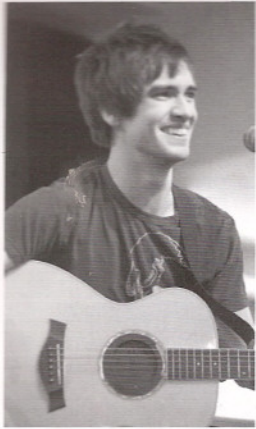


STOCKPORT'S BEST ENTERTAINMENT NIGHTS

WRITES
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A very warm welcome back to all the readers. Well November saw me out and about at several venues witnessing some fine entertainment along the way. My first excursion of the

month saw me at Brinnington Labour Club where I saw Tom Scott in action. Tom was a good singer with bags of experience behind him. He had a good strong voice and his first spot was very good. A week later saw me at the New Roundhouse to check out Greg Lomas. Greg had a great voice and looked the part, his choice of material went down very well with the strong crowd. The following evening I made my way to Newbridge Lane Conservative to

watch Eddie Clinton. This artist was superb and he enthralled me and the crowd with a terrific choice of numbers old and new. The same night I took a trip to the Bowling Green, the first time I had visited this place. There was a live band called Snakeskin who were well into their second set. This band were excellent although a little bit loud but the crowd thoroughly enjoyed their performance. A week later and I was back on the road this time to the

Egerton Arms where Mark Stuart was just starting his first spot. Mark had a unique deep rich voice and had great timing, his first spot was top drawer with his singing, some real catchy numbers. Then a drive to Cheadle where Katie Jay was live on stage at the Crown Inn. Katie was well into her last set by now and her last eight numbers were very good and the busy audience really appreciated her performance. A week later I made my way to the Railway Club to

check out Yvonne Patterson. Yvonne is a classy lady with bags of confidence. Her first set was very impressive with her singing a range of songs old and new, the crowd really took to her as well. The same evening I checked out Ellie Joe who was live at the Rising Sun. Ellie is a great artist who I have seen on a couple of occasions and her last set here was very pleasing. Well that's all for now have a great Christmas and see you all in the New Year. Ray.