

How it all started in mid. 2001:

July 11 '04

It was with the very sad passing of 'Ronnie Lee' (Charlie Chester's, Playboy London & Bahamas and The Vic.) that people, mostly Playboy Bahamas, started to 'get in touch' with each other.

It started off with everyone emailing each other, lamenting Ronnie Lee and exchanging antidotes of the good old days in the Bahamas.

I started to keep a "list" of all the email addresses to share with everyone.

As you know, I got a bit carried away and now have all sorts of lists and even a web site.

Those who were not in from the beginning may not have seen all the early emails that I saved.

Enjoy...

--- Neil Glander < wrote:

Dear Playboy Bahamas List...

Attached, you will find the recent communications.

For those of you who are new to the list... Happy Reading.:)

If you have been on the list for a while, you will see

a lot of old stuff but you will also see some new additions.

Contributions from...

Dean Garside

123 Yes. The 123

Jonathan Strock

New additions to the list...

Paula

Blanca

Still working on Tina.

Please feel free to resubmit anything that I may have lost.

Ken Morris... This means you. You sent a great update but I seem to have lost it. Hope you (or anyone) can resubmit.

Mary Mac... I think I lost yours as well :(

On a personal note...:)

I hate Man. Utd. so much that I put \$40 on them to win the premiership. If that doesn't bock them, nothing will. (Up the Hammers)

Made a similar wager on the Yankees (Lets go Mets)

Just thought of a funny story. You know those little "dots" that come off tractor feed computer paper.

They were quite common place in the early PBB days.

They came off the Fill Slips.

I think it was my roommate, Billaricky, who managed to convince

Peter Hanratti, that a "PIP" had fallen of one of the die.

Picking up a "dot" with a moistened index finger....

"Oh No"..."A Pip has come off one of the dice"

He fell for it. Not for very long, but longer than anyone else would have, which was what made it so memorable.

For those of you who are enjoying all this but have yet to make a contribution, may you have a wining lottery ticket and put it on West Ham to win The Cup.

Hope all is well.

Neil

ATTACHMENT part 2 message/rfc822 name=Fw\_ .eml

From: "Neil Glander"

To: "Ken M"

"Donutz"

Subject: Fw:  
Date: Tue, 10 Jul 2001 03:10:18 -0400  
---- Original Message ----  
From: Douglas Graham  
To: [n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)  
Sent: Monday, July 09, 2001 5:38 PM

Dear Neil,  
Thanks for your e-mail.  
Trust all is well at your end. We are all fine here  
just been very busy these last few with weeks with the girls - sports day, music exam, concerts etc. Sorry  
thats all the good news I have at the moment!!!!  
Linda and I are going to Ronnie's funeral on Wednesday. I'll be in touch.  
Cheers Doug.

ATTACHMENT part 3 message/rfc822 name=What kind of  
chap\_\_\_\_.eml  
From: "Neil Glander" <  
"Robin"  
"Rich H"  
"Ken M"  
"Doug"  
"Donutz"  
Subject: What kind of chap???  
Date: Fri, 13 Jul 2001 05:49:35 -0400  
A story about what "kind" of guy, sorry, chap, Ronnie Lee was.

And... A trivia question.  
If you were not there, you will remember hearing about a serious road accident that I was involved in  
shortly after Playboy Bahamas opened.  
I had no physical injuries but was in a right old 2 and 8 for some time having caused serious injuries to my  
pasangers.  
I could not be left alone!!!  
Bernie (a.k.a. Ernie Balloon) put me up for a few days but eventually I had to go back to work.  
That night, sensing that I would still, "rather not  
be left alone", Ronnie insisted that I spend the night at "Animal Farm"  
There was however, a condition...  
Ronnie also insisted that "I", drive the boys home, in their car.  
I can remember it like it was yesterday...  
It was one of the most uncomfortable things I ever did.  
I wanted to drive a car like I wanted a hole in head.  
It was many months before I drove again but I will never forget the thought behind the gesture.  
While everyone (I had known for only a few weeks)  
was saying and doing "The Right Thing", Ronnie found a way to "Go The Extra Mile". That's just the  
"kind" of chap he was!

O.K...! Trivia Question...  
The Car that I drove to The Farm that night  
was an old (even then) White, Ford Mustang,  
Called...????????????????????

Hope you are all fit and well as I am.  
Will add Don to this list a.s.a.p.  
Have names to add to list??????????  
T.T.F.N.

Neil

ATTACHMENT part 4 message/rfc822 name=Fw\_  
Swanee Lee.eml  
From: "Neil Glander"  
To: "Roy R"  
"Robin"  
"Rich H"  
"Ken M"  
"Doug" <  
"Donutz"  
"Don K"  
Subject: Fw: SwaneeLee  
Date: Sat, 14 Jul 2001 05:49:38 -0400

----- Original Message -----  
From: jan.robinson1 (Roy Robinson)  
To: [n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)  
Sent: Friday, July 13, 2001 6:41 PM  
Subject: SwaneeLee

Neil,  
Don Kennaugh forwarded your e-mail to me.  
The trivia question... Could the answer be (not)  
Captain Flipper (the great Whitehorn!) PLONKER.  
Neil that was a lovely memory. I'd forgotten a lot  
of things about the Bahamas.  
I'm in tears as I write this. Ronnies funeral was on  
Thursday. Lots of faces. Derek Morris  
Basher Barton, Chris Shuter, Dougie & Linda Graham,  
Paul (GRIM ) Griffin, and over 150 more!  
The story you told was lovely Neil. Seeing your words  
I felt a comradeship from a long time ago  
On behalf of my very dear and much missed friend I thank you.  
Keep in touch and pass on my best to all who knew us.  
P.S. Anyone know where 'H' is?

Regards ANIMAL FARM

PPS. What should have been taken down on 12th night  
but was still up at Easter in Animal Farm?

ATTACHMENT part 5 message/rfc822 name=Mr. Lee.eml  
From: "Neil Glander" <  
To: "Roy R"  
CC: "Robin"  
"Rich H"  
"Ken M" <  
"Doug"  
"Donutz"  
"Don K"  
Subject: Mr. Lee  
Date: Sat, 14 Jul 2001 06:27:41 -0400

Roy  
Thanks so much for dropping me a line.  
How long has it been. I shudder to think.

I forwarded your a-mail (to me) to everyone on my Playboy list. I sent it to you as well so that you will have their addresses as well.

What a shame that something like this has to happen for us all to get back in touch.

I will make a point of looking you up next time I am in The Smoke.

I hope you were joking about the name of the car but if you really can't remember...

A clue... It was a Farm Animal

As for your trivia question, the only thing I can remember still being up at Easter was...

"your Allans and Hickories on the chandelier".

Cheers

Neil.

ATTACHMENT part 6 message/rfc822 name=Ronnie Lee.eml

From: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>

To: "Chris A" (C. Ash)

Subject: Ronnie Lee

Date: Sun, 15 Jul 2001 05:46:52 -0400

'ello, me old china, long time no vidie.

You may know this already, but Ronnie Lee passed away last week and as a result, some of the old Boys have been exchanging e-mails and address. I got yours from Richard Henderson.

