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# STARGAZING WITH

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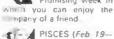


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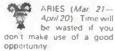
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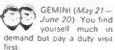
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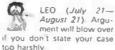








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# HEY THERE!

Party time again. Best time of the year, I reckon and here at FAB we're planning parties like mad. New Year's not far off. Neither is our first birthday. And I'm happy to report that we're a very lusty one year old, thanks to all you loyal readers.

We're trying to work out some way so that you all can share in our New Year celebrations. In fact, we've some wonderful ideas up our sleeves to give masses of you an opportunity to meet some of your favourite stars and some of us -- on your home ground.

Not going to tell you about it yet. It's a surprise! But don't go away--I'll be letting you have all the details in the next few weeks.

In the meantime -- enjoy your own parties. Love,

The Ed.

OVER TO SHEENA FOR THIS WEEK'S GOSSIP



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Who doesn't love parties? I do, 'specially at Christmas time. We usually have a party with all the stars here at Fleetway House and June'll be telling you all about it further on in the mag. I thought you'd like to know about some of the stars' parties. Most popsters don't get to spend Christmas at home but that's because they're all entertaining you in Christmas shows.

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Mark Wynter likes best to spend a quiet Christmas at home with his folks. He gets invited to masses of parties all year through and a quiet Christmas makes a change. Last year Mark was in pantomime at Coventry and to get home for his quiet Christmas he drove all through Christmas Eve to get to his home in Surrey. He was so whacked he slept practically all through Christmas Day and then drove back to Coventry on Boxing Day morning!

Mark is in pantomime-Mother Goose-again this year. He plays the part of Colin. Mother Goose's son, who brings home the golden eggs.

If you want to see this panto they're playing for two weeks at Southampton, two at Taunton and two at Cheltenham.



Mark Wynter

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The Four Pennies set out to look for a Christmas party in two vans last year-Fritz Fryer and Lionel Morton in one and Alan Buck and Mike Wilsh in the other. When Fritz and Li got to the address they found there wasn't a party there at all

Thinking that Alan and Mike had the right address they drove round Blackburn for hours looking for the other van

When they finally met up with each other the next day, it turned out that Alan and Mike had been driving round trying to find Fritz and Li because they didn't have any address at all !

Let's hope they find a party this year. They're playing in Yorkshire—fans please note. And all other fans lend an ear to the Pennies' latest LP called Two Sid's Of The Four Pennies on the Philips' label-it's a knockout?





Brian Poole and The Tremeloes

Wrien Poole and The Tremeloes must be unique in the pop world as they've only missed having one Christmes at home. They love spending that one day round the literactic holds relations.

round the fire with their relations
Mr. and Mrs. Poole have a butcher's shop in Berking, Essex, and Brisn can
skways be sure of a lovely nosh up. The turkey's wishbone is slways saved

for him to pull.

Brian gets loads of gifts from fens and sends most of them to children in hospitals or in homes, but one gift he tressures is a three foot teddy bear which he keeps in his befroom.

Parties are enjoyed by Brien and The Trems but at home ha's usually surrounded by about two dozen relatives.

A New Year gift which Bris really looking forward to is a week in Sweden.
Though for the last couple of weeks he's been wandering round with a
shilleleph under his arm!

Last month I went to the sixteenth birthday party of my old mare Lulu. It was fab. There were istin of pop poople there plus Lulu's group The Lunvers. Not suprising foot the party with relief in their flat in West London. Pater Asher, Alan Freeman the deeply. Fritz Fryer, Alan Buck and Mike Wilsh of The Four Pennie with their road manager Judda.

hite and The Animals all arrived so it was quite a gathering. The party was slow starting off as the record player wouldn't work but Mike With and one of The Lunvers fixed it by wring it up to an empfiller. Lulu and Pater Asher were easily the best Lulu and Pater Asher were easily the best

dencers on the floor. We all had a ball





A great "instant" party took place when Sounds Incorporated, celebrating the forthcoming marriage of their drummer, Tony Newman, brought their stag party to the London Palladium.

party to the London removement. Tony, Al, Sarrie, Griff, Johnny and Wes were soon joined by Cills Black, Bobby Willis her road manager, Nelen Shapiro who's come to see Cills. Bob Bain the compare/comedian. The Fourmost—Mike, Dave, Billy and Brien, and Mary Walls' musical director.

