

# GUIDE TO FOOD AND FUN

## INSIDE TV

BY CHRIS COLBY

**CLOSEUP** — Just when Sally Struthers brought her young daughter to New York and rented a big apartment, "Wally's Cafe," the play in which she co-stars with James Coco and Rita Moreno, folded. Now "Archie Bunker's daughter" is at liberty... Mork's girl Pam Dawber receiving rave reviews for her singing in "The Pirates of Penzance" at the Los Angeles Music Center. Barry Bostwick co-stars...



Cheryl Ladd is wanted to co-star in "The Winchester Man" flick opposite Michael Haynes. Michael rose to fame as "The Winchester Man" in those cigar teleblurbs and Cheryl Ladd, of course, is the former but still gorgeous "Angel."

**FOCUS** — Erik Estrada took Beverly Sasso to New York to meet his mama. The two then took off to Hawaii where Erik is looking to buy a condo on Maui. Wedding bells could peal at any moment... TV's "Wonder Woman" Lynda Carter has been offered a million dollars up front for one week of concerts South of the Border down Mexico City way... Buddy (Barnaby Jones) Ebsen is a determined gent. His recent "Turn to the Right" bombed on stage so he's opening in "Mary Queen

of Hearts" at Newport Beach, Calif., as he wraps a telemovie titled "Fire on the Mountain." ... Would you believe Loni Anderson had to pay her ex, Ross Bickell, \$200,000 alimony! Loni's now steady dating Gary Sandy... Kathryn Harrold and Albert Brooks are seen everywhere hand-in-hand.

**COMING EVENTS** — Stan Margulies and David Wolper, the producers who brought you "Roots" and are trying to bring you "Hanta Yo" as soon as they get a decent script, will make "Murder Is Easy," based on the Agatha Christie novel. Filming starts soon in Blighty with the cast to be announced... Rodney Dangerfield and Jane Curtin join comedian Robert Klein on "The Robert Klein Show" July 31 on NBC... Lloyd Bridges, Angela Lansbury, Rock Hudson and Valerie Perrine will be ringmasters on CBS' "Fifth Annual Circus of the Stars" to air August 20. Brook Shields, Jayne Kennedy, Ted Lange, Gil Gerard, Connie Selleca, Barbi Benton and on and on will be performing circus acts... Jayne Meadows Allen plays many of the historic characters on PBS' "Meeting of the Minds." She also researches and writes for the show created by her husband. Happily married for 25 years, Jayne says being married to Steve Allen is like being married to seven men. He composes, writes books, acts, plays music, etc. He gets her to play a role by saying "either you do it or it's a divorce."

**AS THE WORLD TURNS** — Connie's continued efforts to find something about Larry appeared to have come to an important point. James' propositions appeared too pat. Upcoming: Marilyn hears something about Larry that should best be left unreported.

**DAYS OF OUR LIVES** — Hope's idea had a chance to succeed until her brainstrom washed out the logic and left the panic. Upcoming: Doug and Julia need to remind each other of the fragility of a relationship based on fear.

**THE DOCTORS** — Billy's

## BEFORE & AFTER

IN THE SOAPS

**ALL MY CHILDREN** — Daisy/Monique suddenly realized she might crack up as new dangers confronted her. Nina hoped her father and husband would make peace between them. Upcoming: Nancy's realized fears of Jesse strike others. Cobra's fallout continues to infect everyone.

**ANOTHER WORLD** — Blaine's hopes rose with the introduction of the evidence during the trial but sank when another realization hit home. Sandy's confession echoed once too often. Upcoming: Rachel's plans hit a snag. Jamie's anxieties start again.

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new column ripped Nola to shreds. Matt and Maggie argued again. Nola planned to sue the Chronicle until Jason's lawyer told her she was the new owner. Upcoming: Greta tells Billy how she feels about his work on the paper. Mona panics.