Let me know if its ok to put you on my "Playboy" list (which I will put below)

If you like I will also send you some of the e-mails that have been bouncing around.

All Richard said was that you are happily married with 2 sprogs and living in the Czech Republic. Good for you mate!

I am still in Connecticut working as a Pit

Boss at the Mohegan Sun.

Keep in touch

Up The Hammers!!!

Neil.

ATTACHMENT part 7 message/rfc822 name=Re\_Growing List.eml

From: "Neil Glander"

To:

Subject: Re: Growing List

Date: Sun, 15 Jul 2001 07:19:09 -0400

Thanks for the addresses Rocky.

I am still up here in Connecticut.

"Mohegan Sun"

A web site. What a fantastic idea.

I will ask if anyone on the list is capable of such a thing. If not, I will give it a go.

I am assuming that Kim is a friend of yours from Freeport. There are a few x Freeport chaps up here that she may remember...

Steve Fox, Adrian Petheric, Kevin Milton. +++

Hope all is well. Neil.

----- Original Message -----

From: stephen m russell

To: Neil Glander

Sent: Sunday, July 15, 2001 5:14 AM

Subject: Re: Growing List

Neil here's a few more maybe it time to do a  
playboy bahamas page  
check this out it a link about Freeport dealers.

Hi Stephen/Rocky?

You are still at PI now? how are things? It seems as if the last ex-pats are soon to depart from Freeport, how is it with PI? The web address is: [www.](http://www.)

Hit enter, on the next page, scroll down to where it says: Freeport dudes log in here....On the next page, the id is: dealer and the P'word is: blackjack  
There is a Forum on the main page which is readonly, the password to write or answer postings is: taino  
Enjoy, let me know what you think.  
regards,  
Kim

Steve Hayward Gerry Reynolds Jeanette Taylor Noel Picker Sue Groves

Neil Glander wrote:

Like a Hampton in the German...It just keeps getting larger. This is my latest "Playboy" list...

Chris A

ATTACHMENT part 8 message/rfc822 name=T.T..eml

From: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>

To: "Donutz" <[donutz@bellsouth.net](mailto:donutz@bellsouth.net)>

Subject: T.T.

Date: Mon, 16 Jul 2001 02:18:38 -0400

Trevor was a bit of a late comer but he was at playboy.  
I remember playing Poker with him.  
What a "good winner" he was!  
Thanks for the new addresses, I got some from Rocky as well.  
Will send updated list...  
Will also Fwd. a letter from Doris that I know will make you smile.  
One of the names that Rocky gave me was Sue Groves.  
I have vague recollection of the name but that's about it.  
Should she be on the list?  
tfn Neil.

ATTACHMENT part 9 message/rfc822 name=Ronnie.eml

From: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>

To: "Richard H" <[rhend@yahoo.com](mailto:rhend@yahoo.com)>

Subject: Ronnie

Date: Mon, 16 Jul 2001 02:44:05 -0400

From what I can gather he had been under the weather for some time with diabetes although it was a massive heart attack that caused his death. I am certainly no expert and don't know if one can causes the other.  
At the risk of stating the obvious, Roy would have all the answers. I don't know if you ever kept in touch with him but I am sure he would love to hear from you.  
I can hear it now... "Fuckin' Doris" !!!  
Hope you don't mind but I am going to Fwd. your last letter to me, to a few people. Will put you on the list so that you can see who I sent it too.

ATTACHMENT part 10 message/rfc822 name=Fw\_  
Sunday.eml  
From: "Neil Glander" <  
To: "Roy R"  
"Richard H" <  
"Ken M"  
"Harry H"  
"Donutz"  
"Don K"  
"Chris A" <  
Subject: Fw: Sunday  
Date: Mon, 16 Jul 2001 02:46:38 -0400

----- Original Message -----  
From: "Richard Henderson" <[rhend@yahoo.com](mailto:rhend@yahoo.com)>  
To: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
Sent: Sunday, July 15, 2001 7:50 PM  
Subject: Re: Sunday

Dear Neil,  
I doubt very much that Chris is aware of Ronnie's death, I do keep in touch with him and I know he's very happy teaching English in Czechoslavacia (never could spell it though). I will let him know. Was it ever determined what the problem was with Ronnie?  
I know he was far too young to die so suddenly.  
Really tragic and a solid reminder to all of us to make thevery best of life today, which oddly enough must have been one of Ronnie's personal moto's as long as I knew him.

Very very sad. I appreciate all the notes and  
I'm sure there will be more "Stories" in the pipeline as people's memories get jogged, as I recall, I went to "Donuts" petrol party as a "Roller skating waitress" and won first prize" thanks to Nigel Rogers creative talent and my own rather dashing legs! I looked pretty good as a blonde! Keep in touch.  
Love Richard

ATTACHMENT part 11 message/rfc822 name=Fw\_ Ronnie  
Lee.eml  
From: "Neil Glander"  
To: "Don K"  
"Donutz" <  
"Ian C"  
"Ken M"  
"Richard H"  
"Rocky"  
"Roy R"  
"Robin P" <  
"Doug G" <  
"Chris A"  
"Trevor T"  
"Jimmy Mac"  
"Harry H"  
"Gerry R"  
"Jeanette T"  
"Neil G" <

"Noel P"

Subject: Fw: Ronnie Lee  
Date: Mon, 16 Jul 2001 03:16:06 -0400  
Thought you would all like to see a recent communication from Chris Ash.  
New updated list with more names... Soon!

----- Original Message -----

From: chris ash  
To: Neil Glander  
Sent: Sunday, July 15, 2001 5:13 PM  
Subject: Re: Ronnie Lee

Hi Neil , what a nice surprise to hear from you ,was it 20 years ago we went to watch the Hammers at Wembley ?? a lot of beer has passed through our systems since then although I stopped drinking 6 years ago !!! no I'm not weird or religious I just got bored with it .I did try a short stint back in the casino as you might have heard from Rod but it didn't go too well as I soon found out how burnt out I really am , as after about 2 months I was climbing the walls but I stuck it out to show my now wife, Hani , the places I used to hang out which was a great chance .So you have reached the dizzy heights of a PB good for you ,cushy number !!, did you marry Blanca ? and if so are you still with her ? any dustbin lids ? or even trashcan lids which doesn't seem to have the same ring to it ? saying that , my son Adam who is 4 next week already speaks Czech better than me but will support the Hammers !! my daughter Kristina is only 1 so she is still doing her chimpanzee imitations whilst attempting to walk ? I am teaching English to the natives at a private language school so the hours are great as I only work until 1 PM mostly, I still follow the Hammers of course and am hoping to connect to sky digital although it has been a very long and expensive road in doing so ?? I was in London last month visiting my brother and attempting to get some business going?. Yes put me on the Playboy list and send me all the news that you know, I didn't know about Ronnie and am very saddened to hear about it, how did he die? do you still follow the Dolphins ? I always look back with great memories of when we all went over on the chalks flight to watch the Monday night game, then piling into our rented cameros and speeding off to Lauderdale to stay at the candy store!! . Do you want to attempt to write all the names of those who worked at Playboy ? remember Steve Kaye did it once and I had always wished I had copied it , do you have any momentos I still have a brand new ,still rolled up Playboy dice layout and some older BJ cloths also chips and the original brochure with Farah on the front ?  
Wow !! that was a lot off my chest I will end now before I use up all my disk space ?  
Keep in touch ,  
Chris

-----Original Message-----

From: Neil Glander <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
To: Chris A <[moldavite@volny.cz](mailto:moldavite@volny.cz)>  
Date: 15 July 2001 11:46  
Subject: Ronnie Lee

'ello, me old china, long time no vidie.You may know this already, but Ronnie Lee passed away last week and as a result, some of the old Boys have been exchanging e-mails and address. I got yours from  
Richard Henderson.  
Let me know if its ok to put you on my "Playboy" list (which I will put below)  
If you like I will also send you some of the e-mails that have been bouncing around.  
All Richard said was that you are happily married with 2 sprogs and living in the Czech Republic. Good for you mate!