Many Wells mustical director. Evarybody was having a great time but poor Major, that's the nickname of Griff West. Sounds 'tanor sax man got crowned. Quits literally! Someons dropped the lid of an ice box and it landed on his head. Uniformunisty it had a large scraw projecting through the bottom and Major collected a large bump. The like West Injured too—It developed a large creek.



NEXT WEEK FABULOUS SAYS

# HAPPY TRADXMAS to you all so

to you all so

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# where Stars hold parties everywhere A FOURPENNY PARTY



Lional Morton, leader of The Four Pennie

down to the International Children's Village near Battle in Sussex. This is one of the Pestalogs orphan villages that have children from all over the world as you can see in our pix, It was difficult to know who had a better time. The Fourpence or the children.

The Pennies even put on a show for their new found friends. They had intended to do nursery rhymes but they found their normal hit parade items went down much better.

Lional, Mike, Fritz and Alan all agreed they'd had a great time, even if they did have an overnight drive to Manchester where they were opening a new club the following morning!

The Fourpence were so impressed with the Village that they've made it their favourite charity and are giving it all their support A good penny worth was had by all!

SHEENA MACKAY





Is it the camera or Lionel putting her off?



# Stars hold parties everywhere Stars

# TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC



Dee Bechalor, Con Bachelor and John Bachelor and Hot Pall received invitations to a party-picnic from their Irised Ringo. When Ringo turned out to be two feet, ten pounds of bouncing baby bear from Reparts Park Zoo. The Bachelors were naturally taken aback (it was a bear-faced fraud) having aspected a Baatla. Ringo growled He was surprised as well.

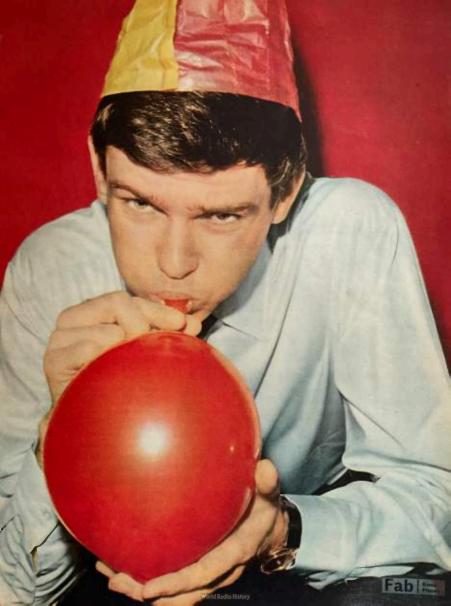
Ringo growled He was surprised as well. Especially after having invited The Animals and The Honeycombs.

Ringo steried the party rolling by nipping a piece out of John's ankle and The Bachelors tried to calm him by singing numbers like "Troubles A'Bruin," "Paw People of Parks," and "Furrisa Are Jolly Good Fellows," Ringo decided he couldn't take any more and headed back to his cage for a feed.

There's just so much one can bear! KEITH ALTHAM











JINGLE BELLS! SEABS MAS PARI

Well, for a start, everyone was there. At our Christmas party that we held in November, I mean. We gaily invited everyone we could think of and they all came. So that was how about 200 people jammed

themselves to a complete standstill in a converted studio meant to hold 20.

Deke Arlon setting the party moud.



perpansy on Land Marine and FAU M.

