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Guts... And Then Some

Last week's Virgin Cast was publicized as being made up of nothing but pure guts - a group of 10 brave souls who, with absolutely no experience among them, would go up there and give it all they had and hope for the best. But, for those of you who witnessed Rocky Horror history being made last week, you saw more than just a try - you actually saw a good show. This collection of strangers to each other soon developed into a group. Beginner's excitement blossomed into successful acting.

It was a very unique and exciting night filled with lots of energy. We are looking forward to these new faces becoming regular ones in our ever-expanding R.I. Cast.

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Then & Now

Many of you think Sam the Skeleton is a really big deal around CTC. So does Sam.

But, there were OTHER'S before Sam. Other's who, in the days when all we could afford or find were cardboard heads and skeletons instead of ballons like Sam, were every bit as loved and popular as modern, technically advanced cast members.

THE BEST OF ROCKY "Sizemore T. Bones and Mr. Head" Compiled by Sheilarae Carpentier

The following articles are about two of the Rhode Island Rocky Horror Picture Show Cast's most popular cast members. The articles originally appeared in Warwick Rocky, Volume 1, Issues 2, 8, 9, 10 and 18, distributed at the Warwick Mall Cinemas in 1984.

WR, V1, #2, 2/24-25/84 Introducing Mr. Sizemore T. Bones

Last week, I was surprised to hear the largest audience response to any cast member was to our skeleton, Mr. Sizemore T. Bones. Mr. Bones, who likes to be called Sizemore by the cast, doesn't have an especially long part in the show. As Riff Raff opens the coffin door containing the remnants of perhaps a distant ancestor, it is Sizemore who gleams out at you with his hollow but radiant smile, sending an eerie chill into the audience that starts up the insanity that will follow. After that, Mr. Bones gets lost in the shuffle, but inside he knows it is he who has really started it all.

When talking with Sizemore, I found him to be a very open individual (in more ways than one). I asked him if it bothered him to be dead and he said that after a while, you get used to it. "It gets a lot better after you lose your flesh and you're just of bones. You feel less weighed down." He has come to expect a lot less from the living world, finding that death has many advantages. For instance, you'll never see ol' Sizemore get hungry, or drunk for the matter. He just can't hold his liquor.

Asked if he would ever leave doing the show to get back to the grave, Sizemore adamantly replies No. He says he feels too free to ever go back to hanging around with a bunch of stiffs. And after waiting 150 years for decaying cells to rot off his body or be eaten off by worms, who can blame him?

WR, V1, #8, 4/6-7/84 Help! for Mr. Sizemore T. Bones

You recently read just a few weeks ago about the ever popular Sizemore T. Bones of the RHPS cast, who so proficiently plays the role of the skeleton during the Time Warp. Sizemore's effectiveness in mimicking the skeleton is greatly enhanced by the fact that he is, indeed a skeleton.

Well, we have been trying to cover it up and take care of the matter ourselves, but the ghastly truth is out - Sizemore's feet are missing. We wouldn't ask for your help if we didn't have to, but, alas, we've given up. We've done everything possible from our side of it. Going through the cinema's garbage bins was a pleasure. Neither was searching through the burn stuff trying to salvage some remaining vestige of Sizemore's feet. But we'd do anything for him. Please, everyone out there, check the bottom of your shoes. It gets wet and sticky in here. One of the feet might be stuck to you. Report back anything you find. Even if it's not the whole foot. Maybe just a toe laying around somewhere. It could have broke up even more than our worst fears, but we'll just have to deal with that. We'll be waiting, with our hearts in our hands.

WR, V1, #9, 4/13-14/84 Mr. Bones is Whole Again

Last week we spoke of the distressful situation concerning the feet of Sizemore T. Bones. I asked all of you to check the bottom of your shoes to see if anything was stuck there and told you of our plight searching through garbage bins and burn barrels to find the missing feet. Well, gang, heh heh, guess where they turned up? Yup. Bottom of my shoes.

I just assumed not to check myself because I'm careful where I walk and figured that they couldn't be stuck to me. That's why I had everybody just go ahead the last 3 weeks checking through baggage and ashes.

Whatever. It doesn't matter how or what events lead up to finding the feet, as long as we got 'em. Right gang? Right?

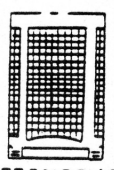
WR, V1, #18, 6/15-16/84 Whatever Happened to Mr. Sizemore T. Bones?

Well, this oft-asked question does deserve an answer sooner or later. And that answer is that Sizemore simply doesn't fit into our plans right now. His popularity dropping to apathetically low levels, his bag of bones body falling to pieces worse and worse each week, we have simply chosen to shelf Sizemore for a while, if not for good.

All the missing pieces to his body have miraculously been found and he once again retains his full boneship, but why push your luck? If we keep using Sizemore week after week, eventually he would lose a bond that we couldn't recover.

Sizemore is now laying comfortably on top of my bureau.

LAST WEEK AT CTC



ATTENDANCE



PRIZES

FRI	85	Sue "Machine Gun" Maston
SAT	95	Candace "I'm so Happy" Betz

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