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### **Four Seasons International Convention Weekend 24 – 26 October 2008, Raleigh, North Carolina**

Well, arrangements are now well under way for the Four Seasons International Convention at the Holiday Inn RDU in Raleigh, North Carolina, USA. in October.

Joe Long and Demetri Callas will be the guests of honour on the Saturday and Ray Nichol and myself will also be there. This is an informal gathering of fans from all over the USA and Europe with the main activities on Saturday 25 October where the Conference Room has been reserved between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. To maximize our time with Joe and Demetri a buffet lunch is available on the day and also a meal at a local restaurant on the Saturday evening (both meals need to be pre-booked).

This is going to be a fantastic weekend which has been organised by Johnny Hornsby in the USA and a chance to meet many fans – so go on 'You Can Live A Dream' – not much time left so book now to avoid disappointment! For further information please contact me: [lynn.boleyn@sky.com](mailto:lynn.boleyn@sky.com)

### **Jersey Boys 100<sup>th</sup> Performance**



The cast of Jersey Boys in London celebrated the 100<sup>th</sup> performance on the 28 May. Ryan Molloy, Stephen Ashfield, Philip Bulcock and Glenn Carter marked the event with a toast of champagne. All the cast, creative team and friends of Jersey Boys also enjoyed a celebratory party at Bertorelli's Restaurant.

Tina Ryan (aka Gypsy Woman) celebrated her Birthday in August by going to see another performance of Jersey Boys at the Prince Edward Theatre in London. I joined her of course (any excuse!) and we had fantastic seats on the front row, centre stage. These seats are only £20 each as they have restricted views (you cannot see the back of the stage) but having already seen the show from the stalls, dress circle and 'up in the gods', we were not disappointed! You could smell the perfume, the aftershave and got the 'spit' as well!

Photo: C Sugden

We were both ready to catch Ryan Molloy when he skidded across the stage on his knees towards us but he managed to stop himself just in time much to Tina's disappointment ... and mine! Glenn Carter was on holiday and so he was very much missed but we will no doubt be there again soon! Ben Wheeler stood in for Glenn and I have to say did a great job and he certainly has a fantastic voice too – just hasn't got Glenn's cheeky grin and that sparkle in his eye! The £20 seats can be booked by logging onto [www.jerseyboyslondon.com](http://www.jerseyboyslondon.com) – enter the site and click on tickets and then scroll down to the bottom to where it says Front Row Seats – great if you are on a budget!

I must also say congratulations to Phil Elms who has recently celebrated his 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday – 'Sir Philip', as you may know is quite famous now for his Bexhill Observer video updates – even in America! If you did not get chance to see Phil's videos then log onto [YouTube](http://YouTube) and type in Bexhill Observer. See if you can spot the references to the various Frankie Valli/4 Seasons songs!

## Four Seasons Lane

25 June 2008 saw the Four Seasons Lane street dedication in Union, New Jersey which was attended by the children of Frankie, Tommy and Bob and also Nick Massi's wife, Margie and their son, Robert. Danielle and Lisa Gaudio and Darcel DeVito speak and also Toni Valli who read out a message from Frankie and Bob "why steal hub caps when you can steal a name!"

Also Charles Alexander speaks and reads out a message from the UK Appreciation Society "they don't have fan clubs in England, they have Appreciation Societies!". Many thanks for doing this for us Charles.

Thanks to Frank Rovello and Charles Alexander for supplying details of this event and also for the DVD produced on the day.

Click on the following link to see photos of this event on Frank Rovello's web site:

<http://gilgweb.com/FSLane/fslane01.html>

and on the following link to view the DVD

<http://gilgweb.com/FSLane.html>

If anyone would like a copy of this DVD then please contact me for details – [lynn.boleyn@sky.com](mailto:lynn.boleyn@sky.com)



**Lisa and Danielle Gaudio; Darcel DeVito and Toni Valli**

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