**EDGE OF NIGHT** — Raven continued to grow more suspicious of Sky's story about his plane crash in the Alps. Val refused to indicate how she felt about Sky's explanations. Upcoming: Derek's suspicions about Damien mount. Martine's suspicions become infectious.

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Brad decided it was time to settle an old score. Clint went on a midnight mission to try to solve the mystery about Olympia/Nicole. Upcoming: Jenny has a sense of foreboding while Karen forbids any intervention in her plans.

**RYAN'S HOPE** — Kim decided she had an ace to play and now was the time to play it. Jack learned, once more, that he had hurt the ones he loved. Upcoming: Siobhan puts two and two together and comes up with two triangles.

**SEARCH FOR TOMORROW** — Garth advised Cathy not to make any rash moves. Cathy advised Garth that she wasn't likely to do so. Upcoming: A marriage plan appears to have a chance of success if the time element doesn't interfere.

**TEXAS** — Paige sold out to Justin who starts drilling for oil. Joe returned and told Elena he loved her. Iris told Dennis Alex anted to change his will to make Dennis the sole heir to Wheeler Oil. Upcoming: Dennis makes a discovery about Justin's oil drilling operation.

**YOUNG & THE RESTLESS** — Snapper asked the important question. Paul had misgivings. Upcoming: Lance refuses to wait for an answer to his question. Nikki sees more than she expected to in the stranger's eyes.

## ROCK TRACKS

The Dr. Pepper concert series at New York's Pier 84 is turning into the most poorly planned ever. Ticket holders must climb a guard rail almost two feet high to get in, many seats offer poor visibility, and, most blatant rip-off of all, the only beverage sold (you may not bring your own) is warm Dr. Pepper at a buck a can...



Todd Rundgren has been holed up completing his new album, "A Swing To the Right." Todd tells us it concerns "The Christian New Right, the survival of consciousness and the propaganda that war is unavoidable." ... We seldom cover Las Vegas Pop, but Eydie Gorme's "Since I Fell For You" and Steve Lawrence's "Take It On Home" are classics of their genre. Never mind that it's not rock. If you want to hear impeccable taste, explosive style and first class arrangements, these two are worth a long listen.

**Tele-trivia** Unscramble answer below.

This bandleader starred in his own TV series for nine years. One of the show's most popular features was his "So You Want to Lead a Band" segment, in which members of the audience tried to do just that. Name the bandleader.

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## Music Festival

Grinder Switch, Stillwater, and The Winters Brothers Band will headline The Foothills Music Festival '81, an outdoor, weekend rock 'n roll concert, to be held at the Circle S Farm at Mayo, S.C. on July 31 and August 1, 1981.

Rock fans and weekend campers are expected to begin arriving from a four state area on Friday, with music beginning on Saturday at 11:30 a.m. and continuing non-stop until midnight.

Also appearing will be Plum Hollow, Lightin West, C&M Traveling Show, Killer Whale, Tim Krekel, Strong Hill and Kake City

Tickets are \$10 at the gate, \$8 advance, and are on sale at usual outlets and better music stores.

The event is being sponsored by Circle S Farms, Inc. of Spartanburg, S.C.

Grinder Switch has earned a reputation for hard-driving, straight-forward music. Grinder Switch rocks, but rocks with feeling, having its foundation in blues and rhythm and blues. Early recordings and hits included "Honest to Goodness", "Macon Tracks", "Pulling Together", "Redwing", and just recently "Right on Time", all on the Capricorn label. The band just completed recording an album at Quadrafonic Studios in Nashville, Tennessee, on the Robox label - it is scheduled for release this month.

Stillwater is composed of seven musicians who play rock 'n roll and play it well. In addition to their first two albums on the Capricorn label, Stillwater is featured on two of the Charlie Daniels Volunteer Jam albums, and has appeared with Charlie Daniels on T.V. and in concert, as well as with leading names like the Atlanta Rhythm Section, The Allman Brothers and The Outlaws. Their single "Mind Bender" reached the top 10 in most of the South, and negotiations are under way with several major labels for a 1981 album release.