I am still in Connecticut working as a Pit Boss at the Mohegan Sun.  
Keep in touch  
Up The Hammers!!!  
Neil.

ATTACHMENT part 12 message/rfc822 name=Up The Hammers.eml  
From: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
Subject: Up The Hammers  
Date: Mon, 16 Jul 2001 04:53:56 -0400

What a long letter, I don't know if I can compete with that.  
You must have left The Bahamas earlier than I thought if you are asking if I married Blanca.  
We Married in '85 and split up '92 when I came up here to Connecticut. She re-married in about '95/'96  
We talk often and consider each other as "The Best Friend We Ever Had!" Her Husband is a fantastic chap and very understanding of our friendship. Many people think it strange that X's can be best friends but fuck them!  
To answer a few questions...  
Yes I think it was exactly 20 years ago (Hammers, Wembley)  
'81 rings a bell.  
No binlids.  
Ronnie had been having problems with diabetes but died from a heart attack. Roy is on "The List". Ask him.  
I am sure he would love to hear from you.  
Do I still follow the Dolphins?  
Your memory is failing you there mate...

Never have, Never did, Never will...  
Jets and Vikings mate! Also big Mets Fan!  
Anyway... Enough of this Petrol Bollocks...!...  
P.B... Cushy number???... Not really... 40% Bored,  
40% Buried 19% Cushy. "Brains of a Pit Boss!!!"  
No. I don't want to attempt to name everyone that worked at PB but am quite happy compiling and distributing lists of email addresses.  
Chips. Worth a bob or two!!! Sold some when a few years ago.  
I still have some white \$1 chips and some training chips.  
Brochure with Farah on the front!... An image that has not crossed my mind for 15/20 years but is now as clear as a bell. Thank you!  
I think I still have some bumper stickers.  
White/Silver "Don't Gamble with your life"  
I will also send you a few of the weeks letters to get you caught up.  
Talk again soon.  
Neil.

From: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
To: <[SH777111@aol.com](mailto:SH777111@aol.com)>  
Subject: Re: Playboy Bahamas  
Date: Wed, 18 Jul 2001 15:00:05 -0400

Thanks mate. Very funny. I will Fwd. this to "The List"  
I will try and come up with a few.  
Neil.

----- Original Message -----

From: <[SH777111@aol.com](mailto:SH777111@aol.com)>

To: <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>

Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2001 11:25 AM

Subject: Playboy Bahamas

Dear Neil

Since hearing the news of Ronnie i have been  
reminiscing the good old days of the Bahamas.I can say that

without a doubt they were the best years of my life.  
Ronnie took me under his wing from the very first  
days we worked to gether at Charlie Chesters and the Playboy London.  
I always had total admiration for Ronnie as a dealer and more so as a  
person.

He was one of the very few people i have met that  
never had a bad word to say  
about anyone. Ronnie would do anything for anyone,  
and for me at the time being a young wet behind the ears lumpy craps  
dealer he really helped me through some difficult times.  
If you can find any group pics of Ronnie i would  
really appreciate them.

Some of the funniest memories of the Bahamas include:  
Anything CHRIS WHITEHORN did especially the glass  
eating trick while wearing the white John Travolta suit .  
His car rolling into the sea as he was trying to  
get lucky on the beach.

Ordering the duck medium rare at the Ocean Spray restaurant.

Waking up after spending the night sleeping on the  
hedge where he lived plus many more.

The other funniest memory that i still tell people  
to this day about was when TREVOR THACKERY

just bought a state of the art video camera and was  
doing the filming and commentary of the Caroline Clark golf tourney.

He was set up behind the 8th green at the

Ambassador Beach Golf Course and

his running commentary went like this

"Harry Heyward looks like his hit a real good 5 iron thats heading  
straight for the green"

all of a sudden the ball hits his camera with a  
tremendous bang and all you hear is a very loud

"HIS HIT MY FUCKING CAMERA"

But just to round this off, the camera is still  
rolling as you see a shocked looking Trevor peering

into the lens to see if there was any damage.

I am doing well and living in Hollywood Fl. I'm  
still in the business and keep in touch with

Tim , Rocky and Richard.  
Take care and lets all keep in touch . Harry Heyward

ATTACHMENT part 14 message/rfc822 name=Fw\_ Playboy  
Bahamas.eml  
Date: Wed, 18 Jul 2001 15:26:38 -0400  
A letter from Steve H. (aka. Harry the Kipper)

--- Original Message ----  
From: <[SH777111@aol.com](mailto:SH777111@aol.com)>  
To: <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2001 11:25 AM  
Subject: Playboy Bahamas  
Dear Neil

----- Original Message -----  
From: <[donutz@bellsouth.net](mailto:donutz@bellsouth.net)>  
To: "Rich H" <[rhend@yahoo.com](mailto:rhend@yahoo.com)>  
Cc: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
Sent: Monday, July 16, 2001 7:50 AM  
Subject: Claim verification  
Richard is indeed correct.  
Donuts

ATTACHMENT part 16.2 image/jpeg name=LWF1.JPG

ATTACHMENT part 17 message/rfc822 name=Andy Watt.eml  
From: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
To: "Donutz" <[donutz@bellsouth.net](mailto:donutz@bellsouth.net)>  
Subject: Andy Watt  
Date: Sat, 21 Jul 2001 06:14:56 -0400  
Rod. Just pasted this ad from gamingfloor.com  
Must be the same Andy Watt, right...  
Hope all is well... Neil.  
NAME: Mike and Anne  
PRESENTLY IN: Africa  
IS LOOKING FOR: Andy Watt, Dave Bradford, David Watt,  
THE CLUES ARE: Andy, Hyatt Greece last heard of at  
Carnival Cruise line, David B, should be in Rhodes,  
David W, Sailing around the Greek Isles on a calm day.  
E-MAIL: [mike\\_anne2000@hotmail.com](mailto:mike_anne2000@hotmail.com)

ATTACHMENT part 18 message/rfc822 name=Re\_ Andy  
att.eml  
Date: Sun, 22 Jul 2001 21:01:19 -0400  
From: [donutz@bellsouth.net](mailto:donutz@bellsouth.net)  
To: Neil Glander <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>, [decasmgr@carnival.com](mailto:decasmgr@carnival.com)  
Subject: Re: Andy Watt  
Neil,  
Its definitely him so I am forwarding it.  
This has been a good  
experience exchanging emails with the old crowd.

