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THE BUZZ

Limerick's Nite Life Scene

HITZ'N'BITZ BY SHANE FOLEY

Some more of those Christmas albums

Two chances this weekend to catch The Cranberries!

ADORED by a large section of both the English and Irish music press and with a seemingly ever-increasing number of fans, The Cranberries are like the proverbial bomb just waiting to explode.

This weekend their Limerick fans will get a double chance to see the talented four-piece parading their wares. This is all the more relevant as the band haven't played Limerick for quite a while and following their late night gig at the Savoy (the second of their two performances) you won't get a chance to see them again until nearly summertime.

The reason for this is that Dolores, Fergal, Noel and Mike (aka The Cranberries) are locking themselves away in Xeric Studios here, during January and February, they'll record their much-awaited debut album for Island Records.

Their debut release for the label, a four-track EP entitled *Uncertain*, sold almost 3,000 copies in the UK during its first two weeks on sale and peaked at No. 12 in the Indie singles chart. It included the songs "Nothing Left At All", "Pathetic Seneca", "Them" and the title track, "Uncertain".

On the week the EP entered the charts it was there in the company of such bands as The Charlatans, The Justified Ancients Of Mu Mu, Curve and



The Cranberries.

Bizzare Inc., to name but a few.

They've already completed two very successful tours of the UK and, as I've already stated, got some very serious reviews for their troubles. NME, Melody Maker and Rage, to mention just two or three, are all very taken with the band, and they've not gone unnoticed on BBC Radio 1 either — Mark Goodson, Johnny Walker and John Peel have all accorded The Cranberries rave reviews.

Things, you'd just have to agree, are going extremely well for them!

The gigs

They can be seen first in the

well at the moment. The Theatre Royal on Saturday afternoon as the headlining act of a four band Christmas showcase gig. Also included on the bill (in order of appearance), which starts at 3.30 p.m., will be The Hitters, The Charming, A Touch Of Oliver.

The second opportunity to see The Cranberries will be this Sunday (a late gig) at the Top Floor of the Savoy.

Saturday is a great chance to see four of Limerick's young bands performing together and Sunday, of course, if you're a night-time person and a fan of the band, will be your perfect opportunity to see some fine 'live' music from a band of the future!

ESSENTIAL OPERA

Various Artists :: This is very much a specialist buy as it contains 19 excerpts — just over 75 minutes in all — from some of the world's best loved operas.

These are performed by some of the best in the business — Carreras, Domingo, Pavarotti, Caballe, Te Kanawa and Sutherland — with accompaniment from the likes of The London Philharmonic Orchestra, The Chicago Symphony Orchestra and The Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra.

It's an ideal gift for any opera fan and it includes such pieces as "Bella Figlia Dell'amore" from Verdi's *Rigoletto*, "O Mio Babbino Caro" from Puccini's *Gianni Schicchi*, "Un Bel Di Vedremo" from Puccini's *Madama Butterfly*, "Intermezzo" from Mascagni's *Cavalleria Rusticana* and "Finch'han Dal Vano" from Mozart's *Don Giovanni*.

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GREATEST HITS II

Queen :: This album needs no introduction and is sure to sell enormous quantities as fans of the band avail of their chance to complete their Queen collection following the enormously publicised and very sad passing recently of the group's superb frontman, Freddie Mercury.

Being realistic, it's a really fine album and would have been a huge seller even if Freddie hadn't passed away — this just makes it all the more relevant.

It's packed full of their more recent stuff including such tracks as "A Kind Of Magic", the wonderful "Under Pressure", the extremely successful crowd-pleaser "Radio Ga Ga", the anthem-like and, under the circumstances, curiously titled "Who Wants

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Friday: **THE PEDESTRIANS + NEW YORKER NITE CLUB**

Saturday: **NUTTIN' YET + NEW YORKER NITE CLUB**

Sunday: 12.30 pm — 2.30 pm: **BIG BAND**
4 pm — 8.30 pm: **JOE BROWNE & HIS COUNTRY BAND**
9 pm — 11 pm: **BOOMBABIES**

Monday: **KARAOKE NIGHT** with the hilarious **CARMEL CLANCY**. Competition still running for two in The Canaries.

