

"Wilde Connection"



Issue 3

Hi everyone,

and welcome to issue 3. ABOUT TIME TO!! I hear you cry, OK, We owe you all an apology. We've been moving home, or trying to, and at last we've made it. Now we can get on with the more important things in life, like Kim, and more Kim, and.... i think you get the picture.

As we promised 4 magazines in a year, we've extended year one, to make sure we get everything in, who else would change the calendar for you! Since issue No 2, We've had the release of "I can't say goodbye" in the UK, but sadly not released anywhere else, i hope you all managed to get your copies outside the UK, if you've had difficulties, let us know, and we'll try to help.

A big thanks to all who sent birthday cards for our "Kim special". We took it over to "Select" on the day, and due to the party, we didn't get to see Kim, but the cards were taken to her personally, by a friend. Thanks again for your support.

Earlier this year Kim appeared at a charity concert in february, looking, and sounding absolutely fabulous. I think you'll all agree that Kim has never looked better, and seems to be enjoying life to the full. Also, on radio 1 on easter Monday, Kim joined Gary Davies on a trip around the city, collecting easter eggs. Anyone got any photo's? unfortunately, we couldn't get to this one. Severe depression for a week!!

More recently Kim opened a fete at a school for handicapped children at welwyn garden city, close to home. See inside for details.

As for the new LP, Kim has been writing, and everyone is pleased with the progress so far, we understand there may be one or two guest writers, should be interesting. I know the "team" want's to make this the best ever, so i guess we will need to be patient a little longer i fear.

Kim tells me two tracks have now been completed, and everything is coming along nicely. We should see the result's early next year, and i can't wait!

Well, as this has taken so long, i'm starting No 4 now, see you all next time.

Have a nice day.

Hi everyone,
etc etc!!!

Dee & Ray



A GREAT 'LIVE' SHOT FROM 1983

FOR THE RECORD.

Our thanks to all who sent information. Were always looking for anything we've missed, so we can keep you up to date, please keep the letters coming.

Our thanks to THOMAS PEDERSON for the following:-

"IT'S HERE" / "VIRTUAL WORLD".

MCA 229257275-4

This cassette single was released in Australia, with the standard PS, reduced on the front cover (see pic).

Our thanks to ADRIE ROMBOUITS for these 4 different polish cassette versions of :-

"LOVE MOVES"	TACT	067
	MJ	MJ003
	EURO-MARC	EM103
	MAG MAGIC	MM-0273

the first 2 have a reduced version of the standard pic sleeve. The third has a slightiy diff PS, from the same session but the fourth has used a pic from the "CGE" session, an interesting choice!

"IT'S HERE" / "IT'S HERE" SPANISH PROMO NON PS.
CARA 1.281

"CAN'T GET ENOUGH" / CGE SPANISH PROMO NON PS..
CARA 1.315

"WORLD IN PERFECT HARMONY" / CGE.

7" 9031-72855-7

CD 9031-72856-2

Released in France and Germany i hope you all have your copies by now if not let us know and we'll try to help.

"I CAN'T SAY GOODBYE" / SANJAZZ MEGAMIX.

7"	KIM	14	7" BOX SET	KIM B14
12"	KIM	T14	CD	DKIM T14

CASSETTE KIM C14

There was also a 7" promo - WKIM 14
and a 12" promo of SANJAZZ WKIM T14

You May be interested in 2 fairly recent releases, not by Kim, but one cover version, and one of Kims songs.

"KID'S IN AMERICA" - a really WILD cover version by LAWNMOWERDETH. Not a lot i can say about this really, except it's probably only of interest to real collectors!

CD MOSH 39 CD 2 DIFF, VERSIONS.

And now, a single released by CHARLEY, "THE BEST THING". The CD release contained a track "YOU DON'T KNOW ME" penned by Kim and Tony Swain. I bet this one slipped by you all!! Thanks to Andy Pollock for bringing my attention to it. One listen will confirm Kim's style, actually it's quite good, and Tony produced all the tracks. Some of you may know CHARLEY from the BBC-TV "BYKER GROVE" Program. I wonder why Kim didn't record it?

BIG WORLD RECORDS BIW CD 012

Well, that's all for this time folks. Keep sending the information, and we'll tell everyone in the club.



