

U3a Derby - Classic Rock Group meeting 13th March 2025

'World Music'

Members of the group nominated music tracks by artists from primarily non English speaking countries around the world.

Interestingly, several nominations were by Dutch bands, so we kicked off with our 'Dutch Gold' section:

Smashy and Nicey - the [Dutch G-Fab FM](#) - comedy legends from the 1990's

The Bintangs - [Riding on the L and N](#) - A bluesy cover from 1969.

Shocking Blue - [Venus](#) - A big hit in 1969.

Focus - [Sylvia](#) - This Dutch prog group had major success in the early 70's

Golden Earring - [Radar Love](#) - The Dutch were on a roll in the 70's!

Ain Soph - Canterbury Song - No video available. Japanese tribute to Hatfield and the North (70's prog band)

Wara - [Agua Clara](#) - Bolivian band. 'Rock' but with a distinct South American twist.

Plastic Bertrand - [Ca Plane Pour Moi](#) - A brilliant slice of Franco Belgian plastic punk!

Tangerine Dream - [Love on a real train](#) - progressive Krautrock - used in the soundtrack to 'Risky Business' 1988.

Scorpions - [Wind of Change](#) - More Krautrock - but a little more AOR...

Osibisa - [Sunshine Day](#) - Early 70's afrobeat courtesy of the Ghanaian band

More tracks to follow...from our April meeting