Rodney

ATTACHMENT part 19 message/rfc822 name=[Fwd\_ Scheme

for casino complex revealed  
([http://www.surreyad.co.uk\\_news\\_20-07-01\\_new](http://www.surreyad.co.uk_news_20-07-01_new)].eml  
Date: Wed, 25 Jul 2001 18:42:55 -0400  
From: [donutz@bellsouth.net](mailto:donutz@bellsouth.net)  
To: Neil Glander <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>, Chris A

I thought this news item might interest those of you who remember Michel Harper.

Regards,

ATTACHMENT part 20 message/rfc822  
name=Playboy-Bahamas.eml  
From: "Dean Garside"  
[Ryan@deangarside.freeserve.co.uk](mailto:Ryan@deangarside.freeserve.co.uk)>  
To: <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
Subject: Playboy-Bahamas  
Date: Sat, 28 Jul 2001 10:16:07 +0100

Dear Neil,

Saw your email on gamingfloor, for Playboy Bahamas staff, well that was me Dean Garside arrived there APR 3 '1978 with Farah .Glen and Angie Hunt .stayed in Emerald Beach hotel for six weeks then moved out to Coral Harbour with Gary Bailey ,Mick Brassington, and Steve Hayward stayed there for a few weeks then moved back to Spike Villas at Cable Beach next door to Animal Farm ( the late Ronnie Lee and Roy Robinson lived there).Me I went back to England in'79 then out to South Africa for three years in the early eighties back to UK again where I worked at various casinos Connoisseur(2 years) Barracuda(5years) then in '92 I sold up in London and moved to the north east of England with my wife and two kids up to Durham and have been working for Grosvenor in Newcastle upon Tyne for the last 10 yrs .Can you remember Bunny Meisha!!! (Playboy London--Brief stint in Nassau) she is also up here working up here in Newcastle for Stanley Casinos. Well maybe I;ll here from you soon and you can up date me on any of the people that we both worked with in Nassau, a lot of the guys came back to London Tim Mitchell, Woody Allen(pitboss) and so on if you want to know about any of them I may be able to help you locate them. bye for now  
Dean.

ATTACHMENT part 21 message/rfc822 name=Playboy Bahamas.eml  
From: STROCK Jonathan  
To: [n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)  
Subject: Playboy Bahamas  
Date: Tue, 31 Jul 2001 09:46:58 +0200  
Do you remember me by any chance, Playboy 1981 to 83  
Jonathan Strock  
Accor Casinos

France

ATTACHMENT part 22 message/rfc822 name=Re\_ Playboy Bahamas.eml

From: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>

To: "STROCK Jonathan"

[STROCK\\_Jonathan@accor-casinos.com](mailto:STROCK_Jonathan@accor-casinos.com)>

Subject: Re: Playboy Bahamas

Date: Tue, 31 Jul 2001 05:14:07 -0400

I most certainly remember the name but to be very honest, I can't put a face to it. I do however, see a tall skinny ice-cream with a curly barnet. Hope I'm not too far off.

You may not know, but Ronnie Lee passed away quite suddenly a few weeks ago. This very sad event had a silver lining in as much as it got all, well most, of us Playboy Bahamas people chatting again. There has been much exchanging of anecdotes and updating of lives. The last PB list had 18 email addresses and the next (out soon) will have 23. There is no doubt in my mind that many on the list will remember you better then I do but then again, I will remember you once you have shared a few anecdotes. Let me know what you have been up to so I can fwd it to everyone and get you into the loop.

Hope all is well,

Neil

ATTACHMENT part 23 message/rfc822 name=Re\_

Sorry!!!.eml

Date: Tue, 31 Jul 2001 21:28:26 -0400

From: [donutz@bellsouth.net](mailto:donutz@bellsouth.net)

To: Neil Glander <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>

Subject: Re: Sorry!!!

Everything fine though quite stressful work wise. The family just left to visit Julie's Dad for 8 days so I'm kind of like a batchelor this week but I can't really remember what I'm supposed to do. I thought of proposing a Great British Casino Reunion on a ship or ships next year. We have a brand new one that will do two x 2day cruises out of London in August and later it comes to New York and does the same there.

I thought about throwing it out on the Internet as an idea and giving people the ability to book on the web. The

Main problem is that they will all sell out really fast once the Travel Agents get it.

What do you think?

Rodney

Neil Glander wrote:

Sorry. Not Billy McGee. He would certainly be on the Playboy list if it were. Come to think of it, he would be the first Petrol Someone else was looking for him on "gamingfloor".I think it was Roy Robinson. Speaking of "gamingfloor".... My ad. turned up a new name.

Dean Garside.I will send you (everyone) his letter.You're right. This> > is a lot of fun. Hope all is well...Love to all,  
Neil

ATTACHMENT part 24 message/rfc822 name=Re\_ Correct e-mail address\_.eml

From: [PATROVA@aol.com](mailto:PATROVA@aol.com)  
Date: Wed, 1 Aug 2001 17:36:12 EDT  
Subject: Re: Correct e-mail address?  
To: [n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)  
Hi Neil. yes this is my correct e-mail address. nice  
to hear from you , hope  
you are well , love Paula x

ATTACHMENT part 26 message/rfc822 name=thanx.eml  
Reply-to: "jan.robinson1"  
From: "jan.robinson1" <[jan.robinson1@ntlworld.com](mailto:jan.robinson1@ntlworld.com)>  
To: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
Subject: thanx  
Date: Sun, 5 Aug 2001 22:38:34 +0100

Dear Neil Thanks for all the messages etc. Have  
found Billy mAgee  
cheers mate Roy

ATTACHMENT part 27 message/rfc822 name=Neil  
Glander.eml  
From: "Don O'leary" <[dono@crownltd.com.au](mailto:dono@crownltd.com.au)>  
To: "[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
Subject: Neil Glander  
Date: Wed, 8 Aug 2001 16:07:31 +1000  
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ATTACHMENT part 28 message/rfc822 name=Re\_  
Playboy-Bahamas.eml  
From: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>  
To: "Dean Garside"  
[Ryan@deangarside.freeserve.co.uk](mailto:Ryan@deangarside.freeserve.co.uk)>  
Subject: Re: Playboy-Bahamas  
Date: Fri, 10 Aug 2001 06:35:14 -0400

Fantastic to hear from you. Thanks so much for the update.

I will be sending you copies of all the recent communications.  
Happy Reading.  
"Meisha"...The name rings a bell. I want to say "a  
cute little bubbly blond thing" but I could be wrong. Must have a very  
"brief Stint".  
Hope all is well...  
Neil  
Hi Neil,  
I have returned this e-mail as you may be able to get  
some addresses from it (I don't know how to pull the  
addresses from my Address Book!).  
Hope this helps you out and thanks for the Football  
info, saw the highlights on TV this weekend, great  
goal from Gerrard. Ian has a copy of the other game if  
you want to see it.  
Regards,  
Don

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Neil, Hope all is well. One more address am working on some more  
all the best Rocky  
Brian Lamm  
[maxi0091@hotmail.com](mailto:maxi0091@hotmail.com)

Dear Neil,

Please note my new e-mail address so that you can keep me updated on Playboy-Bahamas

Cheers

Dean!!.

