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Hi there!

No complaints about 1972 so far—what with "It's One Of Those Nights", the new Partridge Family single, on release over here and (the most waited-for event of all time) David coming over for his very first visit to Britain!

The only big cloud that overshadowed the start of the New Year was, of course, Pete Duel's tragic death in Hollywood on New Year's Eve. From reading your letters I can tell how hard it hit an awful lot of you and you've made it quite clear that you don't mean to let your memories of Pete die with him. That's where I reckon I can help — by featuring him and Ben regularly in future issues of "Superstar". And I didn't want to lose any time, so turn to page 24 for your first "Alias Smith & Jones" Superstar feature and pix.

The other Superstar surprise this month is T. Rex — which means that groovy guy Marc Bolan of course!!

By the way, thanks to all of you who've written in telling me about YOUR Superstars. I know I started explaining what the new style would be last month, and this seems like a good moment to go into it in a bit more detail.

WELL, FROM NEXT MONTH, THE MAGAZINE WILL ACTUALLY TAKE ON ITS NEW IDENTITY PROPER AND BE CALLED "SUPERSTAR 72" — ALTHOUGH IT WILL, OF COURSE, CARRY ON INCORPORATING THE OFFICIAL PARTRIDGE FAMILY MAGAZINE. I KNOW IT WON'T COME AS ANY SURPRISE WHEN I TELL YOU WHO YOUR OTHER REGULAR SUPERSTARS WILL BE: PETE DUEL, BEN MURPHY, T. REX, SLADE AND JACK WILD — PLUS LOTS OF YOUR OTHER FAVOURITES MAKING "GUEST" APPEARANCES — LIKE ROBERT REDFORD AND PAUL NEWMAN!!!

So don't miss the March edition of "Superstar 72". You can't really know what it's like till you've seen it for yourself!

Pat