

Rock'n'Roll Night for Port Isaac School



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The night Port Isaac shook to the sound of Rock 'n' Roll

VISITORS to Port Isaac could have been forgiven for thinking they had taken a step back in time to the 1950s when the village hall provided the venue for a Rock 'n' Roll Extravaganza.

The evening began with the P I Polecats, a four-piece band, playing some driving rock 'n' roll numbers to get everybody in the mood to hop and bop, jump and jive the night away.

A contrast came with Steve and the Stevettes, who received a standing ovation after singing a selection of songs accapella.

The jiving contest proved to be a closely judged race with three finalists – unfortunately there were not enough prizes to reward them all.

Original paintings of characters from the era, created by Barbara Hawkins of the Port Isaac Pottery, were auctioned to help swell the funds being raised in aid of the Friends of Port Isaac School.

The climax to the evening was the performance of the Extraordinaires, who started with five on stage and ended up with 14 vocalists and musicians.

The evening was a great success and a total of £730 was raised for the school. The money is to go towards the creation of a new adventure playground. A further £186 went to the village hall funds.

Plans are now being laid for a similar event reflecting another of the great eras of music.

Above left: the music-makers – P I Polecats, Steve and the Stevettes and the Extraordinaires.

Above right: Jitterbugs Peter and Rosemarie Williams.

Right: John McDonnell gets a set of sideburns from Angela Walsh and Barbara Hawken.

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Rock 'n' Roll Extravaganza



Pictured - Port Isaac Polecats, Steve & the Stevettes and some of the Extraordinaires
Photo: Barry Englefield, Camelford

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enough prizes for all. Original paintings of characters from the era by Barbara Hawkins were auctioned off to raise more money for the Friends of Port Isaac School.

The climax to the evening was the performance of the Extraordinaires who started

with five on stage and ended with 14 different vocalists and musicians.

The evening was a great success and enjoyed by everyone there.

Who knows maybe we'll do it again.

Steve Appleby