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by **Will**

Posted: **Sun Mar 21, 2010 10:46 am**

There is a new Blog entry at the "Let's Talk Dusty!" website noting the tribute to Dusty which takes place next weekend at the BFI's London Lesbian and Gay Film Festival.

More here - <http://www.dustyspringfield.info/LTD/Blog/Blog.html>

### Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **Clive**

Posted: **Sun Mar 21, 2010 11:04 am**

Thanks Will. I wonder how many episodes of The Springfields TV show were made and how many still exist?


### Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **Corinna**

Posted: **Sun Mar 21, 2010 11:10 am**

Wow, great news! Is anyone here thinking of going?

And I love this picture - never seen it before!

 Image

### Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **humboldt**

Posted: **Sun Mar 21, 2010 12:26 pm**

Sounds great, wish I was able to go. BTW this is repeated twice **Sadie Lee and Jonathan Kemp, DJs and major Dusty fans, who'll be spinning both Dusty tunes and those of her contemporaries for a 60s inspired disco in Benugos till late.**

### Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **Will**

Posted: **Sun Mar 21, 2010 12:42 pm**

Thanks, John - now amended :)

### Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **allherfaces**

Posted: **Sun Mar 21, 2010 1:27 pm**

Janice has been trying to get a ticket, as I wanted someone to take notes on the discussion, but she has been unable to get a ticket. Sold out to festival members.

### Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **daydreamer**

Posted: **Sun Mar 21, 2010 4:19 pm**

We did report this event a while back [viewtopic.php?f=7&t=478](#)

I think that the film showing will probably be the same as they've shown before, we did get some Springfield's clips then and they were in very good quality. I believe the first part of the night has been sold out for quite some time.

## Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **dancer8595**

Posted: **Sun Mar 28, 2010 9:30 am**

I'm in London this weekend so I went along to 'Dusty on TV' at the BFI last night.

Although I'd seen quite a lot of the material before, there were some very rare clips ('Nothing Rhymed' etc.) and some much more well-known clips in their intact versions (The Tom Jones show in full, with both Dusty's numbers and her duet with her host on 'You Got What It Takes' - and the full versions of the Woody Allen and Mel Torme episodes of 'Dusty.') It was quite fascinating to see a complete episode of 'The Springfields' as well, with Dusty's plummy early-60s vowels in their full glory.

Most of all, it was great to sit in an audience of Dusty fans and join in with all the whooping and cheering (especially on 'I Am Woman' of course).

## Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **memphisinlondon**

Posted: **Mon Mar 29, 2010 12:18 am**

Hello! 😊

Thanks for posting. I think you should count that as successful training for DD 2010. Whooping and cheering will come in very handy!

Here's Dusty singing 'Nothing Rhymed' followed by Gilbert O'Sullivan's original version. (I hadn't seen Dusty's version on YouTube before but it's there thanks to Frans). I remember being really impressed by Gilbert's version. At that time I didn't really know who Dusty Springfield was. I still prefer Gilbert's version having listened to it tonight on YouTube. I like Dusty's version too. Dusty injects soul (maybe a tad too much?) into her version, smoothes it out and changes some of the lyrics to suit her better.

Dusty

[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LGgvJerTBOE>[/youtube]

Gilbert

[youtube]<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V2r65RgQbk8>[/youtube]

What do LTD folk think? Which version? Dusty's or Gilbert's?

## Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **humboldt**

Posted: **Mon Mar 29, 2010 1:39 am**

Not a song I have ever cared for but Dusty makes it listenable of course 😊

## Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **dancer8595**

Posted: **Mon Mar 29, 2010 5:40 pm**

Hello Melanie. 😊

Will there really be whooping-and-cheering related activity at Dusty Day? Oooh. Good.

I did catch a bit of the Dusty Disco as well, John...fabulous.

## Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **neilallenuk**

Posted: **Mon Mar 29, 2010 7:12 pm**

Hello everyone!

I work in at Benugo's, inside the BFI. Tried to get a ticket to the Dusty screening but it was fully booked. Was gutted! I did however make it to the Dusty disco.

Rosie, did you come into Benugo's before the screening? Spoke to loads of people all going to the screening, was exciting being around so many fans. Everyone was so friendly and nice.

Ah well...maybe next year?!>

Neil 😊

## Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **ErgoFergo**

Posted: **Tue Apr 06, 2010 12:40 pm**

Sounds fab, Rosie. I think I'm slightly more gutted that I missed the Dusty disco...

## Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **dustysthe1**

Posted: **Mon Apr 12, 2010 7:36 pm**

Hi

Please could I ask if Dancer or anyone who attended the above event to contact me as I am reallu upset at missing this great event.

Anyone have the programme notes PLEASE.

thanks

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## Re: Dusty tribute at the BFI

by **daydreamer**

Posted: **Mon Jul 19, 2010 8:50 am**

If you happen to be in London in August and missed the 'We Love Dusty Springfield' part of this event, they're showing it again on the 17th.

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