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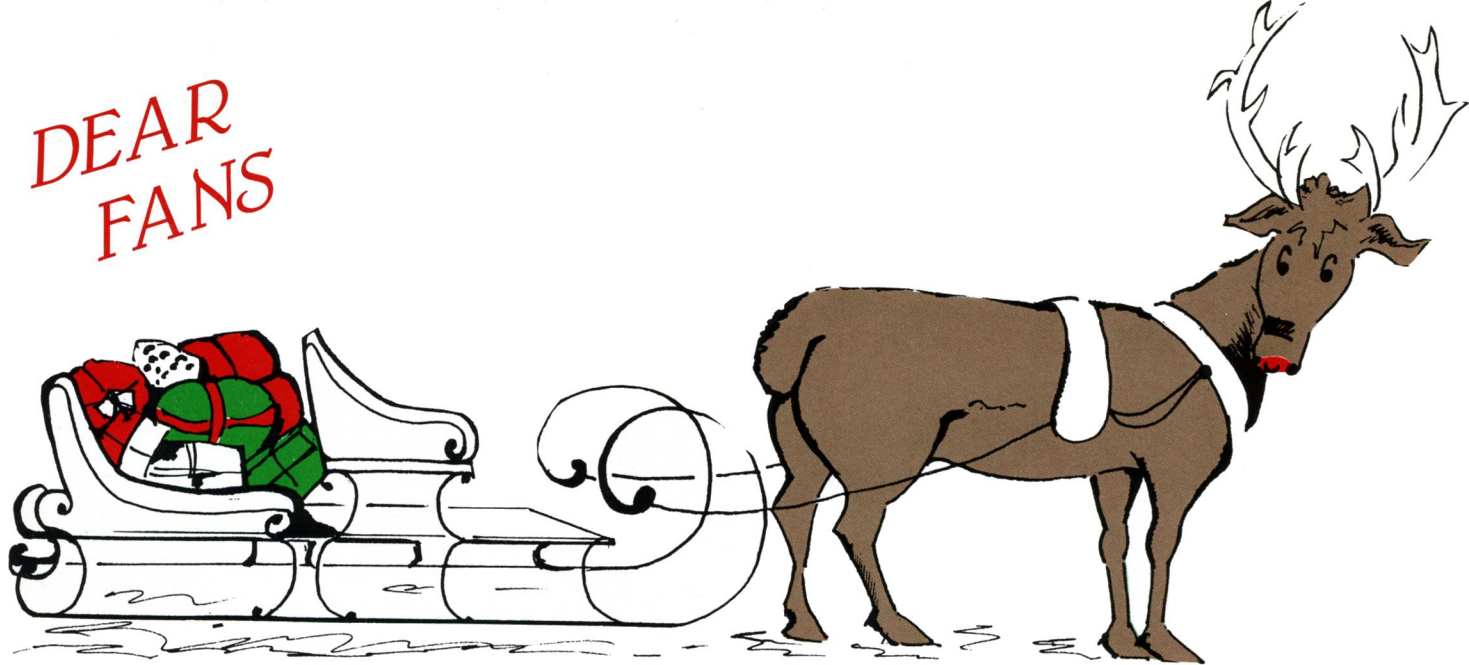


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DEAR
FANS



Everyone at the fan club would like to wish you all a Happy Christmas and a healthy and prosperous New Year.

We would like to thank all for your full support over the past few years..

Let's all love to Everyone!

Angie

KIM

*Merry Xmas
Love from
Sofie Wildo
(E)*

Ruth Wildo

*Wendy
Cov.*

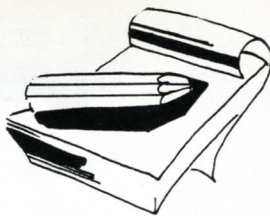
Mindy







QUESTIONS



ANSWERS

Question one. From Jannie Hartman, Kollumerpomp, Nederland.

"Who is your best friend?"

"How do you get your hair into that style?"

Answers: My best friend is a girl called Claire Smith, an old school friend.

I use setting gel which you can get from any Chemist.

Question two. From Tim Jones, Mold, Clwyd.

"Did you ever release a 'demo' LP in 1982 and, if so, was it studio out-takes?"

"Do you have any Moody Blues records and are Justin and Marty still good friends?"

"Can I have one of your socks?"

Answers: I have no knowledge of a 'demo' LP but, if you've got one, send it in, I'd love to hear it!!!

