



Holiday Newsletter

HOLIDAY GREETING FROM JUICE

"So the Holidays are here again.

This year has been one of change for our band and for many of our fans and friends.

It seems like just yesterday I was sharing the passing of my wonderful and talented friend Otha Young with all of you. But this in fact will be the second Christmas without his voice in the choir.

Other of our loved ones have and are enduring the challenge of health. To them all I send warm feelings and prayers for their well being.

I hope all will have time and energy to see family and friends and to spent a warm and quiet moment thinking of all the positive things in their lives..

Not all things seem to make sense and not all things give us comfort. Know you are not alone in this thought.

With all my heart and hope I do wish my fans and all the world a season of renewal, hope and never ending grace to face all that come into your lives.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year,"

Sincerely,

Juice

CHRISTMAS CD ENHANCED



The response to the CD "The Gift of Christmas" has been wonderful since the initial release. This compilation of songs has only gotten better! How? Juice has added two new tracks!

The new songs are...

"We All Go Home for Christmas"

"Holidays Are Near"

The CD's name has been changed to "The Gift of Christmas Deluxe Edition." This is now available on iTunes!! Log on to iTUNES and you can search with the words "The Gift of Christmas" and Juice Newton. You can download one or more songs or the entire album!!

There is a trailer for this album on YOUTUBE! Search the words Juice Newton Christmas.

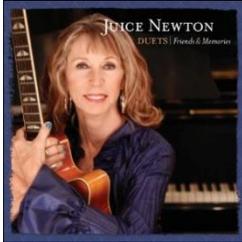
The album "The Gift of Christmas Deluxe Edition" is a must for any Juice Newton fan and makes a great gift for a loved one!!

TRACKS

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| 1) We All Go Home for Christmas | 8) Santa Can Dance |
| 2) Holidays Are Near | 9) For Believers |
| 3) Go Tell It On The Mountain | 10) Mary's Boy Child |
| 4) Jingle Bell Rock | 11) Shining Star |
| 5) The First Noel | 12) Better Get Ready! |
| 6) Christmas Needs Love To Be Christmas | 13) Christmas Wish |
| 7) Sleigh Ride | 14) Auld Lang Syne |

The beauty of the new songs is that they bring out more holiday cheer. The JNFC asks, what are you favorite songs & what is the order of your favorites from "The Gift of Christmas Deluxe Edition?" Send in your selections and they will be featured in the Spring Newsletter.

DUETS NOW RELEASED!!



Many of you may recall an all duets project Juice recorded with various legendary artists. You may also recall that although this project was never officially released. Now, it is finally released!! Juice is very excited and happy to offer this wonderful collection of songs to her fans. The name of the duets project is entitled "Duets, Friends & Memories." You may purchase this at any retail website or at iTunes.

How wonderful!! Many of you have been asking about new music from Juice and she has delivered!! Both of these albums make wonderful gifts!! So, be sure you log on today and order or download them!! The first single from the album "Funny How Time Slips Away" a duet with Willie Nelson, has been released. Call your local radio stations and request it!!

About The Fans

I am so happy to hear from many of you and even more importantly, hear the support for Juice and her talent. The JNFC has grown tremendously!! This year alone over 100 new members! How wonderful is that? I wanted to share some of the lovely things people have written in about. I hope you enjoy these voice from the fans.

"Back in 1981 when I was 24 years ago I went into a now-defunct record store called Licorice Pizza and took note of an album in the country music section called *Take Heart*. On its cover was the picture of an extremely beautiful woman with the somewhat odd name of Juice Newton. I didn't buy it but ever time I came back to the store the album was still there collecting dust. I made a point of always looking at it just because the lady on the cover was so lovely.

Then the album *Juice* was released and I heard "Angel of the Morning" on the radio. "Hey, not only is she gorgeous but she's a great singer, too!" Zoom! I was off to the record store and I bought my copy of *Juice*.

I played it dozens of times in the next few days and final decided that I needed more of her. So it was back to Licorice Pizza to see if the *Take Heart* was still there. It was, so I bought that, too. I still have my copies, plus original copies of *Quiet Lies* and *Dirty Looks*.

I met Juice (and Otha) back in 2001 when they performed at the high school in Upland, CA. I meet them both afterwards and found them to both to be very pleasant. It was a wonderful moment."

Jim Knuttel

"I was recently given a Juice Newton CD by a friend. I'd forgotten how much I loved her sound and attitude. I'm not fan club material, but this time I can't resist. I remember seeing her on the Tomorrow Show with Tom Snyder when she was new. Juice wore a very tough-looking leather jacket which conflicted mightily with how I'd pictured her before that having only heard her voice on radio and records."

Rico "Richie" Brindisi

Juice can do no wrong with fan support like this!! I want to thank and once again, welcome everyone to the JNFC Family.

COMMON QUESTIONS/COMMON ANSWERS

(Q) Paul, are you a fan or just a friend of Juice's?

(A) I have been a fan of Juice's for years and years. Only through many blessed events have Juice and I gotten to know one another and we do consider one another a friend. So, YES to both parts of that question.

(Q) How much mail do you answer?

(A) That is a difficult one to answer because mail fluctuates and it's not always about joining the club. I would have to say on average between 250-500 a month.

