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News letter for members of the Official Elvis Presley Fan Club, Elvis-Aberdeen.

Elvis Presley In Concert Returns for European Tour

"Elvis Presley in Concert," the production that reunites Elvis' former bandmates live on stage with a video-projected Elvis, will tour Europe in February and March of 2010, it was announced on 14th April. After multiple, sold-out concert tours and a hiatus of nearly two years, worldwide public demand is at an all-time high for this Elvis concert experience.

This latest tour will include engagements in England, Ireland, Scotland, Holland and other European countries to be announced soon. Ticket sales for the engagements in England will begin April 21 at 3 p.m. GMT for Elvis Insiders, members of the official online fan community at www.elvis.com/insiders and on April 24 at 3p.m. GMT for the general public.

"Elvis Presley in Concert" is a production of SEG Events, in association with Elvis Presley Enterprises, Inc. (EPE). It is produced by Stig Edgren of SEG Events. Performers currently scheduled to participate include: Joe Guercio, Elvis' orchestra conductor for many of his Vegas performances; members of the original TCB Band; Elvis' backup singers The Imperials and The Sweet Inspirations.

The show's concept is to present an authentic Elvis Presley concert. The producers have

edited together a collection of Elvis' finest concert performances that exist on film and video and removed all sound from the footage except for Elvis' vocal track. The Elvis footage is projected on state-of-theart video screens. On stage, singers and a 16-piece orchestra perform live in sync with Elvis on video. All music heard in the concert production is performed live. Elvis concert footage for the show comes primarily from the MGM concert films Elvis, That's The Way It Is (1970) and Elvis on Tour (1972); outtakes from these two films as seen in the video package entitled Elvis, The Lost Performances; and the historic 1973 global television special Elvis: Aloha from Hawaii, via Satellite. This footage contains some of Elvis' finest performances from the concert era of his career.

The Scottish date is as follows; March 6, 2010 Glasgow, Scotland SECC On Sale Date TBA

Elvis Aberdeen will be running a bus to this event so if anyone is interested please advise the committee.

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Elvis Trivia

The Caribbean Island of Grenada was the first country (in 1979) to honour Elvis on a postage stamp.

Many people know that Elvis sang 'Old Shep' at the Humes High Annual Variety Show for seniors (1952-53) but he also sang another song 'Cold, Cold Icy Fingers'.

LAST REMINDER: MEMBERSHIP FEES NOW OVERDUE

Everyone should have received a Membership Renewal form for 2009.

The Annual Membership Fee which remains at £5 was due for payment by 31st March 2009.

Reminders will be sent out this month to those who have not yet renewed.

Please send a cheque as per Renewal Form details, or alternatively pay at the April Dance. (Renewal forms will be available at the door)

The Membership Renewal will now become due at the same time each year, 31st March for everyone. Remember it's your club so please support it!



Having Fun On Stage With Elvis — Elvis Aberdeen Outing—Update

The Official Elvis Presley Fan Club of Great Britain

In association with the Edinburgh Elvis Branch is holding an event on Saturday 13th June from 4.00pm until Midnight at The Corn Exchange, 11 Newmarket Road, Edinburgh, EH14 1RJ

Elvis-Aberdeen is organizing a minibus going to this event and currently have 6 members going. If anyone else is interested in going please advise by the end of this month as rooms will have to be booked by then. Those interested must pay a non-refundable deposit of £12.00 to cover the cost of the tickets which have to be booked in advance.

The event will comprise of a bus to Edinburgh on Saturday lunch time, the event takes place from 4.00pm, and there will then be an overnight stay to be arranged.

Please contact Richard Stables or Tracey Walker if interested or see us by April Club Night.





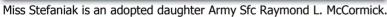
Just over fifty years ago rumours flew round the world of Elvis' having been killed in a car crash while returning to home from a trip to Frankfurt. Elvis' father Vernon and Elvis' secretary had been spotted being taken into a German hospital having survived a major car crash - but there was no sign of Elvis! This sparked world-wide rumours. Elvis however was not in the car at all. Here is the news report from the time, March 28, 1959. Elvis' Father Hurt in Wreck:

BAD NAUHEIM, Germany (UPI) : Elvis Presley's father and secretary were slightly injured in an automobile accident which totally, wrecked their car.

A spokesman for the 3d Armd Div, with which the soldier-singer is stationed near here, said Vernon Presley and the singer's secretary, Elisabeth Stefaniak, suffered bruises in the accident, which occurred Thursday night on the Frankfurt-Kassel autobahn, about five miles south of the spa where the Presleys live.

Elvis was still en route home from his Army duties at Friedberg when the accident occurred. Presley Driving

The accident took place when the elder Presley was driving the Pfc's secretary home from a shopping tour in Frankfurt.



Presley attempted to pass another car, driven by a German, when that car, in turn, pulled out in an attempt to pass a truck. When Presley hit the brakes, his car went out of control, rolled over several times and ended up in the other lane of the highway. The occupants were taken to a nearby German hospital, treated for bruises and discharged. (26 March 1959) The following day Elvis was very much alive as he celebrated the halfway mark in the army with an 'Over The Hump' party. (News, Source;EIN)



Next Dance: Friday 24th April