

CHICK CHAT

FROM THE ROCKIN' DE RANCH

Spring 1994



Boy o boy it's Roy and Troy Calloway, double your pleasure!

VIVA LA YEEHAW

Our European tour is over and we're home to roost. The first stop was Zurich Switzerland - where they have their very own Country Music Association. We played two sold out concert nights (Danka Shen), and saw some very creative two-steppin'. These yodeladies even did some yodeladiehoos with the President of Zurich. Our Mayor of Dallas, Steve Bartlett, proclaimed us to be the Official Music Ambassadors to Europe while on our tour. WOW!

Our next stop was EuroDisney for three raucous nights at the Billy Bob's authentic Texas-style saloon. The last day we spent touring the Park. Even Mickey Mouse had B.O..

In Paris (pah-REE), We gave 'em an earful on the Eiffel. The elevator ride up allowed

for a quick rendition of the Star Spangled Banner for a group of Moroccan tourists.

Our concert in Paris was at New Morning, a famous old listening room that was frequented by Miles Davis, and definitely intended for the serious music lover. It was an eclectic crowd due to a radio interview we shared with the world famous Nina Hagen, a former East Berlin radical singer. We asked the poignant question, "What do you think the reason is for the new found popularity of country music?", Nina responded with, "Country Music has been and always will be...what it is." Tres Bien, Nina?

All too soon we found ourselves back on the train and on our way to the Capital of Europe, Brussels Belgium. Laura's sister Kitty

organized two concerts for us in this beautiful city. One night we played for some fancy folks from NATO at a pub called Pablo's; the next night we hoed-down with some Heavy Metal Belgian Bikers. Whoa!

In Brussels we had the time to shop, so we did. Laura found a street auction and ended up bidding for canes, metals, chairs, and artwork. Martie was much more practical and bought a linen suit she'll never wear. Emily stuck with the perfumes, powder puffs, and pastries.

The boys were, as usual, the most practical on this trip. Road Manager extraordinaire, Jeff Humphrey, left the States with disposable tube socks and briefs. While Matthew and Tom learned a whole new meaning for "recycle". They turned their laundry bag over and started at the other end.

The boys fondly refer to the trip as the "Tour de Hops". They fancied the Belgian beer and stayed clear of the shops. Our friend and assistant Barb was probably the most discerning about her investments - she stuck with the Daisy Duck hats.

Lastly, we were off to Monte Carlo, oh where is Robin Leach when you need him?

We floated in the Cote d' Azure in the afternoons and played late night shows at the finest sports honkytonk in the



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We're Listenin'

Still lookin for a Van Name

Besides 6 flat tires and some Bubble Yum stuck in the carpet under the dinette, the yet-to-be-titled R.V. is doing just fine. The trip to Europe was a struggle, but she hung in there. Last newsletter we asked y'all to name our pink R.V.. Let's take a look at some of the entries...

1. Prairie Schooner
2. Robo Coop
3. Pepto Palace
4. Chick Wagon
5. Pink Frijole
6. The Band Wagon

The search goes on.



Enjoying ourselves back stage at the Grand Ole Opry, Nashville, TN.

Hey Y'all...

It's Our Party...

We're throwing ourselves a party! April 16th is the official Dixie Chicks band birthday, and you are all invited to come down and help us celebrate at:

Silverado City, 1320 N. Industrial Blvd., Dallas. Tickets are only \$10...call 747-8294. Sorry...no spanking.

We're five years old, mere chickadees in the music business, and plan on never expiring!

April's going to be a Star Spangled month, so remember to check our calander and come out to a ball game and help us celebrate as we sing the National Anthem!



Quotes & Gloats

Recently, The Dallas Morning News and its readers voted the Dixie Chicks to be the "Best Local Country Band". Thank you so much. You sure know how to make us feel great.

Here's a fan letter we got a kick out of:

"Dear Dixie Chicks, I'd love to have y'all in my herd. I'll mosey on over to Silverado City to see you. I'll be the one with the Heart brand, good bone confirmation, and no nose ring. Keep a singin' Cow Cow Boogie."

Signed, Mr. Avail A. Bull

"...Shouldn't A Told You That overflows with the Dixie Chicks' undiluted, traditional sound, loaded with pleasant harmonies and solid musicianship. They've added their unmistakable stamp to songs from some of Nashville's best contemporary writers...Sooner or later the Dixie Chicks are destined to be America's country music sweethearts."

CMJ Jackpot Review
-Jim Caligiuri

"I put my arms around you and wish you all the luck you can have on Earth. Thank you for the little lights you bring to me."

Roland Musler, Zurich Switzerland





DIXIE CHICKS SHOW DATES Viva La Venues

Watch your local newspaper for additional listings. In fact, send us anything that shows up in your area. We travel fast, and often miss mentions and articles.

