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13th August, 2010.

Mr. John Chamberlain
Rewind Rehearsal Rooms
Unit 20, Newton Road
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Dear John,

I confirm that the crescent-shaped car park at the bottom of the cul-de-sac and adjacent to Unit 20 is car-parking for the sole use of you, your staff and customers.

I confirm that there is more car-parking available for your use at the rear of the building through the gates from the cul-de-sac and that you have a key for the padlock on the gates. This overspill parking, if and when required, can be used from 17.30 hours to 07.30 hours weekdays and at any time on weekends.

I confirm that the rooms you occupy in Unit 20 were empty for just less than 4 years before you took up occupancy, the design of the building not being entirely suited to modern production methods and not situated well enough for office-based firms.

I trust all is well and that you are still nurturing young musicians.

Yours sincerely,

Ken Lawrance

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Trustee

for a business threatened with closure.

Rewind Rehearsals moved to the Harrowbrook Industrial Estate recording type.

Proprietor John Chamberlain recalls: "We had someone from the environmental health department of the council Tredinnick who pointed out there was a need for the service as between 60 and 70 bands rehearse there every week and this nuisance they refer the band or musician to Rewind to consider rehearsing there.

Mr Tredinnick said: was looking forward to seeing the rehearsal rooms and the people who use them, adding that he would not say no if offered the chance to play the drums.

No sooner said than done. When he visited the premises he took his position behind their kit and played with Article on The Kinks' hit You Really Got Me.

The day before, Feargal Sharkey, the former Undertones' singer who later had a solo smash with A Good Heart, returned to Hinckley to launch a new arts campaign and popped in to Rewind. They have the kind of service he told a business forum at the Marston's Stadium last year was needed in the town.

Now, if the council plans to redevelop the Atkins' hosiery buildings go through, Rewind will have eight purpose-built rehearsal rooms there as well as rehearsal and recording studios for the transferred North Warwickshire and Hinckley College.



Banding together – David Tredinnick and (standing right) John Chamberlain with members of Article, The Essentials and Stix and Stones. Picture: Jim Tomlinson JT220607bands_4