

# EVERYBODY'S TALKIN' ABOUT!

This month . . .  
What to hear, what to read, what to see!

## • SINGLES OF THE MONTH:

**David Cassidy: DAYDREAM.** David's new single! It's a remake of an oldie by the Lovin' Spoonful, and the arrangement is just great (no need saying David's great—you knew that already!). We also like the other side, "Can't Go Home Again," written by David, and friends Kim Carnes and Dave Ellingson.

**The New Seekers: THE GREATEST SONG I'VE EVER HEARD.** If you liked the song on "The Helen Reddy Show" this summer, you'll love it on your record player! It's really a pretty song, in New Seekers' style. The flip side, "A Woman Grows," was written by Marty Kristian! Our "Friend" Michael Lloyd produced it!

**Kyle: SHE BRINGS SUNSHINE.** Kyle is a relatively new singer, and he writes his own songs! He sounds very countryish, and he has a sweet, clear voice. You should really get this single and give a listen—he'll be very popular, very soon!

**Purlie: BURGERETTE.** This song is an original one, and is it ever cute! It's a song about a carhop and how she fends off other guys to be true to her boyfriend. It's really danceable (we give it a 95, as they say on "American Bandstand!")—so be sure to give it a listen! (It doesn't hurt that all the guys in Purlie are gorgeous, either!)

**Lane Caudell: SHOULD I CARE.** Lane's finally got his single out—he recorded it, then switched record companies (he's on Metro-media now) and re-recorded it! We can't decide if we like this version or the other better because both are so great! Lane's got such talent, it doesn't surprise us that he writes all his own songs, too.

## • SWINGING SOUNDS:

**Foster Sylvers: FOSTER SYLVERS.** This is young Foster's first album, and it's got his hit, "Misdemeanor"! It's also got "I'm Your Puppet," "I'll Get You in the End" (a cute song!), "More Love" and seven more . . . all different, all really great. That Sylvers family has nothing but talent, right?



**Elvis Presley: ELVIS.** Elvis never changes—he's as wonderful today as he was 10 years ago (or 17 years ago, for that matter!). His newest album has his hit "Fool," and some old standards like "Don't Think Twice, It's All Right," "It's Impossible" and "I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen." The other six are wild, and you must have this album if you're an El fan. (Who'd ever believe he's old enough to be your father? Wow!)

**Edward Bear: CLOSE YOUR EYES.** Edward Bear (named after Winnie the Pooh) has a good album here—there are 10 original tunes, including our favorite, "Walking On Back," and "Some Sunny Day," "Close Your Eyes" and "All the Lights Were Shining"! Leader Larry Evoy says the album and his group is a result of Scientology!



**The Sweet: THE SWEET.** Couldn't figure what the album cover reminded us of . . . until it dawned on us: a Hershey bar! The cover's chocolate brown with silver lettering. Really wild! The album is wild, too—their hits "Little Willy" and "Blockbuster," along with "Need a Lot of Lovin'," "Done Me Wrong Alright" and "New York Connection." More, too! Get it!

**Lobo: CALUMET.** Lobo's written ten groovy songs for this album . . . like "It Sure Took a Long, Long Time" (we know you've heard that one!), "Rock and Roll Days" (our favorite!) and more. Lobo has a style all his own, and we hope he'll have lots of albums as good as this one!

## • MOVIE OF THE MONTH:

**AMERICAN GRAFFITI** (Universal Studios), starring Richard Dreyfuss, Ronny Howard, Wolfman Jack (a local LA deejay that really flips out!) Here's another nostalgia movie, and this one's so "recent" that nearly all of us can remember it—it's about teenagers in 1962!

The group of friends are in their senior



**JOHN MILNER** (center) tries to explain that hot rod racing is his bag!

year at high school, trying to figure out where their heads are at before going off to college. There are sock hops, fight scenes, drag scenes with some wild-looking cars, drinking scenes, etc. All the things teenagers did back then, and look at the clothes! (The '40's and '50's came back, but let's not hope for the '60's, ok?)

It's a funny, sad and happy movie, and even though it takes place 11 years ago, you can see a lot of yourself in it! Ronny Howard's really great, and he's really grown up a lot since he starred on "The Smith Family" television series.



**JOHN & Debbie** examine Terry, who's been beaten up by a couple of hoods.



**THE LOCAL** hang-out, Mel's Drive-In, where all the kids go to meet 'n' eat!

## • GOOD READING:

**"MARY THOMAS'S KNITTING BOOK"** by Mary Thomas, with 248 illustrations. If you're a beginner in the crafts thing, this book is for you! It's a primer on knitting, and it not only tells you how to knit but gives you a complete history of knitting and some fancy stitches, too! Worth any price, but it's only \$2.50 (Dover Publications).