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MIDWINTER IS ALMOST HERE AND WITH IT WILL COME, ALONG WITH OTHER THINGS THE SPECIAL EDITION OF SLUSH. SLUSH HAS BEEN THIN ON THE GROUND RECENTLY BUT OBVIOUSLY THIS IS BECAUSE EVERYONE IS SAVING THEIR BRILLIANT ARTICLES FOR THE GIANT MIDWINTER EDITION. MOST PEOPLE HAVE SAID THEY WOULD LIKE A COPY TO KEEP, FAIR ENOUGH, BUT IT DOES MEAN " 24 COPIES OF EACH ARTICLE. A PAIN TO TYPE YOUR ARTICLE BUT WILL BE WORTH IT IF THE WHOLE MAG ENDS UP GOOD. WITH SO MANY ~~ARTICLES~~^{COPIES} TO DO THEY WILL PROBABLY BE SHORTER THAN THEY MIGHT OTHERWISE HAVE BEEN. WHICH MEANS FRANTIC TYPING FROM ALL OVER FOR THE MAG TO BE WORTH KEEPING.

IFF THE ARICLES ARE AS GOOD AS THEY HAVE BEEN ONLY MORE OF EM IT WILL BE REALLY GROOVY.

SO WITH THIS AND THAT AND EVERYTHING ELSE IN BETWEEN NO MAG NEXT WEEK, SAVE EM FOR THE SPECIAL.

24 COPIES PLEASE OF EACH ARICLE AND IN BY ~~FRIDAY~~^B SATURDAY EVENING MEAL, ^{TWO} DAYS BEFORE MIDWINTER AT THE VERY LATEST. TA
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REPEAT TWICE NIGHTLY BEFORE GOING TO BED.

UNDERGROUND NEWS

There are a few minor alterations to the Dog tunnel routine to improve the dogs' lot. Every feed day not only will the old bits of bluber be removed but the tunnel will get a scrape down too. However on Fridays we'll still have the big clean out of the tunnel and the kennels.

Evie is still bleeding and so is not yet ready to receive Kunute.

There's a vet round at present. Arkid is getting eye drops. Evie and Gandalf are getting Vit tablets and Gandalf is also getting Temadex ointment for a scabby area on his face.

Above each Kennel the dog's name is written on a piece of paper. This is your opportunity to learn the dogs names, especially those who are staying down next year. It will be most embarrassing for you next year if someone doesn't know all their names. These bits of paper will not be there all the winter so the sooner you pop down for a refresher the better. Names will not be branded on the collars this year because collars get swapped or replaced and only lead to confusion to those using this half-baked method of identification.

This coming week we will be rebuilding the Nansen sledges. If you're interested in trying your hand make it known to Mark or Muff, and be free for one complete day next week - that's the time it usually takes to complete one sledge. Last year a lot of people expressed vague interest and some appeared for a short time to tie a few knots or whatever and then buggered off - a bloody waste of time to all concerned. I'm afraid if we were swamped with requests, we'll have to give preference to those staying next year. It's the best winter job a G.A. has.

TOP TWENTY

			weeks in charts
(1)	1 KNOCK THREE TIMES	DAWN	8
(2)	2 INDIANA WANTS ME	ARDINE TAYLOR	6
(3)	3 HEAVEN MUST HAVE SENT YOU	THE ELGINS	4
(4)	4 MY BROTHER JAKE	FREE	4
(2)	5 BROWN SUGAR	ROLLING STONES	6
(11)	6 I AM I SAID	NEIL DIAMOND	3
(5)	7 MALT BARLEY BLUES	MCGUINNESS FLINT	4
(17)	8 I DID WHAT I DID FOR MARIA	TONY CHRISTIE	2
(16)	9 RAGS TO RICHES	ELVIS PRESLEY	2
(7)	10 JIG A JIG	EAST OF EDEN	5
*	11 I'M GOING TO RUN AWAY	TAMMY LYNN	1
(12)	12 EXCERPT FROM MOZART	WALDO DEOS REOS	8
*	13 LADY ROSE	MUNGO JERRY	1
(18)	14 BERRY I THINK OF YOU	PERRY COMO	2
(8)	15 IT DONT COME EASY	RINGO STARR	7
*	16 BANNER-MAN	BLUE MINK	1
(10)	17 DOUBLE BARREL	DAVE+ANTHOLL COLLINS	9
(15)	18 IT'S A SIN TO TELL A LIE	GERRY MUNRO	5
(20)	19 OR YOU PRETTY THING	PETER NOON	1
(29)	20 A BENCH A TREE A STREET	CENOLINE	4

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Two stars of the British pub-club circuit make progress up the charts this week. Tammy Lynn covers a song of some time ago to make the biggest jump while Tony Christie tells all the gory details of what he did to this guy who killed his woman. All this and he still manages to sound like Malcolm Roberts. Meantime Peter Noon sounds remarkably like Paul McCartney and jumps up one place. Best new entry of the week is Banner-Man from Blue Mink who sound like Blue Mink. However Mungo Jerry keep up the trend by sounding like T. Rex who have been said to sound like Mungo Jerry.....

T. Rex record is a maxi-single - 8 mins. each side - and is without

doubt the best value in the charts - even if it is not the best record

WHY IS THE MIGHTY FALLING?

It was near on four years ago
They built some houses on the snow.
Drift them over for insulation
Said Architect on insparation.

Put shafts each end for ventilatiön,
And ladders too for evacuation:
A drive-in garage, a good idea.
A gash shaft too for dead cans of beer.

On Paper it couldn't but impress.
Fids built it, moded it - you know the rest.
A bog was added over a mighty pit,
So comfy it was soon full of it.

Them half the shafts were cut off short.
Wat's the point people thought.
Lids were added, fans swithhed off
Sod ventilation they all scoffed.

Now crushed under our self-made mound,
With axes and spades at the ice we pound.
It's a marvelous thing is education,
We've found the answer - VENTILATION.

DILLON'S CORNER

Hello, moggy lovers everywhere; this is your friendly feline furball. Things seem to be hotting up now for midwinter if the wild debauched orgy at the Halley Bay Playboy Club earlier this week was anything to go by. Talk about bunny girls well that's just all you could do. All the usual pissheads were there of course. Toby, having tired of brushing up his strip-tease act practised a spot of karate in the form of smash the beer can. Hwfa took his seat for a walk and Brian demonstrated his talents as the up and coming folk artist of the day. The base commander, I noticed dismally failed to beat the beermat flipping record; still poor old Baldy couldn't even get the hang of that game at all. Things are happening in the Office block these days. I have been doing my bit as usual by keeping the corridor well sluiced down. And ther have been candlestine meetings in the Vluff bit thats very hush-hush. Neddy has put in a lot of time making a timing splode. Also the block has been invaded by a couple of minni-mutts. As I am running of time for the simple reason that I started to type this stupid old article too late as usual I will finish here and just remind you of the meeting of the Halley Bay Astronomical Society., tomorrow. The Astronomer Royal will be in the chair and our learned ~~friend~~ friend Andy will be gassing on Relativity. So long for now pussy fans.