I don't have any Moody Blues records. My Dad and Justin are still good friends.

Is your nose insured?!

Question three. From David Christe, St. Johns, Isle of Man.

"Is Kim a Stray Cats fan?"

Answer : I think the Stray Cats are great. They have class and a very individual style.

Question four. From Hans Maes, Hout Halem, Belgium.

"Do you autograph each photo separately?"

"What sport would you like to try that you never have?"

Answers: Yes.

I'd like to try parachute jumping but everytime I think about it I tremble!

Question five. From Judy Bush, Brighton.

"What's the best thing about being a star?"

"Was the white Rolls Royce in the Hot for Dogs 'Love Blonde' video your own or was it hired?"

"What exactly is Aerobics?"

Answers: Now and again I get spoiled - and having Fans like you!

My own car is a small old BMW which I wouldn't swop for the world.

Aerobics is toning up the muscles by regulating the oxygen intake by the blood supply, and I recommend it!

Question six. From Barry Owens.

"What is your middle name?"

"What are your favourite boys and girls names?"

"What do you think of boys who have their ears pierced?"

Answers: I'm simply Kim Smith in real life and that's my full name.

John and Margaret.

I don't really care, it's what's between them that counts!

Question seven. From Samantha Nash, Fleetwood, Lancs.

"How old was Kim when she took her driving test?"

"Who was the blonde woman with Kim when she went to 'Battle of the Bands'?"

"What was the last record Kim bought?"

Answers: I was seventeen.

Joyce Wilde, my mum!

I sponge most of my records off of record executives but I did buy an old Simple Minds album recently.

Question eight. From Henk Lappee.

"What were you doing before you started reading this letter (or pile of letters)?"

"Is it true that you went on a course to cure your fear of speaking in public, heights, spiders and nervousness?" (I read it in a Dutch magazine.)

"Is it true you'll be appearing in a Movie with Barry Sheene?"

Answers: I'd just got into the office straight from rehearsals for the European Tour.

I did do a course but I'd prefer to keep it a secret.

No! I don't know where that story came from!

Question nine. From Klaus Schultz, Romerberg 3, West Germany.

"Do you speak any German?"

"Do you like football?"

"Have you ever visited Germany for a holiday?"

Answers: No, I don't speak German but I'd like to learn. Football doesn't do much for me but most of my friends like it.

I've only ever been to do TV shows and now we're doing some dates there on the tour, but some day I'd love to spend a holiday in Germany.

Question ten. From Richard Stone, Godstone, Surrey.

"Is there any convention to be held where all the members can meet each other?"

"Where can I get hold of any 12" imports of Kim?"

"Which of Kim's songs does she like best?" Which of Marty's singles does he like best?"

Answers: There's no convention, but it's a great idea.

If you can't get them locally try the Virgin Stores in London or get in touch with EMI in London.

My favourite single is Cambodia. Marty's is Endless Sleep, his first hit record.

Question eleven. From Julie Deavers, Champaigne, USA.

"Do you still enjoy writing poetry?"

"What do you do for fun on Saturday nights?"

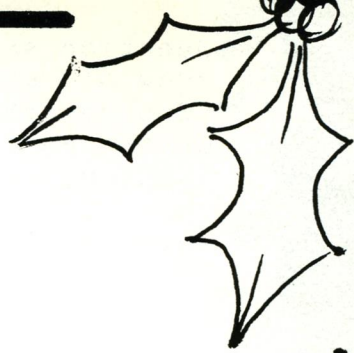
"Do you have any plans to tour the United States?"

Answers: Yes, I do write poetry but it's not very good!!

I'll give you thre guesses!

Yes I have, my office tells me we might be going next year.

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QUESTIONS
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ANSWERS



Question twelve. From David Reeves, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.

"What is your favourite keepsake?"

"What makes you smile most?"

"When are you happiest?"

"Will you ever do a concert tour of Western Canada?"

Answers: A pair of earrings a fan sent me.

Happy children.

When I get a rare holiday.

I hope so, maybe when I also go to the States.

Question thirteen. From Susanna Ritan, Valkeala, Finland.

"Which do you prefer, tea or coffee?"

"Do you like Limahl and do you know him personally?"

Answers: Coffee.

I don't know Limahl but we did meet for a photo once. He seems O.K.

Question fourteen. From Jane Brisbane, Redditch, Worcs.

"Will you be bringing out a video of your 'First Time Out' programme or of the singles?"

