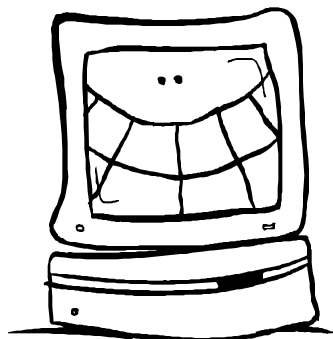


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Dan, the Music Man's web site at:



<http://www.danthemusicman.com>

E-mail Dan at:

info@danthemusicman.com

Send in your e-mail address and home town to receive updates and information about shows and events in your area!

Stay current with Dan, the Music Man appearances at:

www.danthemusicman.com

Print-able versions of the Kid's activities contained inside this newsletter can be found at:

www.danthemuscm.com

Info by phone: 416-410-7765



KIDS CLUB

Issue #5

Welcome!

Interesting...

Welcome to the Kid's Club third issue. Your response has been overwhelming and we are again rolling the presses! Parents can keep this front info page and give the inside activity pages to the kids to play with. Let's enjoy the issue and look forward to many more!

Send in your e-mail address for regular updates. Visit Dan's web site! The address is on the back cover.

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Safety Neighbourhood

DAN THE MUSIC MAN'S LATEST ALBUM RELEASE!

TORONTO. Produced with the **KidSURE Safety Net, Safety Neighbourhood** is a fun collection of songs and stories which teach children the 'Eight Golden Rules of Safety.' This recording will be distributed across North America as part of a comprehensive kit of tools designed to ensure your child's safety.

NOW AVAILABLE! MY EIGHT GOLDEN RULES FOR SAFETY, a beautiful sixteen page activity and colouring book full of wonderful **Safety Edu-tainment** to support Dan the Music Man's Safety Neighbourhood recording. (see page 5 for an example) Proceeds support the KidSure Safety

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Upcoming Appearances!

Updated regularly at:

www.danthemusicman.com

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Net's safety programs.

The album is classic Dan the Music Man with songs that kid's and parents can both enjoy together!

"This album was a labour of love," said Dan, "I love the idea that children can learn things from this record that could actually save their lives. If even one child avoids harm because of something learned from **Safety Neighbourhood**, I'll consider it a huge success!"

But make no mistake, this album is a ton of fun! "Children are much more a part of this album, singing, telling stories and explaining the safety rules to poor, confused Dan! The results are quite magical."

Stay tuned for another release of great songs from Dan the Music Man in the Fall of 2004!



The Eight Golden Rules of Child Safety

Please share these safety rules with your children. The rules form the basis for the **Safety Neighbourhood** album. The rules are reprinted courtesy of the KidSURE Safety Net.

1. Before I go anywhere or leave with anyone **I ALWAYS CHECK FIRST** with my parents or the person in charge.
2. I'm safer when I walk or play with other people when I'm outside. I always use the **BUDDY SYSTEM**.
3. I say **NO** if someone tries to touch me in a way that feels uncomfortable or scary. Then I **GO and TELL** a safe person what happened.
4. I **stay away** from **dangerous places** when I'm playing outside. It's cool to play safe.
5. I always watch out for cars when I'm riding my bike or playing outside. If I want to cross the street, I always **STOP, LOOK and LISTEN** for traffic first. (colouring activity on page 5!)
6. I always keep my **Help Me Child I.D.** with me in case I get lost. I know how to use it but if I forget, I can ask a safe adult to help me.
7. I am an **O.K. person**. A lot of people care about me and will listen to me. I know safe adults that I can talk to or ask for help.
8. **I trust my feelings** and I'm not afraid to do what's right. I am an important person and I deserve to feel safe.

The KidSURE™ Safety Net is an organization dedicated to keeping kids safe. With an array of exceptional products and services designed to protect children, KSN has been developed to provide families with a single, all-encompassing resource for child safety. Families may join the KidSURE program via the internet at www.kidsure.com or by calling their membership information line at (416) KidSURE or toll free at 1-(866) KidSURE.

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MUSICAL INSTRUMENT WORD PUZZLE

Find and draw circles around the names of the musical instruments listed below.



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FIND AND CIRCLE THESE MUSICAL INSTRUMENT NAMES:

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|--------------|--------------|
| 1. GUITAR | 7. ORGAN |
| 2. PIANO | 8. TRUMPET |
| 3. SAXOPHONE | 9. BASS |
| 4. VIOLIN | 10. TROMBONE |
| 5. HARMONICA | 11. VIOLA |
| 6. DRUMS | 12. HARP |

CRAFT PROJECTS

MAKE YOUR OWN BUTTON!

Colour this button, cut it out and glue it on to a piece of round cardboard. Ask your Mom or Dad to help you tape a safety pin on the back and you've made your own button!



When you come to your next **Dan, the Music Man concert**, remember to **wear your button** and show Dan your colouring work! **Parents**, feel free to **photo copy these pages** to share with siblings and friends! I will post **printable pages** on the internet at <http://www.danthemusicman.com>

HOMEMADE GUITAR OR UKULELE

You can try playing your own tunes on this tissue box guitar!

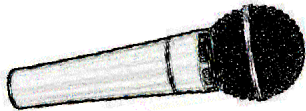
You will need:

Tissue box or shoe box, Rubber bands, Cardboard tube (from kitchen roll)

- 1) Pull different size rubber bands over the tissue box length-ways.
- 2) Strum your fingers over the rubber bands. The hole in the tissue box is the sound hole. Bigger, looser rubber bands will play low notes, smaller, tighter rubber bands higher notes!
- 3) Attach the cardboard tube to the top of the box. This becomes the 'neck' of the guitar. Play along with your favourite songs!



Back of Kid's Club Button.
Cut out and paste on to a piece of round cardboard. You can tape a safety pin to the back of the cardboard for wearing! Have some creative craft fun with the other fun music projects on this page!



MICROPHONE

You will need:

Toilet Paper Tube, Styrofoam Ball or Cotton Balls, Sparkles, Safety Scissors, Yarn or string, Glue, Tape

- 1) Ask an adult to help you put glue on the end of a toilet paper tube.
- 2) Stick your Styrofoam ball or cotton balls to the toilet paper tube.
- 3) Decorate the ball. You can also decorate the tube.
- 4) Ask an adult to help you cut a piece of yarn or string to use as your cord.
- 5) Tape the yarn or cord to the bottom of the toilet paper tube. Sing!

KidsURE
Safety Net

CAPTAIN KIDSURE SAYS:

My Golden Rules For SAFETY ...

RULE #5

5. I always watch out for cars when I'm riding my bike or playing outside. IF I want to cross the street I always **STOP**, **LOOK** and **LISTEN** for traffic first

**STOP!
LOOK!
LISTEN!**

JOKES

Nicole: Today my teacher yelled at me for something I didn't do!!!

Amelia: What was that?

Nicole: My homework!

Q: What travels around the world and stays in a corner?

A.: A stamp

Q: What do you call a boomerang that won't come back?

A: A stick!

Send in your favourite jokes to Dan, the Music Man and I'll print them with your name in the next newsletter!

You can e-mail Dan at: info@danthemusicman.com