Neil, Hi from Cliff Trovarelli. Petrol here. Much to say, but later.

Hello Neil, I was over in Ireland for the last three weeks and came back to the US on Monday and went  
straight back to work....I was scheduled to leave on the 11th....my friend called and said I should turn the  
telly on.....on a lighter note, I would love to hear fro the old Playboy, (best in the world! crowd!!!)  
I saw that you e-mail Don O'Leary, where is he? We should have a fabulous reunion one of these  
days!!!!!!Are you in CT? still over the road?? Please e-mail me back and feel free to forward me e-mail  
address on at your discretion, best regards, NINA/Trish Hughes..

----- Original Message -----

**From:** [Neil Glander](#)

**To:** [Trish Hughes](#)

**Sent:** Tuesday, September 25, 2001 3:47 PM

**Subject:** Bunnie Nina...

...in the back of my Cortina!!!

Ha love, How you all doing. Saw your name on a message from Don K.

A lot of us Playboy Bahamas people have been communicating in the wake of the sad passing of Ronnie Lee. As sad as that was, it has produced much reminiscing and many amusing anecdotes. I have a list of over 20 email addresses which, with your permission, I will add you too. Glad to hear that you are still in the area.

Hope to hear from (and see) you soon.

Love,

Neil.

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Dear Neil, I am sorry that it has taking so long in getting back to you and indeed to all of you. Naturally like every one I was shocked to hear about Ronnie, an old neighbour. Like many of the e-mails you sent to me there are many happy memories of our time in the Bahamas. I am sure that almost all of you remember the wedding. For me and Sue it was a magical time. I do remember that during the service there was that point when the priest was blessing us with the holy water and on the down stroke he hit the microphone. There was a loud donk but to the congregation it look as though I had been hit on the head. For Richard and the others I can understand it was difficult to control themselves and some could not hold the composure and just burst out laughing.

Also do you remember that the limos that were used for the wedding were actually funeral cars! There were so many good memories.

The news is that we are still together and the only children we have are those that were born whilst we were there. Naturally they have all grown up Kerry, the eldest, works as a part time dealer. Tim is a dealer, Shane is an apprentice baker and Nicole is in her final years at school. Both Sue and myself are still in the industry and continue to think that it will not be long before we go and try something else, as yet it has not happened but you never know. Attached are some photograhs that just may bring back some memories. Good luck to all of you and keep up the good work Neil. By the way how is the web site going?

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From: "Don O'leary" <[dono@crownltd.com.au](mailto:dono@crownltd.com.au)>

To: "Donald O'Leary" <[glenmeath@ozemail.com.au](mailto:glenmeath@ozemail.com.au)>

Sent: Thursday, September 20, 2001 8:04 AM

Subject: FW: Neil Glander

Regards  
Don O'Leary  
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From: Neil Glander [mailto:[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)]  
Sent: Friday, 10 August 2001 21:41  
To: Don O'leary  
Subject: Re: Neil Glander

Wow!!! Me old mate 1.2.3.  
Great to hear from you.  
Consider yourself on "The List"  
Will send you, and everyone else, all the recent  
communications. You will have a ball reading this stuff.  
Looking forward to your contributions.  
PS. Has anyone out there got that picture...  
You know the one. Don is doing the barbequing  
but you can't see the people or the house for the smoke.  
Hope all is well.

Neil

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Sent: Wednesday, August 08, 2001 2:07 AM  
Subject: Neil Glander

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As of Tuesday October 23rd 2001, please do not use my Talisman e-mail  
address but use: [k.i.morriss@att.net](mailto:k.i.morriss@att.net) or [consultantkm@hotmail.com](mailto:consultantkm@hotmail.com).  
Also if you need to fax me something, please use: 1509 753 7999 (e-fax).  
Regards Ken

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Neil  
Here's Andy Watt e-mail  
Lucky West Ham  
all the best Rocky  
[imcasmgr@carnival.com](mailto:imcasmgr@carnival.com)



**From:** [chris ash](#)  
**To:** [Neil Glander](#)  
**Sent:** Sunday, December 09, 2001 6:02 PM  
**Subject:** Hi

Hi Neil , just a note to say TA for all the snippets you keep sending , we are all fine here I just returned from Austria on a 4 day skiing trip ,as we border Austria it's a short drive to some of the best slopes in Europe .We are in the process of opening our own language school and are that stage where we are waiting for ,carpenters ,plumbers ,books and me ! to finish painting the doors ?? we will be open in Feb and registration starts in 3 weeks ??? so fingers crossed for us .If this is passed onto every one , I found a site called "friends united " form which I looked up my old school ,left a message and was contacted by my best friend !! which was really interesting but a bit frightening as sometimes we have a rather rosy image of the past and tend to fade out the bad times so if you do go there expect a few skeletons to appear ?Hi to everyone and keep sending your life stories and any memories good or bad that you have of Playboy. Chris.

=====^  
iambilly@twcny.rr.com  
Neil i thought there would a lot of people out there that would love to get in touch with Billy. Regards Steve H  
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Tim it is great to hear that you are alive and well. It has been a long time between drinks and tonight I will toast to your health and happiness. Not to sure just how up to date you are but I guess that since I have not seen your e-mail on the Old Playboy Bahamas Staff listing you are missing some information. Neil Glander, currently in America, is the link pin for news and scandal for all ex Playboy (Bahamas) staff. As you can see from the attached listing there are a lot of names from the past. They will be happy to hear that another name has been found and I am sure will make contact with you. Just recently John Barton was hear in Australia and even though the time was short (24 hours) it was great to catch up with him and his wife Joyce. When you next visit Chrissy and Abel would you please give them our best and our e-mail address it would be great to hear from them. Attached is also a picture of the family, sorry for the red eye, still trying to come to terms with the machine. The picture was taken on my birthday, in case you have not guessed that is me in the front, a little more weight than before but that is only due to good living and a good wife. Speaking of the 'idle' Sue is just behind me, she has Nicole (left), Kerry (right) behind the girls are the boys Tim and Shane (with the hat). It was a great day and I had a great time but like all things they come to an end. For the time being this is it I hope you enjoy the picture and the connections. Happy New Year, will be thinking of you and some of the fun we had together.

Regards Don, Sue, Kerry, Tim, Shane and Nicole

----- Original Message -----

**From:** [The International Casino \( Gibraltar \)](#)  
**To:** [glenmeath@ozemail.com.au](#)  
**Sent:** Saturday, December 15, 2001 9:20 AM  
**Subject:** stolly still alive

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**To:** [n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)

**Sent:** Monday, January 14, 2002 10:39 PM

**Subject:** Re: Fw: Address???

Hello Neil, i'm at [HXSIBAGGAGE@aol.com](mailto:HXSIBAGGAGE@aol.com) for the next month or so.....HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!!!!  
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**To:** [n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 15, 2002 9:34 AM

**Subject:** Ian Boughey

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From Chris Ash...

