

outing for Bay's City Rollers

FOLLOWING the recent announcement in our sister paper, The Ellon Times, we are able to confirm the appearance of the Bay City Glitter Band at the Ythan Pop Spectacular on Saturday (raft race day).

The band are an amalgam of two of the top bands from the 70's and are set to repeat their success some 20 years later given the current revival in music from that time. A spokesman for the band exclusively revealed a hidden link between their name and the North East.

When the Bay City Rollers were choosing a name for the band back in the early 70's they simply thumbed through the pages of an atlas, stopped at a random page and taking a stab with a pencil landed on the village of Cruden Bay. The name was shortened from Cruden Bay City Rollers by dropping the word 'Cruden' and the rest is history. The band, however, has decided to use the full name for the Ythan Aid concert and have confirmed their intention to visit Cruden Bay on Friday to meet the people of the village to which they feel they owe so much.

The members of the band will take this opportunity to promote the Ythan Aid charity and feel sure that Cruden Bay will demonstrate an example of generosity to be envied by others. So if you are in the area on Friday evening why not support the Ythan Aid charities and give generously to the Cruden Bay City Glitter Band.

GLAMTASTIC QUIZ

Would you like to win a limited edition Cruden Bay City Glitter Band T-shirt? Then simply send your answers to the following three questions on a postcard to the Buchan Observer by Friday and look out for the winners' names to be published in next week's edition.

- 1 Who was the lead singer of the Bay City Rollers?
- 2 Who was the sparkling star supported by the Glitter Band?
- 3 What was the name of the famous blues band who appeared at last year's Ythan Raft Race?

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