Junior Smoots and the Disturbers

Junior Smoots and the Disturbers are a unique band from the Jersey shore area. They are a perfect cure for the 'clone band syndrome' and a joyful relief from the 'Asbury Park sound.' Their musical style ranges from Roots Reggae, Rock Steady and Ska to Afro-Carribean Funk. Aside from their many originals, they perform in their own 'disturbed' style, songs from the likes of Bob Marley, Peter Tosh, Toots and the Maytals, Desmond Dekker, Yellowman, UB-40, The Specials and Bad Manners to name a handful.

Robert Santelli from the Aquarian News staff has praised Junior Smoots and the Disturbers as "the shores' best homegrown reggae band." They also have received personal encouragement from Burning Spear, Toots Hibbert, Joe Strummer and Bruce Springsteen.

Personnel

Junior Smoots

Judy Joots

Emergency Ward

Ken Douyotas

Vito Roast

Paul Roberts

Tracy Lawrence

Booking info:

or write:

Lead, backing vocals; riddim guitar.

Lead, backing vocals; percussion.

Lead guitar: backing vocals.

Drums

Tenor, soprano sax; backing vocals;

percussion.

Bass guitar; backing vocals.

Keyboards

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