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ROCK AND POP

David Johansen

No one who saw the punk, glam, cross-dressing New York Dolls in the seventies tearing up sweaty, slightly dangerous clubs like Max's Kansas City would have predicted this gig for the band's lead singer, David

Johansen. But Johansen has proven to be a multifaceted entertainer—in the course of his long career, he's delved into the blues, deep Americana, and, most successfully, lounge jive, in the persona of Buster Poindexter. After a couple of successful one-night stands at the Café Carlyle during the past year, the tuxedoed, pompadoured, and semi-decadent Poindexter has the run of this citadel of sophistication for a week. (Carlyle Hotel, Madison Ave. at 76th St. 212-744-1600. Oct. 21-25.)