

# R H O D E I S L A N D R O C K Y



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FREE Cumberland Twin Cinemas

Finally...

## SPOTLIGHT!

SATURDAY

The RI RHPS Cast and CTC audience can finally stop dreaming about getting a real spotlight. It's HERE! The latest virgin at the CTC is a 1000 Watt Follow Spotlight featuring an expanding/contracting iris, up/down shudders, and 6 gels on lever command with mixing capabilities. And it's brand spankin' new! Now all we gotta do is figure out how to use it.

Saturday night, the RI RHPS Cast will not be here due to our Holiday Cast Party. Sorry it's a Rocky night, but we had no other choice.

What this means to you is that you're going to see something very different at the CTC, a higher quality of lighting than you're use to seeing. We have struggled at times with lighting, using flashlights, converted floodlights, makeshift spotlights (that sometimes go zzzat!), and, of course, the cursed Q-Beams. Nothing will be thrown out, but the new spotlight will be the main light from now on only here, at the CTC.

But, there WILL still be a full cast performing at the CTC Saturday. Please support them as you would us. RR

### 1986-1987 From Out of Our Pasts ... and into Our Futures

This new light will have an immediate effect on the quality of show at the CTC. We hope this advancement brings you back with friends more often. We have discovered the hard way that we're nothing without you. RR

The Rocky Horror year of 1986 ends this weekend, ready to yield to 1987. It's amazing to some of us to think of 1987 when we remember being a part

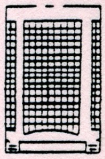
of Rocky from other years and even other places before the CTC. We all started at different times. For some, the stay was brief, for others months. For still others, years.

The movie started in 1975. It came to this area in late 1977. The first local casts formed in 1978. Some of our current cast members date back to 1980. The show has moved from 5 theatres since then before coming to the CTC, not to mention Newport, Groton, and Boston. The tradition runs deep. The CTC's run is now 20 months, far exceeding the streaks of all previous theatres except the extinct Cinerama.

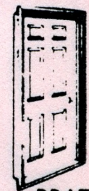
What would you think if I told you you'd still be doing the show as cast or audience in 1997? Or that there would still even be a Rocky Horror? What would people have thought in 1977 if they'd been told the show would still be going strong in the future year of 1987?

## LAST WEEK AT CTC

There've been many new chapters added to the Saga of Rocky Horror in just 1986 alone. Each of us carries our own book of experiences. There is no way of telling what 1987 will bring. Past experience with the Show over the years tells us only one thing for certain. To quote "Nothing will ever be the same."



ATTENDANCE.



PRIZES

FRI	47	Charlie Sargent
SAT	38	Susan Levett

So let's see what happens next! RR

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Next weekend begins a "strange journey" into 1987. We'll talk about what little we CAN predict for events in '87 at CTC. Believe me, some of them are B I G.