POLISH CASSETTE.

TACT RELEASE.

Kim Wilde
LOVE MOVES



POLISH CASSETTE.



MJ RELEASE.



POLAND CASSETTE.

EURO-MARC.

KIM WILDE
LOVE MOVES

KIM WILDE
LOVE
MOVES

POLISH CASSETTE.

MAG MAGIC.



MM-0273





KIM WILDE

"IT'S HERE"

"IT'S HERE"

SPAIN.



KIM WILDE

"CAN'T GET ENOUGH"

"CAN'T GET ENOUGH"

SPAIN.

KISSABLE

CUDDLY Kim Wilde has the most luscious lips in rock

And they're panting with promise.

The curvacious sex kitten just knocks out her fans.

And so does her music. Kim's third smash in four months, *Water on Glass*, has rocketed to the No. 7 spot in our charts, and is destined to be next week's number one.

Kim is also one of the new breed of rock's liberated ladies.

The 20-year-old daughter of Piffies rocker Marty Wilde says: "I feel that people have a lot more freedom to be individual these days — you've only got to look at young people's fashion to see that.

Free

"They aren't scared to be themselves anymore. People — including women — are much more in control of their lives."

Kim is certainly in control.

She says: "You don't need a movement like women's lib to do it. Any woman can be as free and feminine as she wants. I know I am."

Kim is well aware of the connection between pop and sex. She says: "Songs and performers do



BY
**RICK
SKY**

turn people on. There is no doubt about that."

And she should know... for Kim is Britain's top juvenile pin-up, thousands of boys have her pictures pinned up all over their bedrooms.

That flatters Kim: She says: "There's no harm in it. But I don't think it's the be all and end all. Creating good songs is more important to me."

Though Kim is an incurable romantic, she has no steady man in her life.

She says: "Other papers have tried to link me with various men, but it's just their imagination running away with them.

"I haven't fallen in love for some time. I just haven't found anyone really, and I am very choosy. But I'm

KIM

not particularly hankering after a man in my life.

"A lot of girls feel naked without a boyfriend, but I don't. I don't feel the need to have a boyfriend just for the sake of it."

Kim gets letters by the sackful from male fans proposing marriage, but she modestly and unbelievably admits: "I don't even think I am anything stunning. It's just makeup in the right places."

Complex

"As a teenager, I never thought of myself as being glamorous.

"I suffered from a massive inferiority complex till I was 17. Then a handsome prince came into my life, you could say.

"At last I had a boyfriend who made me feel I was something special and at the same time my life generally got much better. I've never looked back."

THIS ONE'S FOR THE GUY'S!

DISCOGRAPHY.

THE RAK YEARS - PT 3.

This was to be the end of an era. The partnership with Micky Most's RAK label had seen Kim's 5 top 20 hits, but could not sustain this success. The last 2 singles this year, 1983 had mixed success, but signaled a change was needed. The last LP with RAK faired little better but this was only a pause in Kim's recording career.

LOVE BLONDE / CAN YOU HEAR IT. RAK 360 7"

Released UK 18th JULY '83, charted 30-7-83 highest Pos. 23

Issued in all major countries, except Japan + USA. PS remained basically the same everywhere. Various w/label promo's exist from UK and Spain.

12" LOVE BLONDE. THIS WAS THE FIRST UK 12",
12 RAKS 360

Same PS as 7", also included a poster of rear sleeve pic.

7" w/label changes hands for around £15-00

12" w/label changes hands for around £18-20

DANCING IN THE DARK / BACK STREET DRIVER.

RAK 365 7"

Released UK 24th OCT. '83, charted 12-11-83 highest Pos. 67

Again issued around the world, even in S-America, Japan, Australia, and Yugoslavia.

UK 7" was issued with a free poster, of the cover pic. This now very difficult to find and has been sold for £30-00.



**KIM
WILDE**

**LOVE
BLONDE**





Australia 7" RAK 1143 "Review and demo copy".
Value £12-00
Dutch 7" RAK has a 3-D sleeve!!
Value £30-00
Yugoslavia 7" SRAK89042 has a Dark green side
strip Value £10-00

12" UK DANCING ETC / EXTENDED / INSTRUMENTAL
12 RAK 365

12" UK WHITE LABEL PROMO Value £15-00 +
" " " " " on 2 separate Disc's

DISC 1 has 'A' SIDE

DISC 2 has 'B' SIDE

This is extremely rare and would sell at £35-00 +

CATCH AS CATCH CAN.