If started at 3.30 p.m. and by four we will serving rocated pop stars along with the drinks. The Ed. We couldn't even high a full circle standing on the

These make a list of that going on the ordered by the feet. Other preside a fact of many a proof out Landon Diew south I make it

One get who also drive on was Doors Ton-narate. She brought poster form and her hours and than They were such note person that on all respected pulliparie this his a whole

Advance Poster arrived minus her pureris per her manager. When he asked for a volume to take care of her I didn't notice any of the boys feeting back. A great army of girl singers invaded the justy Julie Grant with her great new long look hair style. Leeley Duncen, bouncing around like a public and metaling everyone tell about Pully Perkils, risk heeded and roey. The excit Perky Ann Noble dispensing autographs and amiles to a new group called Shelley And girl disc jockey Rona Lee Jay wearing what she called a knee length yest We wondered why Keith had virunteered to send

and the invites. Remark Lynch extended the alternative later than the

wis at the party. I was mutand with Refuse II have yet Bran Public and The Tunes as and Long land the cruth! I thank if our (and to their) full last them we'd have remed them, our house part to many contails 1

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"Oh they couldn't get the time off from a

Betty currently wangled an angle in Miles said Junior brightly Leray to dine at his restaurant. He s a min of his singer gutterst. We wondered why she was taking to him for such a long time.

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was all right by the uses. though may have on the STREET AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PARTY OF THE P give descript, gargerult parties

Apert from the shinks, where there was and a all food and all, we had another he's a pervise too in the hell. The FAS gang drank the lot. We leeded I with so many people rushing is and fre. CEN Bennett The Rebal Rousers spent the stare afterware of the compound on page 11

Pulls Forbox, Stichael Midrel, Prop. and Davin Springfull make on on on





PAB'S June with Pretty The Do b Taylor and Paul 51





Mike Felix (a Migil) and Dusty.

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run. They were still running when we saw them disappear into their all-mod-cons van with its 007

elector seats. Eventually, the atmosphere cleared a bit as people went off to theatres and clubs. But just when the party should have been dying on its feet. Dusty began to swing. And when Dusty swings, there's no going

People, who had been quietly minding his own business, was swung into action and set everyone else dancing. Michael Aldred fervently clutched an outsize silver star and waltzed it round Lesley Duncan

and Polly Perkins We had a little stage with a drum kit and an electric organ. Started by the sight of this, Viv Prince showed organ. Started by the sight of this, the Prince showed that he's not just a Pretty Thing by bashing out drum solos. Mike Felix of The Migil Five sat down at the organ and a sound came out that was very danceable An escapee from The Jet Set played the guitar and Sandy of "Rick and

andy of "Rick and ," played another The Ronettes walked in, unnoticed They were unnoticed for approximately ten seconds. Phil May staked his claim early, so he was well away. The Ronettes are very lovely. Ronnie is cute, Estelle is beautiful, and Nedra Is super-attractive (Ask The Rolling Stones! No . . . they weren't there Like The Beatles, they were out of town entertaining you ... and you ... and you )

At about eight the party was still going strong Dusty was sitting quietly in a corner "soul" singing s no no with Ronnie Bennett, and Vrv was a lone figure the stage creating a little storm around himself. The Four Pennies stood quietly drinking in the scene and the Cokes. The Christmas decorations, which had been created at short notice by our Studio Manager and our versatile Art Lot, were looking just that bit jaded

At nine it was all over i I'm told that I messed Peter and Gordon, Deke Arlon, Cathy McGowan The Paramounts. Alexes Korner, Mike Sarne, Don Wardell, The Lorne Gibson Trio and The Fenmen I probably did





Peter eacht and Gordon





Great Scott! It's Simon with Noba York





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TOURMOST Billy Hatton wendered around with a be-streamered stick; Kenny Lynch closely studied our golden Christmes tree; The Roulettes and Julia Grant signed autographs; the other three Most raids I the coke supply; The XL's and The Messangers tucked into cream cakes; and forty FAB readers waved autograph books and looked blissfully benny.

Our visitors were from the waiting list of readers who have asked to visit FAB We had decided to throw a small Christmas party

Our list as shorter by forty but we warn you-still as long as ever ! If you write asking to come and see us if it take ages

However our lucky dip forty had come from all over to see us. But the prize for ong distance had to go to Stones Ian Wendy Townsend. She and her friend had trekked from Leicester Very flattering

It was Wendy and her friend together with several others who stuck it out to the bitter and (our readers have strong constitutions) who heard The Fourmost singing Churtman carols in the Editor's office

We were planning to arrange a concert of carols for charity, you see, and we esked The Fourmost if they d like to be included



ne of our readers and Billy Hatton really getting into the swing of things

You bet, 'they replied

But can you sing Christmas carols?" we asked Of course I" they exclaimed indignantly.

