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Hello there!

*I*t's Jubilation Week here at the office – well, it has been ever since the first moment we heard that the Partridges would soon be flying back on the box!

But it's no thanks to the Beeb, I'm afraid. And the really big hang-up right now is that many of you won't be able to see the show at all – for a while at least. You see, at time of going to press, only the London Weekend station has picked up the programme, which leaves all folks who don't live in the London area exactly where they've been since last year!

Well, it looks as though we're back with the Partridge petitions again, folks! I know you're prepared to do pretty well anything to get David back on your screens again – I've seen your BBC battles with my own eyes, haven't I? And, you know, I'm certain that those Beeb demos weren't wasted. . . . They made a whole lot of people sit up and take notice of David and the Partridges. . . . They may well have even influenced the guys at the top in London Weekend!

At least we can cross the Beeb off our list for the future, though! This is your cue to get your pens out again and start writing to your local independent TV company. I haven't forgotten that an awful lot of you have already written one letter several months ago. But it's time for another one now! Now that London Weekend has taken the first step, the others are far, far more likely to listen to you, and ACT on the idea!

So come on now! It's over to you!

Meanwhile, for any Londoners who might have missed out on the important details: the time to tune in is 12.00 noon on Saturday, 21st October.

And now back to business . . . in what little space I've left myself! Did you know that there is now an even better mini-poster of David in the Fan Club Wallet? We felt we had to do something to celebrate David's visit, so we went a bit mad and made it more like a maxi-mini-poster! (It's 20" x 15" to be exact). And it's the most beautiful pic of David we could lay our hands on. So, as every single pic of David sets hearts beating faster, you can imagine that this one really is something special!

The idea is that the wallets should get better and better and that's why right now we are working on more photos of the Partridge Family, so before long at least one 'family' shot should be going in as well! Don't worry – you won't lose any of the David goodies. . . this is an "extra" not an "instead", because we know that you want to keep in touch with every single member of your wonderful group.

Susie