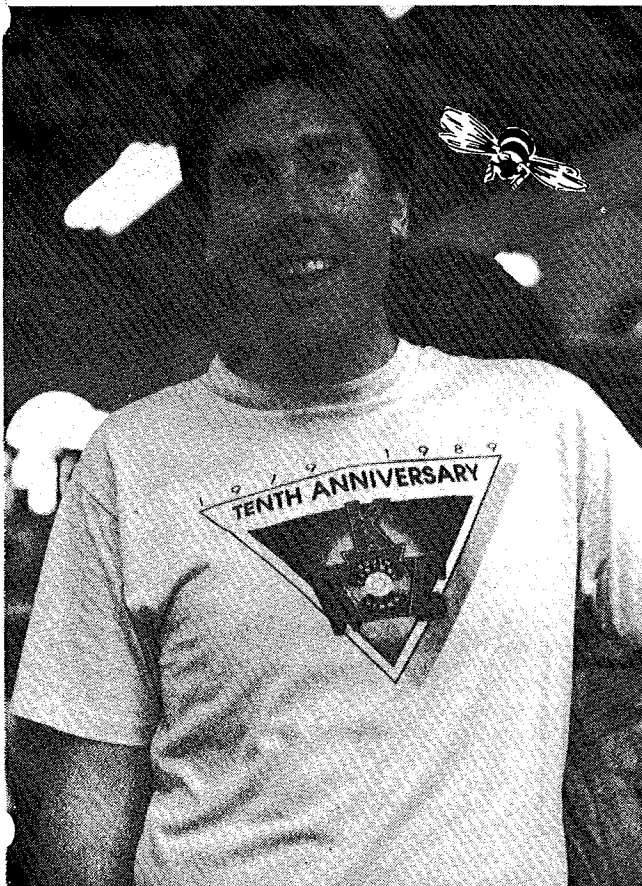
FINAL RECAP

For those of us who remember Teddy Hesbacher who passed away in February 1988 after undergoing triple bypass heart surgery, the following should be of interest:

Teddy's widow, Karen, was left with a large personal and show record collection. Since she had no knowledge of record values, **Bob Atwater** and **B. Derek Shaw** as officers of KRC were called upon to appraise and liquidate Teddy's collection. It took Bob and Derek a great deal of time, but the final result was a little over \$20,000 cash Karen realized. That money is being put into a Trust Fund to help finance his two daughter's future college education, per his wishes.



Some folks provide more than just tapes, records, videos and CD's. These buttons and patches are some items along with jukebox title strips, sheet music and other music-related memorabilia that can be found at a typical KRC record show.



*"I'd rather miss work than a KRC show!" Baltimore's **Richard Brizendine** is a show regular. Final three shows for 1989 are October 1st, November 6th and December 3rd.*

ANOTHER CLUB BENEFIT

Through the efforts of Club President **B. Derek Shaw**, KRC members recently received the January/February edition of DDD Magazine, published by the CD Hotline. Topics of some of the articles were the history of Rhino Records, Jethro Tull, and Classic Rock CD compilations. This magazine will be mailed 4-6 times a year, FREE OF CHARGE to KRC members (the 1988 membership roster was used.) Those of you who are not interested in CD information, feel free to pass it on to a friend who would be interested.

In addition, the CD Hotline is a clearinghouse for CD information, boasting 48,000 titles in their database. They operate Wednesday through Sunday, noon to 8 PM and a toll-free number is available. However, due to contractual agreements with radio stations, we are not permitted to publish it here. You may call WTPA-Mechanicsburg, 98 Rock, WIYY-Baltimore or WYSP-Philadelphia for the number. You may also call the CD Hotline business number (718/486-8788) to obtain the toll-free number. Additional copies of the DDD Magazine will be available at our record shows for distribution.

HELP!

We've asked for it before, and we'll continue to ask again. Because our shows are so big and successful, we need more volunteer help than ever on the day of each show. One area of concern is the proper staffing of our KRC Merchandise Booth (#114 & #115.) We generate a great deal of sales from sleeves, KRC clothing, buttons, etc. but must rely on **Millie** and **Mary** who are busy running the Snack Bar. If any member has the time and interest to staff our booth for 2-3 hours each show, please contact **Derek Shaw** (#60-#61) at 717/843-3050 or **Bob Atwater** (#40-#41) at 215/273-2965 to offer your assistance. If you have a spouse who comes to the shows but is not an avid record collector and needs "something to pass away the hours," this could be the right opportunity for them. We await your response.

"I'M IN HEAVEN" SUMS UP FEELINGS OF RECENT CONCERT

Nearly 200 people, including five KRC members, experienced the raw rock-a-billy sounds of 16 different acts at a recent "Rock-a-billy Benefit For Charlie Feathers." The event was held at the Severna Park MD Elks Lodge, which is the site of numerous oldies shows throughout the year. Feathers, who is suffering from diabetes, closed out the four hour concert, first playing with Narvel Felts, then performing solo.

The acts, in order of appearance, included The Atomics, Virginia and the Blue Dots, Pink and Black (using a freestanding bass), A-Bones, The Pickups, Billy Hancock, Bob E. Rock, Arizona Cool, an unknown artist from Ireland, Leslie Bird Anderson, Todd Monroe, Bubba Feathers with Tex Rubinowitz, Sun recording artist Vernon Taylor (who made his first appearance in 26 years!), Robert Gordon, Narvel Felts, and of course Charlie Feathers.

The show was put on by Roll A Billy Productions. Next concert at the Elks is September 29th, when Jack Scott will take the stage. (See the "Other Music Events" calendar on Page 2 for more details.)



DC native and former lead singer of the Tuff Darts, Robert Gordon (upper left) was on hand. He also did some work with guitarist Link Wray in the mid-70's; The 14th performer on the bill was rock-a-billy/country vocalist, guitarist and songwriter Narvel Felts (upper right); Billy Hancock (far left, in sunglasses) in action; Charlie (seated, right) and Bubba (standing, right) Feathers performing "Toungie-Tied Jill."



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