

DEAR CAROL

Q. Is it true that David Cassidy has a glass eye? If so, why? V.W.—British Columbia, Canada

A. Congratulations for sending in this month's silliest rumor! No, he does not have a glass eye.

Q. Every time my girlfriend and I see Rob Grill he has on long sleeve shirts. Now there is a rumor going around our school that Rob was in a fire and his arms were all scarred up. Please tell us if it's true. J.B.—Sloatsburg, N.Y.

A. No, it's not true. Rob just happens to like long sleeved shirts. And if you'll look in the November 1971 issue of FLIP, you'll find some pictures of Rob fishing and he's got on short sleeves.

Q. I hope you can settle this argument between me and my dumb brother. He says that Danny Hutton is the brother of Gunilla Hutton of "Hee Haw" and the actor Robert Hutton. I say he's not. Who's right? G.M.—Harvest, Ma.

A. You are right. Danny doesn't have any brothers or sisters in show business.



Mark Lindsay



Sandy Duncan

Q. Is it true that when David Cassidy had his gall bladder attack he was in Minnesota and they flew him back to California? J.M.—Inver Grove Heights, Minn.

A. No, David was in California when it happened.

Q. Is it true that Maureen McCormick smokes? A.R.—Frankfort,

A. No, lovely Maureen doesn't smoke.

Q. I am 10 years old. In your November issue, you said that Donny Osmond was in the hospital for surgery. Then in an earlier issue you said that David Cassidy was dying of gall bladder surgery. What I mean to ask is should I believe everything in the magazines? S.R.—Cumberland, R.I.

A. Yes, you should believe everything you read in FLIP—I can't account for any other magazines. But be sure you read correctly. We never said David was dying of anything. It is true that Donny was in the hospital to have his appendix removed and it is also true that David was in the hospital to have his gall bladder removed. But both are just fine now. Does that clear things up for you?

Q. I heard that Sandy Duncan of "Funny Face" had brain surgery. Is it true? C.B.—Canyon, Tex.

A. Yes, Sandy did have major surgery but it was on her eye. She'd been having eye problems for some time and when they took her into surgery to find out what the problem was they found a tumor on the back of her left eye, which they removed. She is recuperating marvelously now and her series will probably be back on the air next fall.

Q. In the February issue of FLIP you have an article called "David's Life In Pics." A girl is handing David a card. Could you please tell me what was written on the card? J.G.—Council Bluffs, Iowa

A. If you're talking about the picture on the lower right hand corner of page 33, she is not handing him anything. That is just a reflection of the lights behind David. She was just reaching up to touch him.

