DAVE STEALS THE SHOW FROM SANTA
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KRLA BEAT

DAVE IS A BIG HIT

HOLLYWOOD — Santa didn't have a chance when KRLA made the scene at the Santa Clause Lane parade November 23rd! Dave Hull's junk float stole the entire show! Dave's float was made up entirely of KRLA's contributions — and you can guess how many KRLA's contributed, seeing that Dave Hull is the most popular DJ in the whole world! Dave started making announcements about his float almost a month before the parade, and junk started pouring in. Doors, tractor tires, street signs, anything you can think of was mailed or brought in to the station by loyal Hullabalooers!

KITTENS TOO!

While Dave asked for junk, he didn't ask for litter ... but that's what someone brought him! You guessed it, a litter of kittens! Dave gave the tiny cats away, saying that they might not like it on the float! The float was built the night before the parade by Dave and all his friends, who also drove the float (dressed in a Mickey Mouse hat). The finished results were surprisingly pretty, proofing once again that Hull can always make a nice something out of a worthless nothing! With the green crepe paper background, the whole float looked like Christmas morning (after everyone opened their presents.)

FIRE DEPARTMENT BURNS

The fire department threw a little cold water on the float, though ... literally! Since Dave's float was made up of combustible materials, the firemen insisted on hosing down the whole float, just to make sure it didn't catch fire! Although the water had a "dampering" effect, it didn't do too much damage to the float. In fact, the crepe paper wrinkled up, making the whole thing even prettier. Dave sat on an old chair

KRLA TOP THIRTY

1. THE JERK — The Larks
2. OUT OF MY HEAD — Little Anthony & Imperials
3. OPPORTUNITY — The Supremes
4. COME SEE ABOUT ME — The Jewels
5. TIME IS ON MY SIDE — The Rolling Stones
6. BABY LOVE — The Supremes
7. IF YOU WANT THIS LOVE — Sonny Knight
8. SHE'S NOT THERE — The Zombies
9. I'M GOING TO SOMETHING GOOD — Herman's Hermits
10. MR. LONELY — Bobby Vinton
11. THOU SHALT NOT STEAL — Dixie Dregs
12. WALKING IN THE RAIN — The Beach Boys
13. BABY DON'T GO — Sonny & Cher
14. MOUNTAIN OF LOVE — Johnny Rivers
15. OH, PRETTY WOMAN — Roy Orbison
16. THAT'S WHAT LOVE IS MADE OF — The Minutemen
17. LAST KISS — J. Frank Wilson
18. I'M ON THE OUTSIDE — Anthony & Imperials
19. SIDEWALK SURFIN' — Jan & Dean
20. COME A LITTLE CLOSER — Jay & The Americans
21. I WANT YOU — The Beatles
22. RIDE THE WILD SURF — Jan & Dean
23. LEADER OF THE PACK — The Shangri-Las
24. EVERYTHING'S ALL RIGHT — The Newbeats
25. RINGO — Lorne Greene
26. ANY WAY YOU WANT IT — Dave Clark Five
27. RIGHT OR WRONG — Ronnie Dove
28. HOW SWEET IT IS — Marvin Gaye
29. UNLESS YOU CARE — Terry Black
30. NEEDLE IN A HAYSTACK — The Velvellettes

TOP TEN ALBUMS

1. A HARD DAY'S NIGHT — The Beatles
2. BEACH BOYS CONCERT — The Beach Boys
3. SOMETHING NEW — The Beatles
4. THE KINGSMEN, VOL. 2 — The Ventures
5. ROUSTABOUT — Elvis Presley
6. 12 X 5 — Rolling Stones
7. MORE OF BOY ORRISON'S GREATEST HITS — The Miracles
8. WHERE DID OUR LOVE GO — The Supremes
9. THE DOOR IS STILL OPEN — Dean Martin
10. WALK DON'T RUN, VOL. 2 — Ventures

TOP TEN OLDIES

1. Dawn in Mexico — The Coasters
2. Annie Had a Baby — The Midnighters
3. Sweet Nothings — Brenda Lee
4. Maybelle — Chuck Berry
5. Shop Around — The Miracles
6. Broken Hearted Melody — Sarah Vaughan
7. Sittin' In The Balcony — Eddie C establishment
8. Blue Moon — Fats Domino
9. You Gotta Go To Texas — Carl Johnson
10. Don't Care If Sun Don't Shine — Elvis Presley

RINGO NOW FEELS FINE

LONDON — Ringo Starr, the most popular drummer in the world, is doing fine after his long awaited tonsil operation. News of the operation, which broke here in the KRLA BEAT nearly two months ago, was a great surprise to most Beatles fans. Fears were raised that the operation might make Ringo's voice change drastically, but doctors at the University College Hospital said that the only voice change, if there is any, will be less hoarseness in Ringo's voice. Derek Taylor, press agent for the Beatles, said that Ringo told him after the operation that now he will be able to face London's cold winters without catching cold.
So many letters have come in asking for more backstage scenes of the TAMI show that we couldn't resist any more! So we decided to print the pictures, but that left us with another problem...letters started pouring in asking us to run pictures on Manfred Mann when he came in town last week. Now, since KRLA always tries to make you happy (you know us!) we decided to run the TAMI show AND Manfred...or Manfreds, if you prefer (there's five of them). When you come right down to it, what more could you want? (Okay, besides the Beatles, that is!)

