

write in

Dear Pat,
I saw the group Ro Ro recently and was greatly impressed. In fact I'll stick my neck out and say they should go far! Please can you tell me the names of the guys in the group?

Carla Ellis—
Leeds, Yorkshire

Ro Ro are Alan Ross (guitar), Andy Sneddon (bass), Eric Brown (keyboards) and Graham Deakin (drums).

Dear Pat,
I've heard that Mrs Jackson makes and designs all her sons fantastic stage costumes. Is this true?

Margery North—
Stroud, Glos.

Well Mrs Jackson is a super mum but she doesn't actually make their stage gear.



Dear Pat,
I've heard that Donny and David have been cast in wax! Please tell me where 'cos I would love to go and see them!

Jill Oakley—
Morecambe, Lancs.

Afraid you'll have to go rather a long way! Their models stand in the San Francisco Wax Museum!



Dear Pat,
I'm mad over Rod Stewart. Please tell me when he was born 'cos I think he's one of the nicest people in the pop scene.

Val Archer—
Workshop, Notts.

Rod was born in London on January 10, 1945. Half an hour after a German V-2 rocket hit the house next door!! A close one that.

Dear Pat,
What kind of car does David Cassidy drive in America? I would sure love to know!

Cheryl Norton—
Hartlepool, Durham

Well, it seems David has three cars! He owns a Corvette but also has a Mustang and a BMW.



Dear Pat,
I've heard the Main Ingredient and I think they're great! I loved their last single: You've Got To Take It. Can you please tell me a little bit about them?

Catherine Vincent—
London

Well there are three of them in the group: Enrique Antonio ('Tony') Silvester, Luther Simmons and Cuba Gooding. They had a Number One in America with Everybody Plays The Fool.



Dear Pat,
Is Jackie Jackson ashamed of his real name? I know he's really called Sigmund.

Ella Blackburn—
Chippenhams, Wilts

Not at all! Jackie's full name is Sigmund Esco Jackson. It's quite a mouthful so he just likes to be called by his nickname—Jackie!

Dear Pat,
I would love to write to the Osmonds in America as I'm one of their greatest fans!

Joey Winthrop—
Workington, Cumberland

One American fan club address coming up! P.O. Box 8368, Salt Lake City, Utah 84108, USA.



Dear Pat,
I think Steve Howe of Yes is really fantastic! Where does he live? One of my friends is convinced he owns a cottage quite near here in Devon.

Hanna Trevall—
Newton Abbot, Devon

Your friend is wrong we're sorry to say! Steve has a flat in Hampstead Heath, London and he's so busy he has little time to spend relaxing in it!

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