The Winters Brothers, Dennis and Donnie, grew up with music - writing, playing and singing it. They were influenced by close friends Charlie Daniels and Marty Robbins, and have toured and opened shows for them, as well as for the Marshall Tucker Band, Lynyrd Skynyrd, Willie Nelson, and Bob Segar, among others. Their debut album, on the ATCO label earned nationwide acceptance and included "Sang Her Love Songs", which was recorded at the Volunteer Jams III and IV albums. They also wrote, as well as released, "Shotgun Rider" and "Sweet Dream Lady".

Tim Krekel began playing the guitar in his hometown of Louisville, Kentucky at 13. He played with Billy Swann and later with Jimmy Buffett for two years. Tim has written songs for and performed with such names as Charlie Daniels, Sea Level, The Amazing Rhythm Aces, and Doug Sham and America. His new band consists of former members of the Amazing Rhythm Aces and a former member of the Coral Reefers.

Plum Hollow is a 5 piece blue grass rock band from Campobello, S.C., and has drawn large crowds at every appearance, opening shows and appearing with Merle Haggard and many others.

On hand for Emcee duties will be Rick McCallister and Sally from WORD in Spartanburg, S.C., Herb Carson from WANS in Anderson, SC, and others.

A number of special promotions are planned, including the live appearance of Freebird, the WANS mascot, who will parachute into the concert. For more information, contact Sam Mize at (803) 585-2447.

## Area Running Events Road Races

JULY 25, Boone: Third Annual Mountain Classic; 8 miles, 2 miles, 8:45 a.m. start; registration information: Dr. Jim Denny, Appalachian State Univ., Department of Psychology, Boone 28608.

## SOAP BUBBLES

By Seli Groves

CBS's Big Eye blinked and presto, it's time to update the cast lists again: Talented Ted Leplat (Andy) leaves "Guiding Light" soon now that his character's being turned off. New beacons to come to "Light" include Greg Beecroft as Tony Reardon, Lee Lawson as Bea Reardon and William Roerick as Henry Chamberlain. Feature writer Joanne Douglas, whose silent scene in a recent segment of "GL" startled lots of her friends and readers, assures me she's not about to do another — "unless, of course, I get a big offer!" ... But, still rumored to be on the receiving end of many an earnest offer is Daytime Emmy Award winner Jane Elliot (Ex-Tracy, "General Hospital"). Tales continue to be wagged about when or if she'll "Light" up our soap lives soon. As usual Jane continues to deny she's returning to any soap in the foreseeable future... "Search for Tomorrow's" new Brian Emerson is played by Larry Joshua. Marcus Smythe plays Dane Taylor and Shaun Stevens is Zachary.



Is GENIE FRANCIS getting Luke out of her hair? There's a snippy type on "GH" who says Genie Francis (Laura) may be getting a hair trim soon. Genie's long locks are supposed to keep her sweet image safe. Any cutting remarks would have to come from the writers who may, indeed, consider a change in Laura's image and, thereafter, a change in Laura's relationship with Luke (Tony Geary). Off the record, we hear tell the Luke/Laura idyll is no longer the in thing with the teen audience it once was.

Inside sources say give ex-"Somerset" star Gail Kobe, now the new producer of "Texas," credit for putting the series back in the ratings saddle again. If it continues to clean up in its time slot, you could really call it a saddle-soap. It's said Gail pulled off several courageous stunts no one else dared to do: like reworking the storylines and making drastic cast changes — all of which proves that this "Texas" rose wasn't yellow when it came to doing it the right way at last.

"Love in the Afternoon," the revue starring Emily McLaughlin and Doug Sheehan (Jessie & Joe, "GH"), Jed Allan (Dan, "Days of Our Lives") and Doug Davidson (Paul, "Young & Restless") is on tour. It makes a stopover in Hawaii the week of the 27th.

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