

Have you heard the NEWS



"There's Good Rocking Tonight"

Newsletter for members of the Official Elvis Presley Fan Club, Elvis-Aberdeen

Memphis Memories

For those of us fortunate enough to have been on the recent trip to Memphis, there were once again some fantastic memories.

Despite a mix up over room allocation at the Heartbreak Hotel, after it was all cleared up it did nothing to dampen the spirits of our group of 12 from Aberdeen who made the trip on 8th October.

For those who were making the first trip, that first venture beyond the gates of Graceland on the Sunday will never be forgotten. The sights and sounds of Graceland, the fans, the photos, everything from the Jungle Room, to the fantastic displays showing all of the awards as well as stage and film outfits were all taken in by our group. The Meditation Garden and Elvis' grave would cause us to ponder once again our great loss, however it would not diminish the reason for being there. To pay tribute to Elvis and everything that he stood for.

The remaining days brought more opportunities to explore Memphis. Sun Studios, Beale Street, Mississippi Paddle Steamer, Tupelo and Elvis' Birthplace, including a new addition of Elvis' First Assembly of God Church, Johnnie's Diner, and later in the week, Elvis' Circle G Ranch, Audobon Drive and Lauderdale Court Homes, Humes High and other notable Memphis sights.

What a week, and what an experience!

It is for this reason that I would like to ask all who attended if anyone would like to write an article for the newsletter of their experience?

It would be nice to hear from any of you prepared to take the plunge...

There are some photos from the trip on Page 2!

Editor

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Holburn Bar New Venue from January 2011 !

A reminder once again that from January 2012, Elvis-Aberdeen will be relocating to the upstairs function room, at The Holburn Bar, at 225 Holburn Street Aberdeen. The Bar is centrally located and has a nicely laid out function room which we hope all the members will be happy with. The room is booked up for this year, so the first Elvis night at the Holburn Bar will be on Friday 6th January. There will not be any Elvis nights in November or December due to this change, so therefore hope everyone will join us for a fantastic night on 6th January.

We would like to stress to members that there will be a fee charged to the club for the function room if the bar takings are below a certain level, so we need to try and encourage as many people to attend the Elvis Nights as possible. The future of the club depends on numbers attending, so this cannot be stressed enough.

The club desperately needs to keep attendances up in order to maintain the club in it's current format.

Please support the club by attending as many Elvis nights at our new location as possible.

Possible Rock n'Roll Night Date

Garry Leiper and friends are looking to arrange another possible Rock n'Roll Night for you all to enjoy. At the moment it looks as though the next rock n roll night will be around March 15th 2012 with the venue still to be decided.

We hope to see you all dance the night away to the sounds of rock n roll, doo wop, rockabilly.

Jaycees Appearance to be released uncut on DVD.

JAT Productions will release a special limited edition DVD, "Elvis: Young Man of the Nation" on November 15th.

In 1970, Elvis Presley was nominated as one of the ten outstanding young men of the nation by The United States Junior Chamber of Commerce (The Jaycees). On January 16, 1971 he accepted the award in his hometown of Memphis, Tennessee. Now for the first time on DVD the complete unedited documentary of this historic event will be made available. Previously only clips and edited versions have been seen however now for the first time you will now be able to see it in its entirety, digitally re-mastered, uncut and unedited. Witness the presentations from beginning to end of this cherished moment in Elvis Presley's life.



Memphis Memories...



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Next Dance: Friday 6th January (Holburn Bar)