

DRESS BLACK WEEKEND!

Friday and Saturday, June 14 and 15, will be dress black nights here at Rocky Horror at the CTC. Let the darkness of the night rule your wardrobe and don your blackest outfit. Let's see how cool you all are!

The cast, in keeping with the true spirit of things (we're cool, too), will be wearing black costumes for the weekend. Join us!

- Sheilarae

STILL looking for new cast members, especially male cast members.

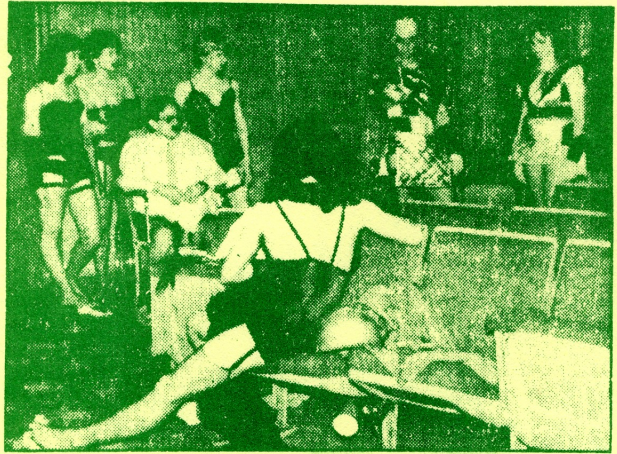
Wait till next week to see "photo at left."

WHAT DO YOU DO ALL WEEK?

In a survey taken last November, we asked you what you did when you weren't raising a ruckus at Rocky Horror. Here are your answers:

High School (11% also work)	27%
College (12% also work)	18%
Work Only	49%
Bums	6%
TOTAL	100%

Compiled by Sheilarae C.

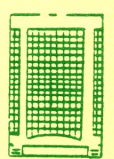


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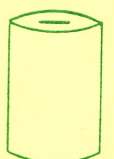
Midnight fun

Audience members battle with squirt guns in photo at left during a showing of the Rocky Horror Picture Show at the Cumberland Twin Cinemas. Above members of a volunteer live cast play out the final scene of the film in which Tim Curry stars as Dr. Frank-N-Furter shown in top photo.

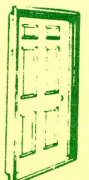
LAST WEEK AT CTC



ATTENDANCE



COLLECTIONS



PRIZES

FRI	59	\$ 2.50	Angela Aulerich **
SAT	121	\$13.12 *	Alex Lyon

* Thanks again, Paula B.
** 2nd time winner

QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS? WRITE :
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The following is continued from last week's reprinting of the Woonsocket Call article.

Show

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panned by the critics as low-budget gobbledygook, it nonetheless developed its own audience that was more than willing to see it over and over again.

Anyone viewing the movie can quickly see that it is not what actually appears on the screen that draws the crowd but simply the manner in which they are allowed to view it.

It is not a movie to see if you like a quiet theater while watching a movie or are disturbed by a nearby member of the audience who loudly voices his thoughts now and again.

And, certainly not one to see if you are offended by profane language and mature situations common in the R-rated film.

Rocky Horror's audience seems to feel the need to get something off its chest — to verbally release a lot of frustration. The degree to which it does just that is unique and laughable.

Paul Anderson, owner of the Cumberland Cinema with his wife Barbara, said the film did not make money when it was first released and was nearly "scrapped."

Then he said the audience participation got started and the film became very profitable.

"It makes the movie," he said of the audiences' antics.

Anderson said he and his wife decided to feature the film locally after viewing it at a college where they "saw the crowds and the fun they had."

Obtaining the film was not easy, however. The cinema was put on a waiting list for seven to eight months before receiving the feature, he noted. The couple plans to continue offering the film, "as long as the people keep coming," Anderson said.

The crowd that shows up for the midnight show is mostly college students and not "a drinking crowd," Anderson said.

"They know what they can do to let out their frustrations and they

know there is a limit," he explained.

The owner said he watches out for older folks who show up to see the movie and warns them ahead of time what expect, "and where to sit."

Cumberland Police Det. Richard P. Rudinsky, watching the rolls of toilet paper sailing above the audience after a character in the movie yells "Great Scott!," said he has had few problems with the audience. Rudinsky has worked the detail on most weekends since the start.

"They have lots of fun. Every once in a while you have to eject someone, but basically they are well behaved," he said.

When asked to critique the film, Rudinsky, who has seen the movie over 50 times on the detail, was diplomatic. "I don't want to distract from the movie, but it's OK to see once," he said with a chuckle.

Roy Rossi of Johnston, who acts out the role of Riff Raff (Richard O'Brien) and heads the volunteer cast, said he has been attending Rocky Horror shows since 1980.

"People come here to have a good time. I found it to be a good way to meet people and let out frustrations."

Employed as a computer programmer, Rossi said he is not really into acting "but this I can do."

The career of real actors in the film apparently were not diminished by their roles in such an unconventional low-budget production. Tim Curry has a role in the current film *Clue*, Susan Sarandon has been featured in several movies including *The Hunger* and *Compromising Positions* and Boswick has appeared in the television movies such as *Betrayed by Innocence* and *Pleasures*.

I found that all quite amazing as I waded through the toilet paper and crunched rice and an occasional toast on my way out of the theater.

FAN CLUB

Don't dream it.
Join it.

Great news for Rocky Horror fans. The fan club is now only 44¢.

Interested in knowing more?

Just ask me.

Paula Boland