Prove it," we insisted

And prove it they did with a remarkable version of Silent Night

Earlier, Brian O Haia, who's usually a fairly quiet Fourmost, and Billy Hatton, who s hot quite such a quiet Fourmost, had had the readers laughing even more with their commentary on the film show. The film show is always a very popular way of entertaining visiting readers. We slide colour shots of pop stars through a projector so that they're thrown on to a screen, and everyone gets a preview of what's coming

First shot up was The Beatles Screams from readers. Second shot up was The Beatles. More screams from readers. Third shot up was The Beatles. But before the readers could register any reaction this time, Brian O'Hara yelled. I we seen this m," Giggles from readers

Hoorey," Brian cheered

By the time The Beatles came up again. Billy had caught on and he joined in

AND SYLVIA STEPHEN TELLS YOU WHY...

readers







Our old mates Kenny Lynch and Julie Grant were able to pop in and see a Brian's cheer. Before long, the readers had caught on too, and every picture of The

Beatles was greeted with cheers. Brian leading Really, I suppose that reader Lydia Palmas from Sunbury, Middlesex, shouldn't

have been looking quite so happy at meeting The Fourmost. The Roulettes, etc. After all she is one of the Southern Region Area Secretaries of the Tommy Quickly fan club. However, she admitted to liking other stars too, particularly The Stones Seventeen year old student Diana Willoughby: another distance traveller (she d come from Oxford) said that her favourite pop star is P. J. Proby, while schoolgist

Dianne Lesley Collins, lifteen, from Henley on Thames, said that she likes Karl King Our faithful tape recorder, tucked under the table on which stood the Christmas tree, provided background music to the conversation, quite a bit of which consisted of 'May I have your autograph please?' Glasses of Coke were left untouched while popsters signed and readers smiled. But at last most of the quests rejuctantly decided that it was time they were on their way. Those who did not need to hurry came back up to the offices and fleand The Fourmost sing on but I told you about

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By the way\_Simon Scott agrees with us. And also says: "I like should dress smartly, intelligent and all that jazz. Jexpect her to do her share of the should dress smartly. I don't dig a bird that's too quiet. logic to notice when read and all that jazz. I expect her to do her share of the sh







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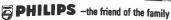
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FAB thought it was about time a new dance was born. So I went along to see the rehearsals of the Kathy Kirby Show, to meet a young choreographer, called Peter Gordeno. And he turned out to be really something. Peter's personality and dancing are fantastic. We'll bc hearing more about him, because apart from arranging all the dances for Kathy's Show-he can sing, too. As a matter of fact, Peter at 22, is tipped as Britain's best dancer/ choreographer. He's tremendous. I asked him if he would devise a new

dance just for FAB readers, and he was only too happy to oblige. Peter is demonstrating the dance for us with attractive Julie Grant, the singer who, in fact, used to dance in the chorus. The dance is called The FAR.

But natch !





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BEEJAY OF RADIO LUXEMBOURG, TV AND STAGE IS BACK AGAIN. Ill to you sit! Let's go this week with a spot of

erystal-gazing. In your letters I'm constantly being soled to predict the trends of tomorrow. Well, for FAB readers, I'll go out on a limb. I could and he completely wrong (and only time will tail!).

Susan Oliver of Brixton, London, would like to know if the group idea is fading on the record scene today? frankly. I think the group "thing" has

GROUPS well pessed its peak. The days when any old longhaired guitar group could record any Coasterstype tune and have a hit are over and done with However, new groups will still continue to come along and shoot up the charts-but only when (and this is so important) they have something just a listle different to offer and the material (i.e. the songs) are right for the times

Gerald Makin of Bromley, Kent, would like to know if gets are more popular now than they have over been? GIRLS . . rt's obviously the girl era now. There are

so many great girls around just bursting with energy and enthusiasm Dusty, Cilla, Lulu, Barry St. John (all of whom knock me out) and, it seems, umpleen others. Girls singing songs about situations that gels understand—and gels who appeal to the boys AND gets in groups getting sounds which just have to be smash hits all over the world

Anyway, off I get from my soapbox and back to the letterbox .