"On your first album cover who are the group with you?"

Answers: No, but we do have plans for a video showcase.

They are Ricky Wilde, Kelvin Most and James

Stevenson. Since then I've got a new band.

Question fifteen. From Susan Sharp, Normanton, West Yorks.

"Who is your favourite singer or group and why?"

Answer: I don't really have favourites, I think I admire any singer or group who have their own style and sound.

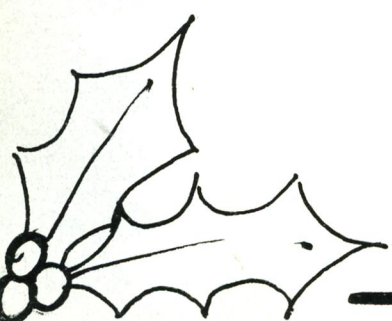
swaps & sells

Cheryl Morgan has an extensive selection of Duran Duran stuff (books, posters, mags. etc), the singles 'Rio', 'My own way', 'Girls on film', 'Hungry like the wolf', both LPs plus three large posters, also a large selection on Toyah and Adam and the Ants to swap for anything on Kim Wilde especially posters, photos, the cassettes 'Kim Wilde' and 'Select' and absolutely anything else. Also anything on the film 'Flashdance'.

address: 10, Kent Close, Diggle, Oldham. 013 5PN.

POEM

Kim we love you, Kim we do,
Though you may be far away,
We think of you.
There's no-one quite like Kim,
And I know you will agree,
Kim is fantastic,
The best artiste in the world.
Kim we love you, Kim we do,
Kim we love you,
And we'll love you for evermore.







Fan Club
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Tuija Valjus

Pibz

(Anonymous)

Sylvie Bose

Pia Christiansen





Claire Reynolds (nearly 16) would like a male or female penpal from anywhere in the world. Claire likes listening to Kim, Kajagoogoo, Duran Duran, Bucks Fizz, Toyah and Culture Club. Her hobbies are collecting records, posters, articles, badges etc. of Kim and all sport. Dislikes smoking, heavy metal and big-heads!

Address: 30 Brooklane Field, Harlow, Essex, England.

Kevin Watts (15) would like a penpal (preferably female) aged 15 who doesn't live in the UK. He likes Kim, Madness, Yazoo, Imagination, sport, films and music. Dislikes smoking, heavy metal and unfriendly people.

Address: 60 Anderson Road, Chells, Stevenage, Herts, England.

Jane Brisbane likes listening to records and collecting paper cutings. Jane's favourite groups are Kim Wilde (the best!), Duran Duran, Nick Heyward, Toyah, Thompson Twins, Tears for Fears, and most other pop music. Also likes watching videos, looking through pop mags. and books and sleeping. She'd like to be a hairdresser and do pop stars hair!

Address: Jane Brisbane, 75 South Crest Road, Lodge Park, Redditch, Worcestershire.

Marie Muller wants a penpal, 17-24. Marie likes Kim, dancing, TV, cinema, Denver, Dallas and animals.

Address: Jeggener Weg 36, 45 Osmabruck, West Germany.

David Reeves is looking for a penpal. He's 22 and likes music, tram and train travel, photography and curvaceous blondes! David hates boredom and rude people. He loves listening to Kim, Olivia Newton John, Duran Duran, the Beatles and the Rolling Stones. Especially wants to hear from people who can help build his new Kim Wilde memorabilia collection. He has material on American Acts to trade.

Address: 12841-89 Street, Edmonton, Alberta, T5E 3J8, Canada.

Grant Garland would be interested in corresponding with anyone on a regular basis, mainly about music but particularly about Kim. He also likes Bananarama, Madness and Spandau Ballet.

Address: 523 Franks Lane, Cumberland, MD 21502, USA.

competition

Can you find the 20 Song Titles hidden in the grid below?

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Competition set by Richard Rhodes, Warmington, Peterborough.

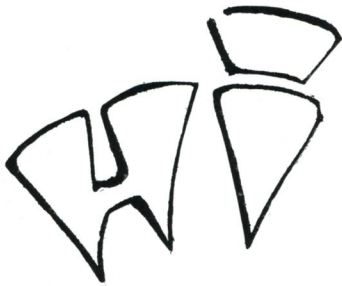
COMPETITION WINNER

Karine Mehanek, 5 Allee Maurice Ravel, 95 210 Saint Gratien, France.