Hi Neil , how was Blighty what about the match ?? we are a sinking ship and the sooner we get rid of

what's his name ?? as manager and get in someone with experience or bring back 'arry we will sink into the dark depths of the 2nd div .I am really sad to hear about Paulo he is the one player that everyone comes to watch and a once in a lifetime genius but when Man U comes knocking it's difficult to refuse but he won't be happy there after a while he will get pissed off sitting on the bench coming on for the last 10 mins but I guess he feels it's his last chance for a medal and I wish him well .

It was nice to read Mad dog Billys letter I have such vivid memories of him I remember he was on the box when I paid the first bet on a Vegas layout and all the gaming board were there waiting to see if we could deal with this new craps game and to be honest I wasn't too confident at first ,if you remember the old Bahamas game ,it was such a different layout it really took a bit of time to change over to the Vegas style ,anyway Billy as I remember him was one of the most popular ,fun ,mad ,blokes I have ever met he was always interesting with the places he had worked and the things he had done a real character and from his letter he has lived up to his reputation .

It was also interesting to read Ian Boughey's letter ,he and I were good mates , we trained for and ran the NY marathon I always knew he wasn't right for the casino , I contacted him in 1991 when I was working in Nice and he was in Geneva working for Brooks shoes as their main distributor ? or something like that , I was supposed to fly over and meet him but somehow didn't get around to do it and then lost touch and then hearing that he had opened a school was a bit of a shock as I had just opened mine he said he started with 20 students and that's what I have ! but I doubt if I will reach his total of 550 ? but who knows ?

I still laugh my bollocks off about the time me and Keith Hickling were on AR one night and I was chipping for 2 tables probably cos we were too pissed to deal anything else ?? we were using the plastic tops from the spiral on the wheel and giving them to people as drink holders trying to hold my laughs while asking them to put their drinks in it ?? ,I was peeing myself watching the little glass slam to the bottom and then watching their attempts to reach the straw with their fingers and sit there wondering how to drink it ,!!! Guess you had to be there ?? do you remember Steve Kaye ,also the junkets from Canada and the raffles which were held at the last minute before they left ? he was mad ,he got so peeed off doing it he once made an announcement that tonight's competition was to try and find the Bunny which was actually one of the lads dressed up as one and in order to win the prize you had to find him and declare that he is the bloke and you claim your prize ?? well I remember this little old lady ? standing for ages in front of what was the red haired girl from Manchester ,Melinda,Mellissa ?? any way this lady eventually declared she was the one in disguise and she claimed her prize which put this girl into tears ? poor thing ? and the time we signed all the photos of Hugh Hefner in the Playboy brochures and passed them off as real ? does anyone have any good momentos ? I have a brand new still rolled up full dice layout and 2 BJ cloths ?? also a few training chips and a BJ shoe , also a 1975 West Ham cup final shirt and a 1965 Cup final prog ??? sorry the last 2 were only for your interest ,

keep in touch

Chris

Chris,

Blighty was great. Fantastic being Home for the Holidays. (Politically Incorrect to say

Christmas in USA) The match was very entertaining despite Arsenal being their usual boring self's.

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You remember more than I about the "good old days". I laughed out loud whilst reading your latest anecdotes. A couple of names came up that I have been thinking about. Steve Kay... I remember dealing craps one day, he was box and I was being distracted by a piece gum which was right where I wanted my foot to be. "What's the matter with you"? "I'm sticking to the floor!"... "Oh my God, Glander 's discovered gravity!!!

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Hope you remember some more stories soon.

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Neil.

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I must admit that having the Sky digital makes life here easier but my Czech is worse from not listening to the CZ progs .

Keep in touch ,

Chris ,

oh talking of Hickling we worked together on a little casino boat in !984 going on 1 day cruises from San Diego to Mexico ? we had a laugh but it got a bit boring and I left after a few months ,I heard he went to

Engien in Paris with Martin Strong but I'm not sure ,Paul Berne was one of the managers of Casino Austria somewhere in Poland ?? when I was the Assistant here ,do you remember Doris pushing Kevin Brookes in the pool one afternoon when he came out posing on a break he wasn't happy ?? or when this old security guard eat a large piece of a special !!! cake someone had brought in ?? and had to be taken to hospital as he thought he was having a heart attack but was miraculously fine the next day ??

End PB3

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I received a telephone call from Peter Byrne in London several nights ago inquiring as to my health and welfare as I had not replied to a couple of e-mails sent by him reference the upcoming trip to Oz by himself and Maria this October to visit his son (one of the twins) who is now working out of Sydney. This call made me realise that I had a P.C. e-mail problem, which since the change of ibm.net to attglobal.net has beset my antique set with ongoing 'hell'. When I finally corrected the latest glitch last night, there were 41 separate e-mails waiting at the 'gate', many being connected with your U.K.& Bahamas Playboy lists. What a pleasant onslaught! I am still in touch with many 'Playboyites' including Derek Barnard who is 72 years old now, as also is Andy Wheeler (Chief Cashier London) and Ron Hurley in Oz who left London to open the first Casino in Australia.

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I will use the photos of the reunion to make a list of people who may be remembered by people on either or both of your current lists. Tim Mitchell is in Gibraltar, but I have lost touch in recent months, and Robin Powell is presently living in Atlantic City. Wally Foord phoned me from Spain in January to update and to complain that he wasn't told about the reunion.

I was pleased to see that Victor made contact with you, and look forward to sending him a greeting. The Playboy years were and are a tremendous part of my life experience, and are irreplaceable in terms of the people themselves and their obvious and continuing attachment to each other. Sincere and Kind Regards.

Bernie,

How nice to hear from you. Welcome to the list(s)

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Ed Petty just made the UK list much longer but three of the "new names" are bouncing back. If anyone can help, they are Michael Brooks, Val Lownes and Stewart Knight.

To check the list in MS Outlook Express:

Right click - Properties - Details.

Bernie... I will never forget how kind you were to me in my hour of need, when I had that road accident in Nassau and I "thought" that I had killed someone. Thank you once again and many times.

You were wrong about one thing though!!!

You probably always thought of me as a young whipper-snapper that would never amount to much. Well, guess what!!!???

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Feb '03...

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some time now!)

Dear Neil, I see that you are now settling in, 'a couple of towns over' and wish you well with the future. I am fascinated by the enjoyment that is being derived from your Playboy Lists and by the renewals of old friends and acquaintances. I have recently exchanged correspondence with Paul Stabb. Please give my regards to David and I will write to the 'Kowski' in the next several days. I was recently the surprise guest at the Sue Oleary 50th which was expertly arranged by her children (and Don ) and fortunately I was not required to 'leap' out of a cake in School Uniform, but was held incognito in the 'Gents' toilet downstairs until the appropriate moment of surprise. It has always surprised and delighted me that Sue really has no understanding of how much people truly 'Love' and appreciate her and her attitude to her Family and her many friends. A fine person and a fine couple. Going back to the 'Gents' toilet, after several approaches of a dubious nature I removed myself to the 'Ladies', so much more refined. It has been slightly HOT here in Queensland recently, but looks to improve in latter days, but I am taking myself off to Tasmania

for 5 days to visit with some of the real 'Golden Oldies' such as Ron Hurley and Peter Barnard (Derek's brother)> Take Care.