March 1994

- 1-2 **Shutzenhaus Albisguite**, Zurich, Switzerland "Gazundheit"
- 4,5,6 **Billy Bob's Saloon**, EuroDisney
- 7 **New Morning**, Paris, France
- 8 **Pablos**, Brussels, Belgium
- 9 **Flannagan's**, Brussels, Belgium
- 10,11,12 **Stars & Bars**, Monte Carlo, Monaco
- 15 **Get over the jet lag and clean the science project out of the refrigerator!**
- 16 **Hemisfair Arena**, San Antonio, TX.
- 17 Thur. **Poor David's Pub**, Greenville Ave. Dallas, TX...Bonnie Laddies and Lassies come out for the wearin' of the green...Erin Go Bra
- 29 Tue. **Cattle Raisers Assoc. at The Worthington Hotel**, Ft. Worth, TX 7:30 and 8:45 shows
- 31 Thur. **Loew's Anatole**, Dallas TX

April

- 2 Sat. **Sing the Star Spangled Banner for a Rangers exhibition game.** The (new) Ballpark in Arlington ...Cool new costumes Rangers! Arlington, TX 1:50 p.m.
- 9 Sat. **Evening show at the Ballpark in Arlington-Patron's night**, Arlington, TX
- 12 Tue. **National Anthem at the Dallas Stars Hockey Game**, Reunion Arena, Dallas, TX 7:00 p.m....Mike Modano you put stars in our eyes
- 15 Fri. **Tax Day! Another chunk out of the ol' hide**
- 16 Sat. **Happy Birthday to us!!! The Dixie Chicks Cowgirl Band turns 5 yrs. old today. Come celebrate at Silverado City "the best little dance hall in TX" 1320 N. Industrial Blvd. Dallas, TX \$10 Tickets, call (214) 747-8294**
- 22 Fri. **We make our Dixie Dumplins on TV for a country cookin' show in Anniston, Alabama...Hope they have a microwave**

- 23 Sat. **Open for Ronnie Milsap at the Oxford High Football Stadium**, Anniston, AL 8:00 p.m. (205) 831-7505
- 24 Sun. **Deep Ellum Artwalk**, call (214) 691-0740 for Info
- 26 Tue. **Rockefellers**, Houston, TX (713) 861-9365
- 27,28 W/Th. **Houston Open Golf Tourn. at the Woodlands Country Club**, Woodlands, TX 5:00 p.m.
- 29 Fri. **Taste of Richardson**, Breckenridge Park, Richardson, TX 7:00 and 8:30 shows

May

- 1 Sun. **Benefit for The Warm Place**, Stockyards Station, Ft. Worth, TX 2 shows starting at 4:00 p.m.
- 5 Thur. **Mayfest**, Trinity Park, Pavilion Stage, Ft. Worth, TX 2 shows starting at 8:00 p.m.
- 6 Fri. **Off Broadway**, St. Louis, MO
- 7 Sat. **Shubas**, Chicago, IL
- 8 Sun. **The Ark**, Ann Arbor, MI
- 10 Tue. **Ironhorse**, Northampton, MA
- 11 Wed. **Johnny D's**, Sommerville, MA 9:15 p.m.
- 13 Fri. **The Barns at Wolftrap**, Vienna, VA 9:00 p.m.
- 14 Sat. **Hanover High school Auditorium**, Hanover, PA 8:00 p.m. Martie and Emily Gaggy's Hometown Intercourse, PA...We always wondered where it was!
- 15 Sun. **City Limits**, Stephenville, TX 9:00 p.m.
- 18 Wed. **Four Seasons Resort and Club**, Irving, TX (private)
- 20 Fri. **Brian Jensen Disabled Athletes Golf Tourn.** Post Tournament Gala Concert, 2 shows starting at 7:00 p.m.
- 21 Sat. **Justin Boots Promotional Concert**, Chicago, IL
- 22 Sun. **Fan Jam**, Dallas, TX (tentative)
- 25 Wed. **Chumley's**, Deep Ellum, Dallas, TX
- 26 Thur. **Plaza of Renaissance Tower**, 1201 Elm Dallas, TX Lunchtime shows starting at 11:30 a.m.
- 27 Sat. **Artfest**, 500 Inc. 6:00 p.m.
- 28 Sat. **Kings Crossing Country Club**, 6201 Oso Pkwy., Corpus Christi, TX 3 shows starting at 8:00 p.m.

June

- 4 Sat. **Heart Assoc. Benefit Stockyards Stations**, Ft. Worth, TX 9:30 p.m.
- 10 Fri. **Ft. Worth Convention Center**, Ft. Worth, TX (private)
- 11 Sat. **Brazos Nights Festival**, Waco, TX 8:30 & 9:45 p.m.
- 13-17 **Go West Young Band!** Dates TBA
- 18 Sat. **West Fest / Boomtown**, Reno, NV
- 24 Fri. **Concerts In The Garden, Botanical Gardens**, Ft. Worth, TX 8:15 p.m....Bring a picnic

July

- 2 Sat. **Joe's Boot Shop & Country Jct.**, Muleshoe, TX 2:00 & 5:00 p.m....Gaaaaawwleeeee, we done hit the big time!!
- 8 Fri. **Spring Creek Festival w/ Ricky Van Shelton**, Garland, TX
- 11-15 **From Pocatello to Portland, we'll be pioneerin' some new places to play**
- 16 Sat. **Rendezvous in Moscow**, East City Park, Moscow, ID 7:00 p.m.
- 26 Tue. **Life of Virginia Concert Series**, Richmond, VA Free concert 7:00

**Check the Hotline for date and time changes and additional events.



If you lose your newsletter, you can call our number for the correct information.