Before they leave for the show, Billy J. Kramer, Gerry Marsden, and Bonnie Golden, editor of the KRLA BEAT, look at pictures of the giant show held by Rob Foster in October. Gerry and Billy J. helped Bonnie pick the pictures for that next issue of the KRLA BEAT.

Backstage was a stargazer's heaven! Everywhere you wiped the record business! Here autographs before they go to their dressing room: Keith Richards, Charlie Watts, Bill Wyman.

An English group from America! The Barbarians, who really wallop on stage, make their first visit to X9776ND to do the TAMI show. The group is from Rhode Island. Their first record, "You're in Lovers' Hands," is due out this week, and we don't think it'll be a hit.

Gerry was the hit backstage! He has one of the wildest senses of humor of any star, and you just can't help but fall for him! Here, he and the Pacemakers wait in their dressing room to go onstage. Gerry said that if it looks like a hit, he'll be back for a visit in January. All of you out there start crossing fingers!

Dick and Chuck Berry grab a coke. In the background is Charlie Watts...and Chuck Berry is Charlie and the other Rolling Stones' favorite singer. Bobby Dale, well known Berry fan, said later that he grabbed Chuck's old coke cup and took it home and framed it.

This is a surprise! R.B. (Benevolent Bobby) (Bobby) actually, Bobby, who never opens his eyes while asleep, but since he's kind of quiet anyway, no one noticed him with the Rolling Stones, who are his favorites.

Jimmy Clanton, who was there too, and he looked so good that all the girls flipped! Jimmy and Bob Kubatsky were very good friends, and Jimmy has done a lot of shows for Bob. (He said that KRLA was his favorite station, and when someone says that in a soft Southern drawl...well, you would have flipped too!

There's no surprise! The Rolling Stones get ready to go on stage. Charlie Watts has said (You can't see Bill, he's off in the corner, looking for the best appearance in the mirror. The Rolling Stones are not fond of special outfits on stage.

Here, Gary gets the boys so mad. (Jimmy's on the end). The boys tell Gary all about themselves. Manfred, of course, is the one with the beard, and used to be a music teacher. He has lived in America, so he's no stranger to our streets. Comparing England to America, he said: "You live faster, but we get more done!"

The boys were amazed by the KRLA BEAT. "Why don't they have something like this in England?" they asked. Maybe it's because they don't have a KRLA in England, Manfred! The boys called Dave Hull that night to say hello...they'd heard about him way over in England, They wanted to come out to the studio.

Gary talks to the manager of the boys. Kenneth Pitman, about arrangements for the group. Listens in.Agent when he heard the boys and thought that they sure looked like he was right! They plan on playing...
The Rolling Stones got ready to go on stage. Charlie laughs at something Bill has said (You can't see Bill, he's off in the corner) while Mick checks out his appearance in the mirror. The Rolling Stones are the only group around who don't wear special outfits on stage.

Dick Morrell talks to Leslie Gore, who added female glamour to the show. Leslie has gotten so pretty lately that it's amazing! She really puts good show, and said that she wants to be a jazz singer... she's enough to do it, too! And next... on to Manfred and his Mann!

New it's fan fare! Representatives of the Dove Hall fan club were there to Manfred some stuffed animals and 'trials' for good luck, and other fans there to give the group kisses... also for good luck! Manfred invited the go to Shindig the next day to see them. Next week, Tommy Quickly pitch
Well, well, look who's here! Dick Moreland and Dick of Dick & DeeDee talk to one of the Beach Boys. Dick and DeeDee weren't in the show, but Dick dropped over to say hello to his friends who were in the show. Dick Moreland calls the Beach Boys America's answer to the Beatles!

Jan and Dean sit in their dressing room, ready to go on. They were the "master of ceremonies" of the show, and because of the way they drowned around, plans are now being made for a movie starring the twain. The movie would have no plot, but would be just an average day in the life of Jan & Dean.

The Supremes, who just had their hair done, decide to do some work on Dick! Without saying how good or bad they were, Dick was called "Old Baldy" for the next three days! (Just kidding.) Really, the group did a good job of styling his hair, but when they started with Beatle bangs, Dick got up and ran away!

Robin MacDonald of the Dakotas looks at a program to see how long it is until the Dakotas and Billy J. go on. Robin was the quiet Dakota and tried to get some sleep between acts, but he couldn't do it! Backstage was like a fantastic party, and no one would leave him alone till he joined the fun, so he did.

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Gary Mock, KRLA's official "meet 'em at the airport" D.J. shows a copy of the paper to Jimmy O'Neill, host of Shindig. Mike Sheppard of U.A. Records holds up a copy of Manfred's new single. The airport was kind enough to allow KRLA in to see the group right after they go through customs.