End PB 6

Enter Playboy U.K.

Neil,

While in London I chatted to several old Playboy employees from London in the seventies together with many Bahamas employees from after Playboy's demise. All are interested in making contact but they fall outside the original criteria for our group which was 'Playboy, Bahamas'. What do you think? I am inclined to add all who want to the list since it is all part of the value and enjoyment of networking. This is why I check gamingfloor.com every day.

Rodney

Hi Playboy UK List.

Yes folks, there are now two Playboy Lists.

Playboy Bahamas, and now, Playboy UK.

Names of people that I never knew started to come up, so I decided to make a UK list. I was only at London Playboy for a short while before becoming one of only six people who can say that they opened and closed Playboy Bahamas.

This list is mainly for the benefit of David, Mike and John, who I never knew.

I have added names from the Bahamas List that I know were in London before me. Let me know if I should add any more.

Happy Communicating...

Hope all is well,

Neil.

Hi Mike,

Someone said they had seen you in the bar at the TCS stand but I never managed to make contact. I have copied this to Neil Glander at the Mohegan Sun who has been circulating email addresses. I know I already gave you Bernie's. I think we will have to look seriously at starting an ex Playboy Casino message board or web site.

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You can add my name, Ricky Pritchard spent time there early 70,s training with Gay and Derek Barnard then on to v.i.p. lounge with Jim Wrethman, Worked with Bernie and have stayed friends with him ever since and Dave Marshall. Still got great memories and miss the guys lots regards Ricky

Hi this is Bunny Polly

I worked at Playboy from 1972 to 1975 then to the Clermont until 1979.

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Best wishes Polly DUERDEN. (Nina never was good at spelling)

A OK , I got your message, don't forget John Lan, speak to you soon about the( good good good) old day's

Roger

Hi Neil,

Could you enter my address as [bowen@mombasatown.com](mailto:bowen@mombasatown.com) as it is far easier to retrieve messages! I look forward to hearing from all those grey haired mates from the past...by the way I'm still blond and look about 42!

Mombasa is a great destination for any considered reunion...we have the beaches and the safaris to 'combine' many great discounts available through associates with Game Lodges & hotels. Plus I have the casino..check out my location: [www.tamarind.co.ke](http://www.tamarind.co.ke)

Regards, Mike Bowen.

Dear Playboy UK list...

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of email addresses. Thank you David, for getting Roger sorted.

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able to chat with everyone on the list.

See attachment, PBUK1, to get updated on the gossip.

Nothing to juice yet. All very,... I'm here, where the fuck are you,

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I view this list as being in two parts...

1: Playboy London. Most of whom I never met, and...

2: Those of you who were on the Playboy Bahamas list and were at 45 before I was.

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There was a staff party where I remember a couple of blokes playing the part of the ultra ego of a Dealer and an Inspector who, having started out, treating Abdul with the respect to which he was accustomed, ended up strangling him with his tie... Howls of approving laughter! ...Would have been around xmas '77.

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"FAB"????????... "That's a naff old saying," said I.

"Fuck A Bunny!" he said!... So I did!... Those were the days!!!!!!!!!!!!!!...

...Then there's the Fleetwood Mac album, "Rumors"!... When ever I hear a track from that album, it reminds me of the trips that Rod and I made from Highgate to Hyde Park every day! I'll bet he still has the 8 Track! (Just kidding!, it was a cassette.) Makes you (one) feel old, though!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

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Subject: Playboy UK list

Hi Rodney,

Was unable to attend the 2002 ICE due to a family bereavement. Long time no  
speak. Carnival are very much in the headlines today, hope all goes well. I  
am still working for the Sterling Group in various vertical publications.

David Marshall told me of the new Playboy listing, could you add me to this  
or send me the contact details for Neil Glander?

Hope to catch up soon.

All the best as always

Tynna Phillips

Hello Neil,

Please add my details to the Playboy London list, I was one of the original  
bunnies in Park Lane and worked for Rank after numerous take-overs, until  
1993.

Look forward to the chat & updates.

Regards

Tynna Phillips

End PBUK1

Coming soon... PBUK2

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Dear All, (UK List)

Like an Ice Cream's Hampton in a Richard's Elastic...

It just keeps getting larger...

The List! that is. We are now 21 strong!

Two more names to be added:

Jon Harris

E-mail Address(es):

[casinos@attglobal.net](mailto:casinos@attglobal.net)

Tynna Phillips

E-mail Address(es):

[tynna\\_phillips@hotmail.com](mailto:tynna_phillips@hotmail.com)

See attachment PBUK1 that is now complete.

5 pages of ms word. All the good stuff.

Delete all previous PBUK1 and save this one.

Coming soon, with your help, PBUK2

Hope all is well,

Neil.

Ken,

Thanks, I'm glad you like it.

It's not that time consuming. Just a bit of the old cut & paste.

Hope all is well,

Neil.

----- Original Message -----

From: <[k.i.morriss@att.net](mailto:k.i.morriss@att.net)>

To: "Neil Glander" <[n.glander@snet.net](mailto:n.glander@snet.net)>

Sent: Friday, February 15, 2002 9:25 AM

Subject: Re: New Names

> Neil this is great, but don't you have anything else to do?  
> I've got involved in a racing team. We race Grand Prix  
> cars, Porsches, Ferraris etc in the Rolex races such as  
> the Le Mans 24 hour race. I'm their business manager and  
> I'm looking for sponsors. If anyone is interested,  
> please e-mail me and I'll forward a package.  
> Regards Ken Morriss

I would suggest Roger Saunders: [rogerds@hotmail.com](mailto:rogerds@hotmail.com) presently in Bulgaria, who would love to be included.

Roger joined us Freeport and left to work in Canadian casino for the past 20 years.

Mike.

----- Original Message -----

From: [VictorLownes@cs.com](mailto:VictorLownes@cs.com)

To: [epetty@ukgateway.net](mailto:epetty@ukgateway.net)

Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2002 3:32 PM

Subject: Re: Fw: New Names

How come I'm not on your list of addresses? By all means let the others know how they can reach me. They might want to for quick reference. Vic

Neil,

When we were lumpy dealers being abused by the likes of Shaw and Lucas could you ever have imagined that Victor would contact you and you would forward it to Bernie. Strange world.  
Donuts

Rod. Technical, it was a "fwd." from Edward Petty but as you say, strange world. "Who'd o' thunk it".  
Neil

Hello there Neil, Although a few people, such as Eddy P have my email address, it would be nice to be added to your 'official list' of ex Playboy employees. Reading a recent email from Eddy and David Marshall it was like going down memory lane looking at all those names from the past. How well I recall those 10years from 1972 onwards - the FUN years. looking forward to keeping in touch -regards - Malcolm Kessel

Hi Neal,

This is Ricki Chavez-Munoz, Playboy UK 1972-1980.  
David Marshall has copied me the list you are creating and would like you to add my address as follows:

[rrchm@yahoo.com](mailto:rrchm@yahoo.com)

I dont remember working with you, and if we did, please accept my apologies for not having your name or face at the fore of my memorable archives!

