

# BEAR FAMILY RECORDS



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33 Hot Sunny Gems For Your Summer Holidays**  
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## INFO:

- **Finally dreaming of summer again! Here comes the by now third summer spectacle from Bear Family Records!**
- **An extravagant compilation of Rock 'n' Roll, Rhythm 'n' Blues, Pop songs and instrumentals from the years 1946-1964!**
- **And once again rarities, interesting and informative music history at a reasonable price!**
- **A nostalgic summer dream on 33 musical jewels from three decades!**
- **These include the mambo version of the classic *Summertime* by Edmundo Ros and the rare Decca recording of *Her Bathing Suit Never Got Wet* by the Andrews Sisters.**
- **Rockabilly classics should not be missed, such as Derrell Felts' *It's A Great Big Day*, Jerry Lee Lewis with *Milkshake Mademoiselle* and Joey Weltz' *Shore Party*!**
- **The Rarities Parade is led here by Donny Baker with his rare version of the classic *Drinkin' Wine Spo-Dee-O-Dee*! Some of the songs will be released on CD for the first time, such as *Sun Glasses* by The Shades with the Knott Sisters!**
- **Some surf rock rarities from the early '60s complete the package. Included is a 24-page color booklet with accompanying text and many rare pictures and memories!**

## Dreaming of the most beautiful season

Although traveling on holiday is currently falling into the distance and while we are preparing to spend the summer holidays at home, the daydreams of summer and sun, of distant countries, of flourishing nature and bathing lakes, of beaches and the sea remain. A good support for these dreams is this extraordinary compilation. Specific songs on the subject from the years 1946 to 1964, rocking the jukebox in the dairy bar and of course monumentally singing about summer love. It is the perfect soundtrack for your barbecue in the back garden!

## Party! Party! Party! Party!

Putting this CD together was a party in itself! Starting with the three bikini mermaids, *June, July And August* at the pool party, which continues a little later down at the beach with the *Shore Party*... get the wave, *Surf 'n' Stomp*, plus Annette Funicello's *Bikini Beach Party*! Music to dance to, music to feel so good. Whether on the beach or in the living room: Hot music for the hot season!

## Great names and great unknowns

Apart from the great listening pleasure, there are great stars and fantastic "no-names" of rock and pop history to be discovered. Everybody knows The Del Vikings, Jerry Lee Lewis and Dean Martin, but what about Joey Weltz, The Sh-Booms or Lorrae Desmond? It is similar with the songs: The Rivas' *California Sun* is a classic, but who knows the original? Here you get the original by Joe Jones, plus surf rarities by The Pyramids and The Charades, doo wop and

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ballads by The Chantels, Gene & Billy and The Dovells. Rockabilly cats like Kip Tyler as Jimmy Daley, Derrell Felts, Donny Baker and of course the Killer himself clean up! Beach Party?! Saxophone legend King Curtis is giving us a beach party! And there are of course notes to every single song on the CD and many illustrations in the 24-page booklet!

## TRACKLISTING:

### CD:

**Evelyn Knight & The Stardusters:** Powder Your Face With Sunshine **Derrell Felts:** It's A Great Big Day **Toni Dee:** June, July And August  
**Gene & Billy:** It's Hot **Pee Wee Crayton:** Rockin' The Blues **The Dovells:** Summer Job **The Del Vikings:** The Sun **Gerald Sims:** Cool Breeze  
**The Videls:** Now That Summer Is Here **Joe Jones:** California Sun **The Charades:** Surf'n Stomp **The Pyramids:** Bikini Drag  
**Annette Funicello:** Bikini Beach **Andrea Carroll:** Please Don't Talk To The Lifeguard **The Andrews Sisters:** Her Bathing Suit Never Got Wet  
**Dick Glasser (a.k.a. Dick Lory):** Jeannie's Bikini **Edmundo Ros & his Orchestra:** Summertime **Debbie Reynolds:** Summer Romance  
**Jimmy Daley & The Ding-A-Lings:** Summer Love **Richard Barrett & The Chantels:** Summer's Love **The Sh-Booms:** Short Skirts  
**The Shades feat. The Knott Sisters:** Sun Glasses **Jerry Lee Lewis:** Milkshake Mademoiselle **Don Carroll:** Seven Up And Ice Cream Soda  
**Lorrae Desmond:** Soda Pop Hop **Jan Raye Quartet feat. Lilyann:** Soda Pop **Donny Baker with The Dimensionals:** Drinkin' Pop-Sodee Odee (Pop Pop) **Dean Martin:** In The Cool, Cool, Cool Of The Evening **The Four Mints:** Night Air **Mel Tormé:** Moonlight Cocktail  
**Joey Wertz & his Rockabilly Piano:** Shore Party **King Curtis & The Noble Knights:** Beach Party  
**The Kirby Stone Four:** In The Good Old Summertime

## ALSO AVAILABLE:

**Various Artists:**  
**The Precious Years**  
- 34 Teen Dance Hits From The  
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CD with 28-page booklet  
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**Various Artists:**  
**Banana Split For My Baby**  
- 33 Gems From The Good Old Summertime



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CD with 28-page booklet  
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**Various Artists:**  
**Another Banana Split, please! (No.2)**  
- More Gems From The Good Old Summertime



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**Various Artists:**  
**Autumn Leaves – 29 Gems for the Indian Summer**



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