Catherine Dullighan of Liverpool 19 wants to know more about Wayne Fontana and The Mindbenders (What Fd like to know, Catherine, is what you said and how you left when you went into your local Liverpool record shop and asked for Wayne's hit, Um Um, Um Um, Um, Um111) Wall, for a stert, the boys come from Manchester (and the Manchester fans are claiming that their city has taken over the lead from Liverpool-with great groups like Wayne's and Heiman's Heimits) Wayne's real name is Glyn Ellis. He named his

group The Mindbenders after a horror film he'd seen the day before they did their first audition. He's nineteen and has very pale blue eyes which are very striking with his brown hair. Wayne's a very good looking boy and though his heir is long, he's still got out-of the-ordinary clean-cut looks Bass gurlanst Bob Lang (who's eighteen) is the

golden boy of the group. The black-haired one is lead gustarist Enc Stewart Enc. by the way, knows exactly what he wants out of life just an "E"-type Jag and a yacht Finally drum ver Ric Roth (who's a pretty good musician, too) is twenty and has (what they'd call in Liverpool) "fur hur" (or Tare from 15

Our Maureen dropped a right clanger (and it happens to us all at one time or another 1) when she wrote recently in FAB that The Miglity Avengers came from Coventry Reader Valene Morton and umpteen other putraged Rugby citizens wrote and bomled out the error of poor Maureen's ways! I d just like to say that wherever The Avengers come from, I thought their record of 5o Much In Lave was a real zonker and it broke my heart that it wasn't a big big hit (Andrew Oldham, The Stones' recording manager, produced it and Mick Jagger and Keith Richard wrote the song ) A knockout record The Avengers are named Tony, Mike, Teddy and

Biffo (who with a name like that, just had to be the drummer!) Valene and the others were quite right. of course. They all live in Rugby (except Billo) and were all born in Rugby (except Tony who comes from Oxford) Anyway I hope Rugby is proud of them. They should be

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Well that's all for this week, don't forget to write to us will you. The address is FABULOUS, Fleetway House, Farringdon Street, London E.C.4 THE DRUIDS Standing: Jeff

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and is in A ing the attack from Detroit. The Supre ist members of the up-and-coming Tamla-Mo to chalk up a Number One hit in Britain itally, only the second American act to top the dentally, only the second American and it is or out in the last two years) with Baby Love. It is or out in the last two years) of time before they are followed into the Martha and The Vandellas, Mary Wells, Mar

One disc that could easily be a hit is the latest offe from Detroit: Marvin Gaye and Kim Weston sings What Good Am / Without You? (Stateside), a power beaty ballad that's already climbing the American char My verdict: the best vocal duo live heard in months

### Rest of the rest

- Georgie Fame, who has deserved to have a hit with least his last two records, could finally make it with the realing Yeh, Yeh! (Columbia)
- A real treat for lans of The Yardbirds is their first long Five Live Yardbirds (Columbia), containing to e examples of the kind of r-and-b that's building up a reputation for the boys. P. J. Proby has switched record labels and on Liberty
- gs Somewhere, that lovely ballad from "West Side y" It's like no other version I've ever heard but if ire a fan of PJ you'll probably dig it.
- Tom Springfield wrote I'll Never Find Another You d as sung by The Seekers it makes very pleasant d (Coh
- Sing Along With Beatles Songs contains close-to-theand backings of fourteen Beatles hits for you to sing own vocals! (Ace of Clubs, LP)
- Also worth spinning are Forget Her, Forget Her by nny Williams (HMV), No Arms Can Ever Hold You by The Bachelors (Decca), Hearthreas Hill by Fats Domino (V). Eyes by The Honeycombs (Pye) and When ine Young And In Love by Ruby and The Romantics



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