



Tiger Beat Q & A



Q. I heard that Bobby Sherman has contact lenses, and that Barry Williams wears glasses. Please tell me if this is true.

A. No, Bobby does not wear contact lenses or glasses and Barry does not wear glasses either.

Q. I read that Jack Wild has a nickname (Splosh). Can you please tell me how he got the nickname?

A. Sure. Jack was nicknamed Splosh by one of his school masters. He doesn't remember why the school master called him that, but he was the only person who ever did. Also, that's the only nickname he's ever had.



Jack

Bobby

Q. Please answer my letter quickly. I'm really disgusted with Bobby Sherman if it is true. I heard that he eloped with some girl named Amy. Is it true?

A. Not a word of it! So, don't be angry with Bobby for something you heard.

Q. I read in a magazine that Len Whiting was married in England and he was hiding his wife because he didn't want to ruin his career with all of the teenagers. Is this true?

A. No, Len is NOT married!

Q. I've heard that the Galloping Gourmet is blind. Can that be?

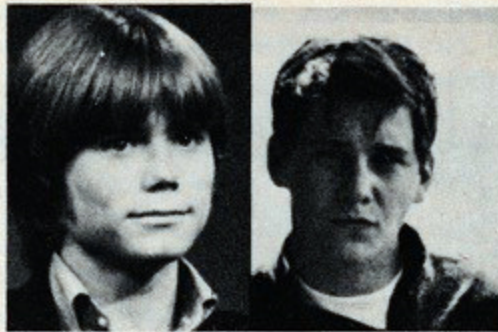
A. Nope!

Q. I actually have two questions and I hope you can answer them for me: 1. When are David, Linda, and Talia expected to return from England? 2. Is that Ami Dolenz in the Gerber baby food advertisements?

A. David, Linda and Talia were only in England for six weeks at Christmastime, then they returned to America. David does plan to return to England for awhile to do some British TV shows and a pantomime show this summer, but right now he's in America. No, although Sammy and Micky have thought about having Ami do some commercials, they are going to wait until she's a little older. She hasn't done any ads as yet.

Q. Is the Jon Provost that starred in "The Computer Wore Tennis Shoes" the same Jon Provost that starred in the "Lassie" series a long time ago?

A. It's the same person. Jon was 7 years old when he began making "Lassie." He's now 20.



Jon

Tim

Q. Could you please tell me if a Tim Matheson plays on the "Virginian" as Jim and was in "Yours, Mine and Ours"? He is really great! If I'm right, please tell me something about him.

A. Yes, that's the same Tim, although his name when he made "Yours, Mine and Ours" was Matthieson. He shortened his name to Matheson when he joined the cast of "The Virginian," however, he won't be on the show next season when it will be called "The Men From Shiloh." Lately Tim has been decorating his home—he and his wife are both antique "nuts." Also, he has been spending much of his time writing screenplays.

Q. Isn't Michael Cole on one of the Pepsi Cola commercials?

A. No, Michael has never done a commercial.



Mike

Michael

Q. I heard that Michael Vincent was one of the singers of the "Banana Splits" group. If so, which one?

A. No, Michael is not a singer for any group. He does appear as an actor in "Danger Island," the adventure-drama serial that is shown as part of the "Banana Splits Comedy Hour," but he IS NOT one of the Banana Splits!

Q. Does Barry Williams have any brothers or sisters?

A. Yes, Barry has two older brothers, Scott and Craig.

Q. I would like to know if Bridget Hanley's hair is really that long and thick or is it a fall?

A. The only part of Bridget's hair that is not her own is the curls on top; they are a wiglet. The rest is her own.



Bridget

Bill

Q. I would like to know a little about what's happened to Angela Cartwright and Billy Mummy. I would like to know if they are married? If so, do they have any children?

A. Bill (as he likes to be called, not Billy) has a rock group of his own and does guest appearances on television shows now and then. He recently did an episode of "Here Come the Brides." Neither Bill or Angela is married. Angela has been modeling and finishing up high school. She graduated in June. In May, she began working on "The Danny Thomas Show," which is an up-to-date version of "Make Room For Daddy," which will be seen on ABC-TV next season.

Q. Are Karen Valentine and Sally Field related in any way? They look so much alike.

A. No, they are not related.



Karen

David

Q. Does David Cassidy own any animals? Does he like animals?

A. David loves animals, and he has a dog named Sam.