We would like to wish all our Customers a Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

Stardiscs Singles Chart

Stardiscs positions	English positions
1 (1) QUEEN Bohemian rhapsody (-) 1	
2 (2) GEORGE MICHAEL & ELTON JOHN Don't let the sun go down on me (1) 2	
3 (3) DIANA ROSS When you tell me that you love me (2) 4	
4 (15) K.L.F. featuring TAMMY WYNETTE Justified and ancient (3) 3	
5 (-) GUNS N' ROSES Live and let die (-) 5	
6 (7) EAST SIDE BEAT Ride like the wind (5) 12	
7 (14) MICHAEL JACKSON Black or white (4) 8	
8 (8) U2 Mysterious ways (13) 21	
9 (-) UK MIXMASTERS Bare necessities megamix (20) 14	
10 (-) SIMON & GARFUNKEL A hazy shade of winter (34) 32	
11 (-) BING CROSBY White Christmas (-) -	
12 (11) PRINCE & THE N.P.G. Diamonds and pearls (26) 33	
13 (-) KENNY THOMAS Tender love (29) 37	
14 (19) ZIG & ZAG Zigzaggin' (-) -	
15 (4) BRIAN MAY Driven by you (6) 6	
16 (-) KYM SIMS Too blind to see it (7) 7	
17 (18) RIGHT SAID FRED Don't talk just kiss (17) 9	
18 (-) SALT 'N' PEPA You showed me (15) 17	
19 (-) MARTIKA Martika's kitchen (23) 19	
20 (9) QUEEN The show must go on (27) 29	

(Last week's positions appears in brackets)



The world-renowned Wolfe Tones, appearing on Saturday night, December 28, at Arthur's Warehouse.

'Live' at the Warehouse

ARTHUR'S Warehouse comes well and truly alive on the Friday and Saturday night (December 27 and 28) after Christmas with two very substantial 'live' acts set to appear at the venue.

Friday night's headliner will be none other than Don Baker (a late gig), always a favourite with Limerick audiences. A performer of note, his two albums, *Born With The Blues* and *Almost Illegal*, have topped the Irish rhythm and blues charts for the best part of the last two years. These albums, by the way, are now on release in Europe.

Also on sale at present is the Don Baker Live video. Recorded over two nights at the Olympia Theatre, it captures the essence of his by now legendary 'live' performances and features Lesley Dowdall and Christy Dignam as guest artists.

On Saturday night, it should be a great show and could well prove the perfect night out after the over-indulgence of the 25th.

Saturday's band need little, if no, introduction — taking the stage at 9 p.m. will be The Wolfe Tones.

These guys haven't played in town for quite some time so it goes without saying that their many local followers will be more than anxious to see them.

On the road for the past 25 years, they've done many 'top-of-the-bill' worldwide concert tours as well, of course, as amassing many international achievements, awards and accolades.

This should prove to be one of the night's of the year at the Warehouse and punters, I imagine, would be well advised to get there as early as possible!

GLENTWORTH HOTEL

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New Year's Eve — **SUPPER DANCE SPECIAL**. Old Time Dancing. £12.00 inclusive.

All-new Tearcollectors

Limerick band Tearcollectors have become a four-piece and Mike Panch now has the dual role of guitarist and frontman to look after. The band, having experimented with a couple of singers, are now happy with their line-up.

They've played a couple of gigs in Waterford, Cork and the University of Limerick's Halloween Ball with Mike proving himself to be a dynamic vocalist.

The band are soon off to the Rock Garden as guests of The Colossal Men and are set to play in Limerick again before Christmas.

Late January, '92, will see Tearcollectors releasing their debut EP on Evil Tree Records and this will be followed by a nationwide tour, with dates in Trinity, UCC, Waterford, Cork and Limerick already confirmed.

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An Emotional Fish at Two Mile Inn!

This Thursday night, December 19, sees the welcome return to Limerick of An Emotional Fish.

The Fish are a band that always go down a treat with Limerick audiences and their 'energetic' on-stage performance is something that you just have to witness for yourself — no amount of flowery explanation can really sum up the atmosphere they usually create.

They'll be supported by Limerick group The Charming on the night.

What's On!

THURSDAY

BELLTABLE The Change in Mame Fadden

PARKWAY Nuttin' Yet

GLORYHOLE Willie Browne

SAVOY LEGENDS Poppy Club

SAVOY TOP FLOOR Termights Club

FRIDAY

NO. 15 Freeway + No. 15 Nite Club

BELLTABLE The Change in Mame Fadden

PARKWAY The Pedestrians + New Yorker Nite Club

SAVOY LEGENDS Nite Club

SAVOY 18'S NIGHT CLUB Disco 8 — 11

SAVOY TOP FLOOR Termights Club

GLORYHOLE Richie Lurence Squad

SATURDAY

GLORYHOLE The Big Kids

GLENTWORTH Private Function

PARKWAY Nuttin' Yet + New Yorker Nite Club

TWO MILE INN Images Part II

SAVOY LEGENDS 18's Nite Club 8 — 11

SAVOY TOP FLOOR Termights Club

BELLTABLE The Change in Mame Fadden

NO. 15 Round a Bout Band (late gig)

SUNDAY

GLORYHOLE WOW

SAVOY LEGENDS Nite Club

SAVOY 16 DISCO Disco 3 — 6 pm

PARKWAY Big Band 12.30 — 2 pm
Joe Browne & Friends 4 — 8 pm
Boombabies 9 — 11 pm.

NO. 15 9 pm — 11 pm: Badlands

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