RUNNER UP

Kim Biddell, 5 Barnett Road, Steventon, Nr. Abingdon, Oxon.

It appears this competition was too easy because so many of you got it right! The two winners were the first out of the hat. Sorry, the rest of you, better luck next time!



At the moment I've just returned from doing the first TV for my new single 'Dancing in the Dark'. The show is called RAZZAMATAZZ and will probably be shown about the time you receive this letter.

I've also been doing a lot of TV's in France for 'Love Blonde' which is doing very well out there. I got to walk halfway up the Eiffel Tower while I was there. Only problem was, I had a pair of stilletoes on at the time!!

Today I spent some time with some people interested in lighting and designing the stage set for the European Tour I'll be doing in November/December. I'd love to hear from any of you who may have ideas.

Tomorrow it's off for yet another photo session. I seem to pose a lot more than sing nowadays! Although that will change very soon as we start rehearsals for our tour next week.

We have changed the line up in the band. We've got a new drummer called Boris and a keyboard player called Kevin. Sadly Ricky won't be touring with me this year as our new studio will be completed very shortly and he will be absorbed in trying to make out how it all works!

Recently I've been looking around for new clothes. I looked in my wardrobe the other day and realized that I'd brought very few clothes, in fact, some of them I remember wearing when I was sixteen!

So out I went to buy some clothes with a couple of mates of mine. We ended up in a shop in Knightsbridge, London, and my friend saw some boots she liked. Well she's one of those people who take ages deciding on anything and I was getting a bit restless as she almost went through the entire collection.

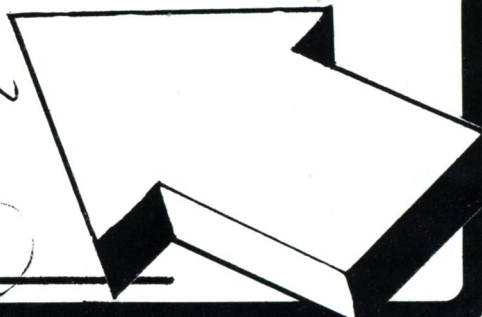
So I decided to take a wander outside and who should I see walking towards me but DUSTIN HOFFMAN. Immediately I rushed in and dragged my friend out to have a look, only I was in such a rush I nearly knocked him over! Thankfully he walked on without too much fuss and obviously didn't know me. He probably thought I was another of those hysterical women who fall all over him!!

I'm so star struck it's embarrassing!

I hope you're all well and enjoying being in this club. Did you like the photo montage on the last booklet? I collected all the pictures sent in and gradually filled up a huge frame of you all. Don't you all look funny!!

Take care and hopefully see you soon.

Kevin





TOUR



As I write this Kim is about to go on stage in Brussels for the first show of her 'Catch '83' European Tour! Sitting at home, we can only imagine the excitement, but for the 1800 fans packed into the theatre the atmosphere will be for real. I just wish we could all be there with her on this, her big night.

By the time you read this, some of you will have been lucky enough to have seen her at one of the fifteen venues covering nine countries. Those of us who couldn't can only envy you! But you never know what 1984 will hold and Kim is sure to be touring again soon.

This time round she's going to Brussels (Mechelen) in Belgium, Lyon and Paris in France, Basle and Lausanne in Switzerland, Vienna in Austria, Utrecht in Holland, Hamburg, Offenbach and Dusseldorf in Germany, Copenhagen in Denmark, Stockholm and Karlskoga in Sweden and finally Helsinki and Oulu in Finland.

Kim's taking a six piece band and a massive PA system that will ensure that everyone hears everything clearly, something that's very important, especially when she's playing venues which hold seven, eight and even nine thousand people! The power of the PA system is actually 18,000 watts and, when you consider that most home hi-fi stereo units are about twenty watts, you can imagine how much power it has and how good the sound should be!

We will be preparing a 'Tour Special' for the next Newsletter with lots of information and photos - perhaps we'll be able to give you a bit of an insight into just what it's like to live 'on the road' for a month, but I'm sure that most of you realise it's no holiday!

Kim's brother, Ricki, isn't playing live with Kim on this tour, because he's too busy with the new recording studio which is just about to be finished. You may have read about the studio in the press, but for Ricki and Kim it's like a dream come true. It's quite staggering how much time and effort goes in to building a recording studio, and just how many qualified experts are needed. We're going to try and sneak our way into the studio in the next couple of weeks and if we do you'll see photos and be able to learn much more about it in the next Newsletter.



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