

## Spring 2001 Newsletter



Hello and Happy Spring Everyone! There is a lot of news this time around.

### LOGO

As many of you know, I have been in pursuit of a logo for the club. We now have one! Those fans that were members of the original JNFC, should remember a circle with a big letter "N" in the middle. Thanks to Otha Young, it has been polished up and is now on our website and on the newsletters we send out via USMAIL! Thanks Otha!

### FEBRUARY

Juice had another birthday 2/18/01. She was on the road on *her* day. Many of you had written in to the club wishing Juice a Happy Birthday! The JNFC website had a special birthday page and your wishes were posted there. The postings were listed for the entire month of February.

Listed here are some of the great wishes from fans!

Happy Birthday Juice. I loved the Hunstville AL concert and can't wait for you to come back into the area. Your music is wonderful I am ready for more!!!!

Cynthia

Juice's birthday marks the second anniversary of her return to National Tour, with her band the Regenerators. This is an opportunity for us all to give thanks to Juice for concentrating her life on what she does best, that is raising the spirits of tens of thousands of people. Last year many people had the one time experience of participating in an audience, truly enjoying the show.

For me, my spirits have been lifted to a much greater level. Last year, from Elko, where we celebrated Juice's last birthday, to last week, in Boston, the travel I have added to my life, centered around Juice has been as uplifting as the music itself.

Juice Happy Birthday, and Thank You for a Great Year!!!!

Bill Volkman

Hi Juice, hope you and family have a great time on your happy birthday. Larry Eastley

To Juice,

Happy Birthday to you ! To a great singer who has lots of talent .I have loved your music for a long time .Each song you sing has "true feelings and great story to it" . You wished me a Happy Birthday at one of your shows it was very special ! Now I get to wish you the same .I am one of your Biggest Fans .Your CD is great . I will see you again when you are in the Northeast. Cindy Lane Adams

Hi Juice....just found out it will be your birthday....we all want to wish you a wonderful day. We will be playing before you at the State Theatre in Modesto on February 16th, several days before your birthday.

Patrick, Michael and Bruce.....Home Grown. A trio that has been together for close to 30 years.

Happy Birthday Juice Newton. I have been a fan of yours since the pre-fame days in Burbank, CA. I used to see you play at some little club on the corner near Marie Calendars. Jason's maybe? The Palomino club days. I don't remember the names now. Blue Blue Blue. Slip Away. Like that. Well many many years have past. I also became a working musician/guitarist. Did the whole LA scene. Now I am on the East Coast. Working. Playing. Writing. Recording. You were so ahead of the times really when you think of Shania & Faith and all. Just the production alone on Quiet Lies still stands out. Country Guitar with harmonizers and all. I still think you are way cool. And your vocals? The sweetest thing. Juice Newton & Otha Young. You can't beat that musical combination that you have.

Good luck with your tour. Enjoy your family and horses. Happy Birthday. Stick around, you are really special.

Health & happiness always.

David Reo

Happy Birthday Juice,  
You are the best. We wish you a happy birthday and all the Best.  
Your fans at MSNBC

Dearest Juice,  
Here's wishing you a very Happy Birthday, which I hope you get to spend in the presence of loving family and friends. You have brought joy to millions of people over the last 26 years of your distinguished career, and I hope you feel that joy returned to a hundred fold. You are a remarkably talented musician and a sweet, considerate person who invariably treats her fans with respect and love. I thank you for the inspiration and emotion that your voice and presence in the music world give me on a daily basis. You are truly a class act, and I wish you continued success with your wonderful music.  
Sincerely,  
Joseph Stivers

Happy Belated Birthday, wish you the best on your tour, BONES

***Happy Birthday Juice! I can't think of a better way to express my personal appreciation of your music and you as a person, than to remember you on your special day. You have given myself and countless others hours of enjoyment. Have a wonderful birthday Juice! Paul Fowler Fanclub President.***

### **ANOTHER RECORD MONTH**

Last year, I had mentioned to you that we had a record month in June for new members. January of 2001 we did it again. The JNFC has grown again! I can't tell you how great it is to see Juice's support pour in.

What makes this even better, are the wonderful things people have to say. Some said they were thrilled to finally get to see Juice. Others said they were happy Juice was still performing and recording.

### **TOUR**

Should you want to see some really nice pictures of Juice performing, visit Juice's Official Home Page. The address is [WWW.JUICENEWTON.COM](http://WWW.JUICENEWTON.COM). Click on TOUR and you will see great shots of Juice performing. Thanks to Otha Young for making these pictures available for everyone!

## **Way Up There**

Juice performed at the Stratosphere in Las Vegas Nevada on 2/14 & 2/15/01. Juice's show was in the Broadway Showroom. Juice had people rocking back and forth and singing along.

People truly were awed when Juice broke into her "Hurt/Break It To Me Gently" medley. Juice also did some newer tunes from the "American Girl" CD.

After the show Juice met people outside and signed CD's and photos and took photos with many of the fans. Juice looked like she was having so much fun. I spoke with Juice after the show. She wished me a Happy Valentine's Day. I in turn wished her a Happy Birthday. She really appreciates all the fans. It's so nice to see a recording artist who has never lost site of her roots and fans.

## **THE ARTICLES**

All of you have been wonderful about emailing the club or just sending a link about articles on the Internet about Juice. One such article comes from a very active member. His name is Joseph Stivers. Below is what it said.

No Mourning from This Angel/Juice Newton Refuses to Live In The Past  
By Mike Bell-Calgary Sun

In Keeping with the title of one of the songs that made her a household name in the early 80's, singer-songwriter Juice Newton is an Angel of the Morning.

That means she likes to take care of business well before the crack of noon, when most other musicians and journalists are just shaking the cobwebs off and moving a little slow.