Released in November '83, it was to be the last
RAK "new" release (Best of to follow in '84),
signaling the end of the "MICKEY MOST" era, that
had done so much for Kim in the past. All issues
in the same PS worldwide.

It is undoubtably Kim's rarest LP, and
unfortunately the least successful, although i
still have a soft spot for it (remember 'sparks').

LP SRAK 1654081 CASS. TC SRAK 1654081

ATAK 63 (RE-ISSUE).

CD. !

OWN-UP, WHOOSE GOT ONE!

If we've Missed anything you have, just let us
know. (as usual).

This is the final RAK section as Kim moved on to
MCA for 1984, with quite a change of image to come
it also sporned the most collectable of all Kims
recordings, "CATCH AS CATCH CAN" CD - the rarest
of them all. It has recently changed hands in
excess of £100, so it's time to start saving!!

ONCE again, Kim has been pleased to be involved in charitable causes for children. We do not intend to report them all but this one was for everyone.

On 29th January, Kim appeared with Midge Ure, Jools Holland, and Nick Lowe, it was called "The Rock-A-Baby concert". This very enjoyable evening was in aid of the maternity unit at HOMERTON HOSPITAL, in London.

Kim looked great, and came on to join Midge and his band to sing "TRACKS OF MY TEARS" "WONDERFULL WORLD" and "DANCING IN THE STREET". Sounding great, Kim returned later to join Jools Holland's finale. Having changed into a different dress, Kim looked absolutely stunning. The final song was "SHAKE, RATTLE AND ROLL".

It was good to also see Joyce and Nick (sitting next to us!).





KIM AT "ROCK-A-BABY".

On June 29th, Kim kindly agreed to open a fete, in Welwyn Garden City, quite close to home (at the sametime, dad opened another close-by!)

The fete was in aid of the lakeside school for the handicapped. One of our intrepid club members was there to greet Kim, and thoroughly enjoyed escorting Kim around during the afternoon.

Kim met many of the children, and visitors, and signed many autographs, as usual. Later, Kim Judged the fancy dress competition and there were many side shows and games.

The event was a great success, raising a total of £2,300 for this very worthy cause.





MAIL BAG.

Thanx for all your letters over the recent month's. It's always great to hear from so many of you, and as always, we will reply to you personally. One or two things have come in and we would like to share them with you.

Firstly, our congratulations go to Andrew Lyon Tupman, who showed impeccable taste in asking Gillian Guilford to share the future together. They were married on 12th January. Our first wedding!! We wish you all the best for the future, and thanx to you both for your hospitality on our recent visit.

Our congratulations also go to Andrea and Pat Marchant, who took the plunge on June 8th i know you are both very happy, and we send you our best wishes for your future happiness. Nice to see you both recently.

However, you have been beaten in the race to produce our first "Junior" member!! This honour must go to Mike and Mandy Keller, congratulations on the birth of your little "Wild one", Patrick Michael on June 28th. i bet he's grown a lot since this pic.

If you have any good news, let us know. We love to know what you all get up to (within reason!).

Thanx also for all the discography additions. We have used some, and the others will come in as we progress. As for your requests, we'll include them wherever possible. We'd especially like to hear from you if you've seen Kim on tour 1984,85,86,87, and the more recent David Bowie dates. so come on, time to get writing

Finally, some of you have been asking about Marty. Well, he is still very busy, playing dates all over the UK. His band, the "WILDCATS"

comprise of 2 lead guitarists, a bass and a drummer. They have been playing together for sometime now, and i know Kim will agree when i say they sound great. Get along to see Marty if you can. Marty is also very involved in Kims new LP, and waiting to get into the studio to record himself. That's something we really look forward to.

We will be seeing Marty again very soon, and will report back to you. We also met Kim last week, and she tells us that the LP is coming together nicely. With 2 tracks already completed, she was quite excited, and looking forward to the coming months. Incidentally, Kim looked great as always. More on this meeting next time.





