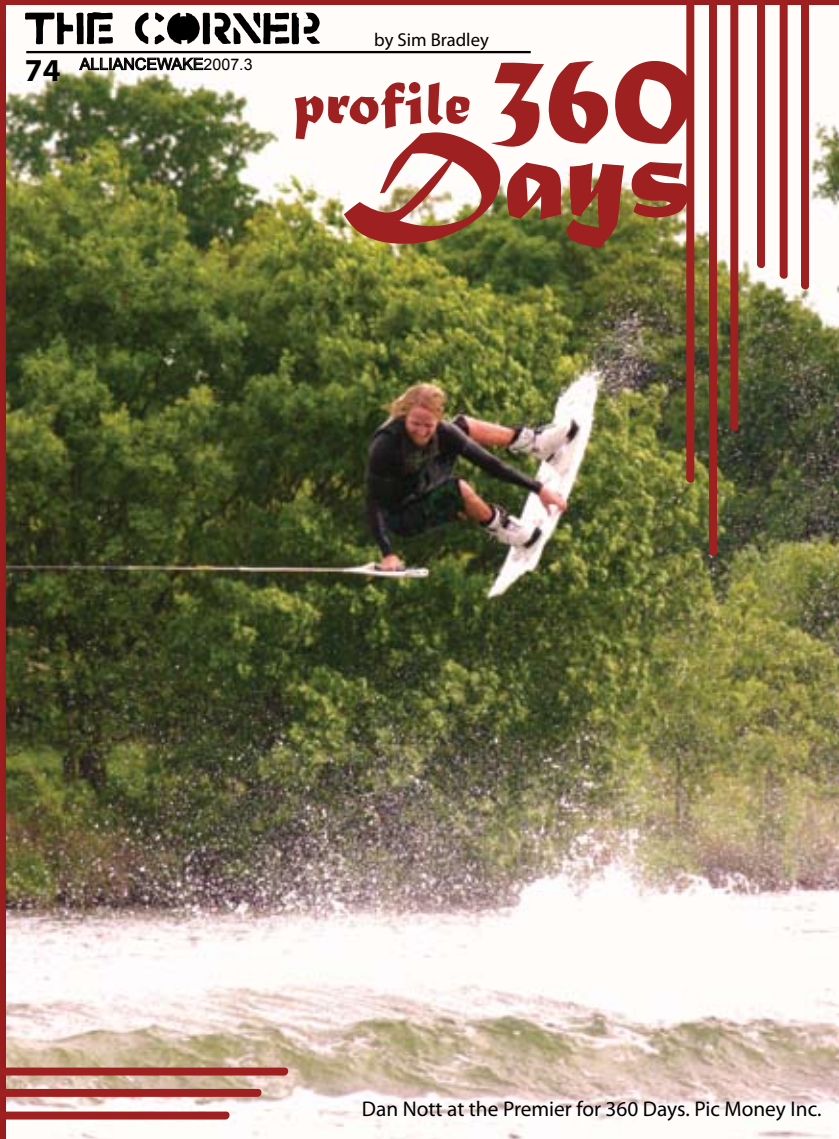


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Dan Nott at the Premier for 360 Days. Pic Money Inc.



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Home movies are ace, especially when you travel around the world all year riding and filming with your mates. Well imagine a home movie on a massive scale, would good quality cameras and editing to string the whole thing together. Well you no longer need to as it is here, the most unconventional but at the same time brilliant, wakeboard DVD from Aussie riders Eban Escott and Kath Moore.

Having spent the last couple of years chasing an endless summer between the UK and their home in Aus, Kath and Eban have seen a lot of the world and made hundreds of friends along the way, and 360 Days is a testament to this as it documents three hundred and sixty days of Eban's life with a video camera and a wakeboard. The movie has over 60 riders in from all over the globe, though most of them are from Aus, NZ and the UK, and rather than having individual rider sections like conventional films, it's split into chapters which represent different locations and people all set to a booming soundtrack including big artists like Wolfmother and The Killers. This new original format had me kind of worried when I first heard of it as I had visions of an hour long video that didn't really go anywhere or achieve anything but I should have known better than to think anything lower than great from Eban.

Although the film is very long, the idea behind it is to watch the parts you want to see as you go, making up your own film out of a bunch of different sections. The DVD menu is really well thought out and gives you the options of watching the whole flick, or riders from a particular country or place. This little touch is what really makes the film. It's the perfect DVD to keep in your club house as it's perfect for watching a couple of sections that get you amped up before hitting the water yourself.

Names you might recognise include Dan Nott, Nick Davies, Jonty Green, Richie Hiney, Matt Crowhurst, Craig McCulloch, Amber Wing, Ben & Dan Tolson, Sam Collins, Hamish Lowe, James Young, Robbie Rendo and Jenna McAvoy. If the movie only had these guys in it, it would be worth buying but when you remember the other fifty odd riders, it's hard not to justify buying a copy.

For the Premier Eban and Kath went all out, hiring out the Quays for an afternoon and getting some of the guys from the film to do demos for the crowd and feeding everyone too with an epic display of BBQ'n. They even had potatoe salad and cous cous, so for some people this was like a 5-star reception. Everyone who's anyone was in attendance and it made for the first congregational of the year as a lot people had been away for the winter, Dan Nott just got back from Argentina, Irish (John Tully) has been sunning it in Clermont Florida, Dom Hatcher has been keeping it real in south Florida and a load of others that I don't have time to talk about were there too.

Everyone was really impressed with the movie and gave a standing ovation when the curtain closed. The DVD is in shops now and you can buy it direct from www.360days.co.uk. It's important you support things like this film as they are what keeps our little industry together, and its well worth the cash.



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