And, unfortunately, three minutes late for a phone interview means you're no longer a priority for Juice, especially not these days when family, tending to chores on her San Diego ranch, riding horses, snowboarding and polo playing take up a large chunk of her time.

"(Music's) a major part of my life, but I do have other things that I do," she says when we finally hook up two hours later.

"After you get established in your career or in your lifestyle, you can do more then one thing if you can stay organized."

Established, Newton certainly is.

The 49 year old, who was born Judy Kay Newton, has had a lengthy and auspicious career filled with highlights such as: Chart topping crossover country-pop singles such as ANGEL of The Morning, Queen of Hearts, The Sweetest Thing (I've Ever Known) and Love's Been a Little Bit Hard On Me; a Grammy Award and People's Choice Award; being named Billboard magazine's artist of the year and the CMA's new female vocalist of the year; not to mention 15 million albums sold worldwide.

In fact, one wonders why, with seemingly nothing more to and so many other pursuits to enjoy, Newton bothers to keep the 70-75 shows a year touring regime that will bring her to Cowboys this evening.

"I can't imagine not singing and playing writing and sharing this cool thing that I have—well, at least I consider it cool," she says. "I can't live off of yesterday—that's in the past."

It's an admirable and healthy attitude for Newton to take, considering how low-key her career has been in the past decade.

Most of Newton's success came at the height of the Urban Cowboy craze and stemmed from her 1981 album JUICE and it's follow-up QUIET LIES. By the 90's, country –pop audiences who had bought her albums had moved on to younger artists.

Though she still kept making music, with the exception of some time off to raise her son and daughter, most people still only know Juice from her heyday, and they won't let her move on.

"Sometimes I get weary of people thinking that they only want to hear from the past...because I don't live in the past," she reiterates. "I (still) do all of those songs and I enjoy them, but I've never stopped making new stuff."

In fact, Newton has released two albums in the past three years.

And though she may never achieve the success she once knew, she's willing to see her career through to it's natural conclusion, taking it all in stride.

"When I started out, it never occurred to me that I wouldn't do this, that I wouldn't garner a level of recognition that I wanted to. But I never put a limit on it—high or low."

Another active fanclub member Bill Volkman also sent in an article. This one was written for the Horseshoe Casino. Read this article below...

“The Queen of Hearts, Juice Newton, Plays Horseshoe Casino and Hotel’s Bluesville Showcase Nightclub”

Join Grammy Award winning artist Juice Newton, for an emotion-filled evening, 9:00 p.m., Friday and Saturday January 5 & 6,2001, at the Horseshoe Casino and Hotel’s Bluesville Showcase Nightclub.

Now known for her tremendous impact on the pop and country music scenes, Newton started her musical career in the 70’s with a trio in northern California called Silver Spur.

The audience will be treated to a generous dose of Newton’s classic hits, from the soul searing “Hurt,” to the rocking “Love’s Been A Little Bit Hard On Me,” to “Break It To Me Gently,” “Angel of The Morning” and “Queen of Hearts.” And now, Newton is adding a musical twist to her repertoire-children’s music.

Newton has won many accolades over the course of her career from the Academy of Country Music, Billboard and People’s Choice Awards.

The Bluesville Showcase Nightclub, inside the Horseshoe Casino & Hotel, features a variety of world-class live musical performances including blues, rock, pop, country, R&B and adult contemporary.

Friday and Saturday, January 5 & 6 2001, at the Horseshoe Casino and Hotel’s Bluesville Showcase Nightclub Juice Newton will perform live!

#### COMPANY THEATRE

Also in January, Juice performed at The Company Theatre in Boston Mass. This is a very unique venue. They have had acts such as The Bacon Brothers. Yes, this includes Kevin Bacon there to perform. Fanclub member Cindy Lane Adams had a special treat. On this evening Juice wished her a Happy Birthday! Wow, what a treat!

#### QUOTABLE QUOTES

##### **juicefanfromSF**

Hey, juicefans....don't forget to celebrate National Juice Newton day on February 26! That's the day that JN realized that she wanted to give her gift of music to the world back in 1967! We celebrate this day as a day of following your dreams and liveing your life to the fullest. Bring your Fig Newton's and your cranberry juice to the office and celebrate Juice Newton day 2001! Don't forget to bring a CD player so you can play Juice's greatest hits! To all other JN fans worldwide, I say HAPPY JUICE NEWTON DAY!

### JimAngie90

Really enjoyed the concert at the Legends Casino 2/18 in the \*Evergreen State of Washington\* Love to see a Box Set of Juices music put together someday :) Wished i would have brought my two albums along for her to sign \*Quiet Lies\* and \*Juice Newton\* Did purchase a 8x10 photo of her and she signed it:) At the end of the show the crowd stood up and sang \*Happy Birthday\* it was awesome:) she received a Leather Jacket and a beautiful colorful Indian blanket with a eagle on it from the Legends Casino in Toppenish Washington:) I will definitely go again to see her if she ever comes back :-)

### **cindy lane**

I have loved Juice Newton's voice and music from the first song I heard on the radio .I went out and bought her tape and sang all her songs in my car to my friends. Through the years if she had a new song or CD out I went out and bought it .Her music has feeling and voice range is so incredible .I am so glad she is singing and Touring again . I have been able to see her four times in the years .I am so glad she has a web site so I can see her again in the future. She has inspired me to sing and write music. I am one of her Biggest Fans. Cindy

### **Wrapping It**

That's all the news this time around. I want to express my sincere gratitude to every member! You are very much valued and appreciated! We will have another contest soon! That will be in the summer newsletter. More exciting news will come your way then. Until then, please visit the fanclub website at

<http://members.aol.com/juicefans/fanclub.htm>.

All the best,

Paul, Juice and Otha