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CLUB NEWS

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FIRST Lady Bunny's big-wigged show and now Hedwig's cock-rock wig out! After playing sell out shows at Heaven, Olivier Award Winner David Badella has returned to **Too 2 Much** to resurrect Hedwig in all his/her hot-tongued, back-combed glory. His sensational cross-dressing, high kicking, lip licking, musical androgyny had fans of the sell out musical singing along in adulation (and wearing their "head-wigs" provided with a ticket, along with a glass of bubbles). "Put on some make up, turn on the eight track, and get the wig down from the shelf... Suddenly I'm Miss Farah Fawcett from TV..." and suddenly, we all relate to poor Hedwig who wanted to escape East Berlin (before that wall came down), but had to make the ultimate sacrifice - he had to leave a little bit of something behind. Hedwig's botched sex change operation leaves him with useless homunculus - no wonder he's angry. "Six inches forward and five inches back, I got an angry inch!" Hedwig meets teenage Tommy and transforms him into a rockstar, but Tommy does not reciprocate Hedwig's love. Tommy leaves Hedwig behind - is there a pattern here? Hedwig's journey to self-realisation and final happiness takes in some kick-arse rock songs, wonderful ballads and some delightful musical jaunts (watch out for the "car wash" in 'Sugar Daddy'). If you're not a fan now, you will be. Hedwig ▶

▶ rocks! Check out M&M's for further details. Bring back big hair! Now!

Where Hedwig was desperate to leave Berlin, last weekend thousands flocked for the annual **Hustlaball!** Our intrepid team of QXers were out in force on Friday 21st October where, as a sponsor of the event, we attended. Every major gay company seemed to be in attendance to witness Jeff Stryker, still surprisingly horny, showing off his wonderful dick in all its glory. Other cabaret performers from across Europe strutted their stuff and wowed the crowd, from dancing Indians to tattooed fire-eaters - everything was there. Special shout out to the Colt model crew who did what they do best with Carlo Manzi proving why he is a major Colt movie star. Lady Bunny fulfilled her role as MC with great dexterity and sense of purpose - and any language barrier was soon overcome by her hand gestures and the way she jiggled that ass! The event was so well organised and hats off to Tom, Sascha and the whole Hustla Ball team. The VIP area offered the special guests a German style buffet. Away from the main stage fun and games were to be had in the labyrinth of rooms that formed part of the venue where Hustla Ball was presented. Start hustling now for a ticket for the 2006 event!

You're never too far away from a cruisy gay bar in south London, but if you're lucky enough to live anywhere near **The Man Bar** you've got one of the few purpose-built cruise clubs catering to your needs... althoing by the amount of cars parked outside on Great Suffolk Street on guys come here from all over. We watched from the bar for a while; guing the various nooks, crannies and each other in different areas, whilst

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