Now it's fan time! Representatives of the Dave Hull fan club were there to give Manfred some stuffed animals and 'trolls' for good luck, and other fans were there to give the group kisses . . . also for good luck! Manfred invited the girls to go to Shindig the next day to see them. Next week, Tommy Quickly pictures!

Time to relax! The boys sign autographs and chat with Gary. There were so many fans at the airport to see Manfred's Manne (he, he) that the boys had to be smuggled out across the field! Manfred, who said that he never takes his hat off, is very intelligent and prefers jazz to rock & roll.
PERSONALS

Do you want your personal ads printed? Each week, we'll print any messages you want to send through the KRLA BEAT! Just mail your message in on a post card to: PERSONALS, KRLA BEAT, 1401 South Oak Knoll Rd., Pasadena, California. Keep messages about three lines. You can say anything you want (almost) and it will be printed right here in the KRLA BEAT!

I'm sorry, Sally, I won't call you "Blimp" again — Please forgive me! Who ... else? Thank you for try me again, Love, I'll be an ace some time.

Bob Bubanks!

Thank you for playing leads of Stone's dixies. Tell Mick, Brian, Charlie, Keith, and Pat to keep that coming, must like it.

Diane & Carol

Dear Dave: Hi! My sister's boyfriend who is stationed in Hawaii hates the Beatles. So if Charlene and an twin could you please pick 'em on him.

A Beatles Lover & Regular

KRLA Listener

Dutfield loves you Dave Clark and a Paul McCartney fan.

Pamela Dempsey, I love you and always will. Your mountain of love.

Judith Rodriguez

To Mike of La Puente: What happened between us? I'm doing the chasing this year! Please come back. Desperately Waiting.

Mia T. S.: Call me a Sissy if no Stones are rolling around.

Emperor Hudson and Davey Holt should rule Calif. We all love you guys!

M.P. Arecio

REB FOSTER'S "FAX ON WAX" AND BOB EUANKS' "RECORD REVIEW" WILL NOT APPEAR THIS WEEK. WATCH FOR THEM IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF "KRLA BEAT."

Hey, how would you like to be the proud owner of a piece of the towel used by the Beatles on their last visit to Los Angeles? Well, you can! Jim Steck, who drove the Beatles from their performance at the Bowl, saved the towel they used to mop their faces with and you can own a piece of it. Jim cut the towel into pieces and had them mounted in plastic with a special back-card that certifies that it's a real piece of the Beatle's face towel!

If you want to get a piece of towel, send $1.00 and a self addressed, stamped envelope to Jim Steck at Beatle Towel, 23 Grace Terrace, Pasadena, California. Hurry up while the supply lasts!

Johanny III

LONDON — Brian Epstein, handling star Johnny Rivers in this country before he left for America last week, was forced to cancel all dates and shows for the singer, Johnny became ill and collapsed in his hotel room. He will be out of the hospital this week, but will take it a lot easier than he has been taking it! Johnny has been on the road for three months doing one night stands, and it looks like the pace was too much for him. As soon as he is well enough to go back on tour, he will resume the tour of England. Fill in on some of the shows that Johnny was supposed to do in London is Gene Pitney.

CONTEST CORNER!

WIN TOMMY QUICKLY'S SHIRT!

How many times have you noticed the groovy shirt your favorite star was wearing? How many times have you tried to grab said groovy shirt, only to find that (a) The star also thought the shirt was groovy and didn't feel like letting you have it, or (b) 50 big policemen wouldn't let you get close enough to even SEE the shirt, much less make a grab for it! Well, that's all changed! Yep, KRLA BEAT knew that you wouldn't be able to snatch Tommy Quickly's shirt, so we went and snatched it for you! (Mainly because we're bigger than he is!) The shirt was a gift to Tommy from Brian Epstein, has a groovy London label on it, and best of all, has a personal message from Tommy to the winner! Now just in case you don't win first prize, but still want an autographed something, we have another surprise for you! Just as we snatched Tommy's shirt, he was reaching for a handkerchief to put in his jacket pocket. You know us! We grabbed that too! The handkerchief also has a personal message to the winner on it, and both these prizes will be won by a lucky KRLA BEAT reader! (in addition to the five third prizes...autographed pictures of Tommy!) Here's all you have to do:

Tommy's favorite food is a dish that was invented over in England and is fairly popular over here. But Tommy doesn't eat his favorite food like most English people ... he likes it served a very different way. Do you know how? If you want to win Tommy's shirt (didn't we tell you he'd give you the shirt right off his back?) than you'd better find out! If your's is the first correct entry we receive, Tommy's shirt will be yours!

FIRST PRIZE: Tommy Quickly's own shirt!
SECOND PRIZE: Tommy's hankey!
THIRD PRIZES: For five winners, a personally autographed picture of Tommy!

Just fill out the entry blank below, mail it to KRLA BEAT, 1401 South Oak Knoll, Pasadena, California before December 15th. Then sit back and cross your fingers!

NAME: __________________________ AGE: ______
ADDRESS: __________________________ GRADE: ______
SCHOOL: __________________________ PHONE NUMBER: __________

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