WELCOME TO
PATRICK MICHAEL
OUR FIRST LITTLE "WILD" ONE.

SWAPS 'N' SELLS.

We've had some interesting letters this time, so eyes down, and we hope you all find your wants.

Erwin is looking for all the RAK 12" singles, all the USA and JAPAN releases, and special Euro-releases, like "VIEW" - from FRANCE AND "CHILD" from SPAIN etc.
He has a lot of special items to offer in return.

ERWIN DE BUSSCHER.

PR. A. LODEWIJCKXSTR 10
2221 HEISTOPDENBERG
BELGIUM.

Ian is looking for "TRIO" the 3 LP BOXED SET from FRANCE, "IT'S HERE" counter display, "ANOTHER STEP" first issue CD, UK cuttings and singles. He has many interesting things to trade.

IAN COXSHALL

18 BURNHAM CLOSE
ENFIELD
MIDDX. EN1-3RA.
ENGLAND.

Pat has lot's of Kimmy items for sale or trade. He is especially looking for "CHEQUERED LOVE" 12", "WATER ON GLASS" 7" from HOLLAND, "WEIRD SCIENCE" LP or CD, and the infamous "CATCH" JAPANESE CD (Best of luck with this one!).

PAT MARCHANT.

88 BENTRY ROAD
DAGENHAM
ESSEX. RM8-3PP.
ENGLAND.

And finally,

Terry has a lot of Kim rarities to sell (or trade for "CATCH" CD).

SET SALE.

LP	SELECT (COVER IN POOR COND)	SPAIN	£5
"	SELECT	GREECE	£5
"	CATCH AS CATCH CAN	GREECE	£15
"	TOP 16	FRANCE	£10
12"	LOVE BLONDE PS (NO POSTER)	SPAIN	£7
12"	SAY YOU REALLY... MCA 23678		
	GREEN PS	USA	£7
12"	" " " WITH VIDEO POSTER		
	PS	UK	£7
12"	YOU CAME WITH GREAT DIFF, PS	CANADA	£15
7"	THE SECOND TIME PIC DISC	UK	£10
7"	SAY YOU REALLY... G/FOLD PS	UK	£6
7"	ANOTHER STEP PROMO DIFF, PS	USA	£8
7"	LES NUITS SANS K.W. (L-VOULZY)		
	RARE	FRANCE	£15
7"	NEVER TRUST... G/FOLD PS	UK	£7
7"	LOVE IN THE... POSTER PS	UK	£7
7"	YOU CAME BOX+POSTER+CARDS	UK	£10
7"	4 LETTER WORD BOX+CALENDAR	UK	£10
S/MUSIC	- CHEQUERED LOVE	UK	£5
"	WATER ON GLASS	UK	£5
"	HANGIN' ON	CANADA	£5

COVER PIC - DRAWN BY KATHLEEN GUILFORD.
(GILLIANS MUM).

AUCTION.

MB = MINIMUM BID.

- 12" LOVE BLONDE - W/L T/P WT SLV. UK MB £10
 12" DANCING IN THE DARK - " " " " " " £10
 7" RAGE TO LOVE - " " PS UK MB £10
 7" BITTER IS BETTER - JAPAN PS MB £15
 7" SAY YOU REALLY..PROMO MCA 52925 V-RARE
 FIRST USA "R-SCARED" PS MB £25
 7" SAY YOU REALLY..PROMO MCA 52925 CANADA
 THIS IS IT! THE VERY RARE STOCK COPY, contains
 the INSTRUMENTAL VERSION of say you really,
 only available in CANADA! NO PS. one of Kims
 rarest singles. MB £40

please write to;

TERRY LESKEWICH
 BOX 7035 STATION M.
 EDMONTON ALBERTA
 CANADA. T5E-5S9.

All prices listed in £ UK. Set sale items sold on
 a first come, first served basis, so please write
 first. Terry will reply with postal rates etc.

Only winners will be notified in the auction
 please note, no telephone reservations.

So, we wish you all happy hunting. If you've
 anything to sell, swop, or anything you want,
 just let us know, and we'll tell **everyone!**



LIVE AT THE DIAMOND AWARDS - ANTWERP.