

## BLUE AEROPLANES

This is for the benefit of our many readers in Hay-On-Wye, who were sadly disappointed when a May 28 gig featuring the Blue Aeroplanes was cancelled. So, while the Planes complete the new album they've been piecing together in Surrey, Bristol and North London, here's the full Aeroplanes discography, with added notes and corrections provided by singer Gerard Langley, who will be demonstrating the noble art of band-leading at Glastonbury on June 26.



Gerard: pompous pilot (and Rodney)

### GERARD LANGLEY AND IAN KEAREY

#### Album

- Mar 1986 Siamese Boyfriends ..... Fire LP4  
six-track acoustic album

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#### Singles

- Feb 1985 Action Painting/Le Petit Cadeau De Don Juan/Ash Trays From Mt Etna/Police (38 Divinity) ..... 12" Fire FIRE 2  
Mar 1985 Lover And Confidante/Who Built This Station In The Midwest/Weird Heart/Breaking In My Heart ..... 12" Fire FIRE 8  
Oct 1986 Tolerance/When The Wave Comes Down ..... Fire BLAZE 12S  
Oct 1986 Tolerance/Teaching English Through Sex And Death (Remix)/Complete Blessing/And The Couple In The Next Room ..... 12" Fire BLAZE 12T  
Oct 1987 Bury Your Love Like Treasure/King Of The Soapbox/Vice King's Son/Continually Torn Apart ..... 12" Fire BLAZE 23T  
(with free badge)  
May 1988 Veils Of Colour/Spitting Out Miracles (Remix)/Arriving/Built In A Day ..... 12" Fire BLAZE 24T  
(with free poster)  
Apr 1988 The Janice Long Session Cowardice And Caprice/Coats/What Do You Mean?/Shame ..... 12" Night Trax SFNT 009  
Feb 1990 Jacket Hangs/Razor Walk ..... Ensign ENY 628  
Jan 1990 Jacket Hangs/Razor Walk/Different Now/Big Sky ..... 12" Ensign ENYX 628  
same tracks on CD ENYCD 628

- May 1990 And Stones (Remix/Edit)/And Stones (LP Version) ..... Ensign ENY 632  
May 1990 And Stones (Lovers All Round Mix)/And Stones (Remix/Edit)/And Stones (Lovers Uptown Vocal Mix)/And Stones (LP version) ..... 12" Ensign ENYX 632  
same tracks on CD ENYCD 632  
Oct 1990 The Loved EP: You (Are Loved)/You're Going To Need Somebody/Sweet Jane/World Was Blue (Acoustic) ..... 10" Ensign ENY 10636  
same tracks on 12" ENYX 636 and CD ENYCD 636  
Jul 1991 Yr Own World/Pony Boy ..... Ensign ENY 647  
Jul 1991 Yr Own World/Pony Boy/Miss-Firing/Autumn Journal XXIV ..... 12" Ensign ENYX 647  
Oct 1991 The Boy In The Bubble/Talkin' On The Otherphone ..... Ensign ENY 649  
Oct 1991 The Boy In The Bubble/Talkin' On The Otherphone/Disney Head ..... 12" Ensign ENYX 649  
Oct 1991 The Boy In The Bubble/Talkin' On The Otherphone/Disney Head/Huh (Remix) ..... CD ENYCD 649  
May 1991 Stranger/Trouble, Tell Me I'm Alive. Two-track flexi given free at a Bristol University gig. Both tracks are out-takes from "Beatsongs"

#### Albums

- Feb 1984 Bop Art ..... Party PART 1  
Control Of Embassies/Pinkies Hit The Union/Gunning The Works/Owls/Outback Jazz/Chelsea Wallpaper/Bagpipe Music/Built In A Day  
reissued for one pressing only on Abstract ABT 009 (1985) as part of a general deal with Abstract that never happened  
Nov 1985 Imminent Episode One ..... Food BITE 1  
Various artists compilation that includes an alternate version of 'Outback Jazz'  
Mar 1986 Tolerance ..... Fire FIRE LP3  
Arriving/Journal Of An Airman/Rare Flowers/Warhol's Fifteen/30-Love/Love And Confidante/Tolerance/Ups/When The Wave Comes/Soul (Seen And Unseen)  
A European edition was issued with three extra tracks from the 'Love And Confidante' EP added  
Oct 1987 Spitting Out Miracles ..... Fire FIRELP 10  
Coats/Cowardice And Caprice/Julie/Spitting Out Miracles/Ceiling Roses/In The Mystery/Season Ticket To A Bad Place/Bury Your Love Like Treasure/Days Of '49/Teaching English Through Sex And Death/Winter Sun/What Do You Mean/What I Said/Do The Dead Know What Time It Is? Originally released with a flexi-disc of Rodney Allen performing 'Days Of '49' and Ian Kearey performing 'Cowardice And Caprice'. Neither musician was in the band at the time. It's these two versions that are on 'FriendLoverPlane'  
Nov 1988 FriendLoverPlane ..... Fire FIRELP 15\*  
Veils Of Colour/Complete Blessing/Weird Heart/Le Petit Cadeau De Don Juan/Severn Beach/Police (38 Divinity)/Action Painting/Who Built This Station In The Midwest/Old Men Sleeping On The Bowery/88 Out/Ashtrays From Mt Etna/Gunning The Works/King Of The Soap Box/Tolerance/Etiquette/Continually Torn Apart/Days Of '49/I Wanna Be Your Lover/Warhol's Fifteen/Shame/The Couple In The Next Room/Stripped/Cowardice And Caprice/Breaking In My Heart  
The two last-named tracks do not appear on the CD version, which was also available in both a light and dark blue sleeve design. Issued in the USA as a single LP and on an 18-track CD. None of the tracks on 'FriendLoverPlane' are available on any other LPs  
Jan 1989 Great Fire Of London ..... Fire FIRELP 8  
Various artists compilation that includes the Aeroplanes' uncredited version of Dave Brubeck's 'Unsquare Dance', an out-take from 'Bop Art'  
Feb 1990 Swagger ..... Ensign CHEN 13\*  
Jacket Hangs/World View Blues/Weightless/And Stones/Love Come Around/Your Ages/The Applicant/What It Is/Anti-Pretty/Careful Boy/Picture Framed/Cat Scan His'try Beatsongs ..... Ensign CHEN 21\*  
Aug 1991 Huh!/Yr Own World/Angelwords/Fun/Cardboard Box/My Hurricane/Aeroplane Blues/Jack Leaves And Back Spring/Colour Me/Streamers/The Boy In The Bubble/Sixth Continent

\* also on CD

Gerard Langley adds: "The only tracks uncollected on 'FriendLoverPlane' and not listed elsewhere here are:

- 1) A couple of dodgy live tracks from the ICA 1987 on EMI's brace of 'On The Dotted Line' compilations
- 2) A track called 'Autumn Journal XV' (completely different song to 'Autumn Journal XXIV' on the Lime Lizard cassette LL1) (1991)
- 3) Live versions of 'Bury Your Love Like Treasure' and 'I Wanna Be Your Lover' on an American CD EP called 'World View Blue'
- 4) The original album version of 'Aeroplane Blues' (pre-overdubs etc) on Volume 2 (1991)