(Q) Do you get to hang out with the band?

(A) Yes, when I attend a concert I have. Jay, Andre and Rick and Willy are great guys!!

(Q) Do you ever get tired of answering questions?

(A) No, because I am a diehard fan of Juice's first.

(Q) Who maintains the JNFC website?

(A) I do.

(Q) What is Juice like in person?

(A) Juice is like you and I. She is very warm and caring and loves to have fun when she can.

(Q) If you could sing a duet with Juice, what would it be?

(A) This was perhaps the most fun and inquisitive question I have ever been asked. So, I will answer this in two parts. If it were a serious frame of mind, no doubt "The Sweetest Thing" and if it were for a fun frame of mind, I would have to say "A Little Love."

(Q) Do you ever plan to retire as President of the JNFC?

(A) NO WAY!

Thanks to everyone who asked these questions. I share these with you because I am asked these often and felt compelled to share this with all of you!!

Go Makena Go!!

I wanted to inform everyone of what a remarkable person Makena Young is. Many of you will remember she is the daughter of Otha Young and his lovely wife Brenda. I want to thank Brenda for forwarding this information to the JNFC. Thank you to the Pasadena StarNews for this article below.

"Rock n' Roll Robots, a Girl Scouts robotics team based in Pasadena, is having a tremendous run.

The team took top honors at the global 2010 FIRST Tech Challenge - which earned them recognition from President Obama at the National Science Fair last week.

But that high point comes after a rocky start.

Three years ago, the all-female team, composed mostly of high school students from the Greater L.A. area, built a robot and took it to their first competition.

"We came in lowest ranked - except one team that was disqualified," recalls Julie Townsend, an engineer at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory and a team mentor.

"Placing last in your very first competition after having the notion that your robot is good or at least OK its a little depressing," said Taylor Halsey, a founding member of the team who is now a freshman at Cal Poly Pomona and a junior mentor to new team members.

"But as Girl Scouts, one of the things they've always taught us is never give up, try again - that the outcome can be different if you keep trying," she said.

With motivation from their mentors, Halsey and her teammates "knew we could do better ... No one wanted to give up, we all wanted to keep going, and we're very glad we did."

The girls built a new robot and made it through several regional competitions, inching closer to the FIRST Tech Challenge world championships.

First Tech Challenge is the division of the non-profit FIRST (For Inspiration and Recognition in Science and Technology) that organizes competitions for high school students each year.

But in the very last qualifying match, Rock n' Roll Robots lost by just a few points.

The girls were crushed, said Townsend, but redeemed when the judges gave them the Inspire Award - the competition's highest honor - automatically qualifying them for the national championship. There, their robot made it into the semifinals.

The following year, the team made it to the national championships. This past year, they won the Inspire Award at the world competition - an honor that goes to one team out of more than a thousand.

Townsend describes the Inspire Award as recognition a team wants to see - going beyond great robots to aspects like team spirit and community outreach.

Halsey said there were few girls, particularly in the FIRST Tech Challenge division, when she helped found Rock n' Roll Robots, but things have changed over the last three years.

"When we first started there was one other all-girl team in our region - that was kind of sad. But as we've progressed, we've noticed more female teams, mixed teams, but in general we still play against mostly male-dominated teams."

One of goals of creating a Girl Scouts robotic team, said Halsey, was "to encourage more girls to get involved in science and technology so there are other outlets for their energy - aside from more traditional (activities) like selling cookies, going camping or doing crafts."

Of the six girls who first joined the team, only one had experience in robotics, said Townsend. Now, five of those six girls have graduated high school and are studying engineering in college.

"For a lot of girls, they don't even consider it unless they have a parent who is an engineer; this gives them the inspiration to consider it," Townsend said.

For Victoria Gaugh of Pasadena, a sophomore and second-year member, the team provided a natural outlet for some inborn talents.

"I really like taking things apart - I would take door handles apart so the doors wouldn't work," much to others' consternation, she said.

Not knowing much about robotics, Gaugh said she was nervous when she began - but then started having fun. Now, both building and wiring aspects of her work with the team have left their mark.

"I'm interested in mechanical engineering or electrical engineering," she said.

Interested in joining Rock n' Roll Robots? The team is open to 8th through 12th graders in the greater L.A. area."

(Thank you again to the Pasadena Star News for the article about Makena Young!)

2010 Wrap

Earlier this year, Juice and Brenda Young (Otha's wife) & Makena Young (Otha's daughter) were all guests on the Dr. Pat Baccili show.

Juice & Otha were honored for all of their hard work and fabulous careers. Sadly, as most of you are aware, Otha passed away last year. But Otha's writing and music lives on forever and was praised throughout this wonderful airing. There is a link on the JNFC website so that you may enjoy the show in its entirety.

As we reflect over this past year and the ups and downs, it's critical that we recall everything. This is what help us become who we are.

My hopes are that things turn around in a good way for the nation and the world. Life is too short to live in fear and with regrets. Happy Holidays to everybody! May 2011 be the year all of your hopes come true!!

Thank you for supporting Juice!!

Sincerely,

Paul & Juice

Paul Fowler-President Juice Newton Fan Club

