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"Well, ... I guess we really did it, huh?" - Ralph Hapschatt

On April 26, 1985, the RHPS began it's 7th run in this area since the show came here in 1978. It was given little chance to survive due to the fact it wasn't showing in one of the bigger Rhode Island cities for the first time. But the show has done more than survive, blast it! Indeed, it has picked up more steam than ever and ultimately flourished.



RIR#1 one year

How many of you remember the very first issue of RIR, Vol 2? How many of you still have it? Do you remember the bold boast on the front - ALL NEW Rocky Horror Picture Show? We talked of trying new ideas never before used in this area. In building upon what had already worked in previous shows, we did try those new ideas. And some of them sticked! Audience surveys, suggestion boxes, collection boxes, pre-shows, audience-participation contests, nightly door prizes, better spot lights, remote-control floor lights, squirt-gun loaning, and new and/or improved props. We never had these before. Now you can expect This past month, you've seen Double Cast Night, Dress Casual Night, Freaked Out Friday, Stupid Saturday, and a visiting cast. You may see any or all of these again. In the first issue we also speculated about how many new cast members we might gain here. As of now, 48 % of our permanent cast is composed of people who

never did the show anywhere else.

Of all the previous locations in this area, this has seen the best of Rocky Horror. The cast keeps on improving, the audience keeps on coming back (the sharpest shooting audience anywhere), and management has never been so helpfull. Speaking of which, we all owe Paul and Barbara Anderson our graditute for doing everything they could to make things better. If it isn't Paul spending time getting the countdown right in the film's leader or editing the film so we could see part of it backwards, then it's

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Normand Jalette Kristen O'Grady

Barbara giving people individualized treatment again and again and again. They've been generous both financially and with their time. They've been open to ideas, and come up with good ones too. They've also shown patience where others have run out. I'd talk more on them, but I don't want to leave

to leave Dick and Mike and Dwight and Frank. More on them when space provides.

And there will be more. Cause this is an Anniversary. RHODE ISLAND ROCKY, 100 Lyman Ave, No. Providence, RI MORE! 02911