

DAVID to go on tour if we all write to him, too, just like I suggested above for the WILLIAMS TWINS.

Does that sound like it might work to you? I think maybe if every one of you wrote to DAVID maybe we could convince him to tour this summer! Why not send your letters to DAVID right here at Tiger Beat. If we all address them to DAVID ON TOUR, Tiger Beat Magazine, 7060 Hollywood Blvd., #800, Hollywood, California 90028, then I can send those on to him as I get them—and maybe we'll convince him to visit your town this summer!



DAVID WANTED ME TO tell everybody "thank you so much" for all the wonderful gifts and cards he received for his 23rd birthday! David had lots of fun opening all the packages Tiger Beat delivered to his door and wishes he could give YOU a hug and a kiss to let you know how much he appreciates your thinking of him! We couldn't print everybody's name in Tiger Beat, but if you're one of David's fans, you know he loves you lots!

And, while we're talking about DAVID, did you know that he's been appointed Chairman of the Special Olympics for Retarded Children? The Special Olympics is a program for mentally retarded youngsters which provides opportunities in physical education, sports, and recreation. Every state, except North Carolina, participates in this program and each year in the summer there is an event at the Los Angeles Coliseum which allows these children to participate in their own Olympic Games.

Of course this is a charity and it needs funds, so the California organization is sponsoring a contest! Everyone who sends in one dollar or more with a suggested slogan for Special Olympics will be considered for a prize—a chance to come to Hollywood and have a lunch date with DAVID! (Sorry, but this contest is open to California residents only.)

To enter, send your name, address, a contribution of one dollar or more to: California Special Olympics, Box 4563, Pasadena, California 91106. Include a

slogan that you believe best expresses the spirit behind the Special Olympics, for example, "Special Games for Special People." Entries must be received by July 1, 1973.

If you'd like to contribute to the Special Olympics fund in your state, you can find the address in your phone book, under Special Olympics. If you can't, ask your telephone operator for assistance!



UP AND COMING LESLIE John is a new singer with a great sound. Listen for his first single release! Wow!

The BRADY BUNCH's MAUREEN McCORMICK returned from Georgia where she was Grand Marshall of the Atlanta Dogwood Festival Children's Parade. Over 600 schools and youth organizations were invited to participate in the parade and children of ages 6 to 12 built all the floats themselves! The BRADYs are having a great time touring the country doing concerts and they've got a great show!

The RASPBERRIES are busy again cutting an album in Ohio, but they've got a problem they'd like you to help them with! They just can't agree on a name for the new album! Their first one was called "Raspberries," their second was "Fresh Raspberries!" Why don't you help the RASPBERRIES out by sending your suggestion on a post card to: RASPBERRIES' RECORD, Tiger Beat Magazine, 7060 Hollywood Blvd., #800, Hollywood, California 90028! The RASPBERRIES are coming into town any day now, and they'll go over all the entries and select 5 of the best! The 5

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