All the same, surely we know most of the people on the list and give them all my warmest regards and good wishes. I shall be writing to some of the 'old' faces directly.

Cheers.

Ricki.

Dear Neil, Please add me to the U.K. list, I don't recognise many of the names so far because I was at Park Lane from it's opening

night in 1966 until late '71 - early '72. I was a croupier, and ran the training school prior to Derek Barnard. Tynna and I are good friends and see each other regularly, Jon Harris was a close friend and came to my wedding in1977, we have managed to re-connect recently - thanks to modern technology!!!

Is there any one else out there who remembers me? Bernie of course [ who I have a special soft spot for] always fun to work with!

Does anyone know where Bill Gerrard is?

Looking forward to more news and contacts.

Trudi Mitchell

Dear Playboy UK List.

For the benefit of the many "new comers" to the list, I am attaching

PBUK1.doc (5 pages of ms. word) PBUK2 will be finished soon.

Hope all is well,

Neil

Thanks Eddie...

All names below are now on Playboy UK list.

Bernie and VAL, you are also on Playboy Bahamas list.

(hence the occasional duplication)

Newcomers to the list, get updated by opening attachment PBUK1

Hope all is well,

Neil

Letter from Bernie...

Dear Neil, I have enjoyed receiving your e-mails and copies of e-mails.

I received a telephone call from Peter Byrne in London several nights ago inquiring as to my health and welfare as I had not replied to a couple of e-mails sent by him reference the upcoming trip to Oz by himself and Maria this October to visit his son (one of the twins) who is now working out of Sydney. This call made me realise that I had a P.C. e-mail problem, which since the change of ibm.net to attglobal.net has beset my antique set with ongoing 'hell'. When I finally corrected the latest glitch last night, there were 41 separate e-mails waiting at the 'gate', many being connected with your U.K. & Bahamas Playboy lists. What a pleasant onslaught! I am still in touch with many 'Playboyites' including Derek Barnard who is 72 years old now, as also is Andy Wheeler (Chief Cashier London) and Ron Hurley in Oz who left London to open the first Casino in Australia.

I will not take time now on an update of my 'personals' but will compose a suitable 93 page release over the next couple of weeks which you might be kind enough to distribute the reason being that I am a complete computer 'nerd'. John Barton paid a visit to me here with his Family as did the 123's who live in Victoria, all with children tall as trees and 'sassy'. Tony Martin was here but the Family suffered illness and didn't reach me. The recent reunion in London organized by Tynna working her butt off for Ron and myself, the result being near-on 70 wonderful people most of whom we left after 7 hours, whilst they drew a second breath. I will now draw breath.

I will use the photos of the reunion to make a list of people who may be remembered by people on either or both of your current lists. Tim Mitchell is in Gibraltar, but I have lost touch in recent months, and Robin Powell is presently living in Atlantic City. Wally Foord phoned me from Spain in January to update and to complain that he wasn't told about the reunion.

I was pleased to see that Victor made contact with you, and look forward to sending him a greeting. The Playboy years were and are a tremendous part of my life experience, and are irreplaceable in terms of the people themselves and their obvious and continuing attachment to each other. Sincere and Kind Regards.

Bernie,

How nice to hear from you. Welcome to the list(s)

It sounds like you have read all the attachments.

There are three for the Bahamas list: PB1, PB2 AND PB3.

There is one for the UK list: PBUK1. (PBUK2 is under construction.) Let me know if you feel that you have missed anything and I will send them to you.

As reminder to you, and anyone else who is on both lists, you will receive two copies of this. If anyone wants to be removed from one or added to the other, please let me know.

Ed Petty just made the UK list much longer but three of the "new names" are bouncing back. If anyone can help, they are Michael Brooks, Val Lownes and Stewart Knight.

To check the list in MS Outlook Express:

Right click - Properties - Details.

Bernie... I will never forget how kind you were to me in my hour of need, when I had that road accident in Nassau and I "thought" that I had killed someone. Thank you once again and many times.

You were wrong about one thing though!!!

You probably always thought of me as a young whipper-snapper that would never amount to much. Well, guess what!!!!???

I am no longer a "YOUNG" whipper-snapper!!!!!! So there!!!!!!

Kind regards to you and all on the lists.

Hope all is well,

Neil.

Great hearing from Bernie  
Victor L

You don't know me. We never met but I knew Val very well

in the Bahamas. We played a lot of Backgammon.

Emails to him are bouncing back. Would you please give me  
an up to date email address for him. Thanks!

Hope all is well,

Neil.

End PBUK2

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Sent: Friday, March 29, 2002 7:31 PM

Subject: Re: Letter from Bernie (Eddie please forward to Bernie) Hi Eddie and Bernie

Thanks so much for the long letters that I got on my computer a while back.

Glad to see you guys are still kicking and funny.

The last time I saw Eddie I was an Inspector at the Clermont in the 1980's

You may remember me when I used to deal Punto Banco with William and Louis. The 2 funny Frenchmen. Chris Raphael and Otto were there at the time. John Lang was the Manager that promoted me to Inspector and he told me "you know this is as fare as you go?".....Nice one John!

The last time I was with Bernie (He came to New Jersey at the same time as I) Was when I was a Shift Manager at the Sands and he visited town and we had a meal in the coffee shop and talked of old times. Bernie used to love to torture us little girls Bunnies in the old days. He had me in his office in Park Lane and wanted to know why I drove a better car than he (I had a Red E. Type Jag at the time) Oh Happy Days No Bernie I was not stealing I was, and still am, a thrifty girl who likes Jaguars. I have a 19 year old girl in the garage right now! Remember Bernie I even brought in my Halifax Building Society Savings Book to prove my point. Those were back in the days of Joe Blott and Jim Madison. (What ever happened to those characters?)

Well, since Playboy London and Clermont I went to Spain (disaster at Torequebrada) and Back to Playboy London the then to Playboy Atlantic City for 7 Years as a Pit Boss and then to the Sands AC where I stayed for 13 years as a Manager. 29 years was enough for me. They had a lay off and I raised my hand and said "TAKE ME PLEASE" I have taken a well deserved year off (I am also not in the best of health) Now my husband and I are planning on selling our fine home and moving to the Sun! Not sure where. Florida, perhaps, who knows where you are safe in this crazy world. When the Twin Towers fell our garden was foggy with the dust from the devastation. Although we live 121 miles away I felt like it was right next door.

Time to move to happier shores.

We also have two, Nine Year old Yellow Labs that we have to think of. Not counting our 80+ fish,

but that is another story.

Oh well, sorry to go on so. My fingers love to type? It is nothing to do with my head you understand. I am old now remember!

Regards to you both and hope we can stay in touch through the waves.

Love Polly Duerden Bernie Hicks (Husband) and Avalon and Pickles.

Best regards and I trust that California will deliver all that you are looking for. Watch out for the sun and bikinis.Regards

Don O'Leary

Glad you are in one piece.

Do let me know what you are doing in California?

Your E mail list looks to grow every time I see it

I am so glad you did this for everyone.

Regards Polly Duerden