



Recently signed to Kidology records, and with 3 decades of DJing experience behind him, Tom Chubb knows his way around the decks (and, unfortunately for his friends, rubbish jokes).

One thing you might not know about me is... I'm the person behind tomss***jokes.co.uk. They are not very good - you have been warned!

My worst ever job was... Earning the minimum wage in a perfume factory. We made the Pepparami aftershave.

My favorite ever record is... This tends to change every day. Today it's Inner City, 'Pennies From Heaven' (Kevin's Tunnel Mix).

DJing is much like... A chance to express yourself through music. Being really shy when I was growing up, people were always surprised to hear I was a DJ. When a big track used to go off, I couldn't stand there so I used to pretend to pick out my next vinyl fist-pumping the air from under the decks.

Dubai's clubbing scene is... Pretty impressive in terms of some of the line-ups I've seen. I never thought I'd see a car park event here so there are still surprises which is great. The sparklers in the bottles can 'Do One' though!

I'm really proud of... The improvement in my productions over the last 6 months. I've had a remix released recently on Kidology and am working on some original productions and collaborations due out later this year. Infusion Records already have the first refusal on one of them. Check out tomchubb.com and soundsakimbo.com for a listen.

My biggest DJ achievement to date is... I've DJ-ed at more than 50 venues around the world so there's quite a few to choose from... NYE 98/99 I did 9pm - 3am for my residency at The Mansion House then went and played 4am - 6am in the main tent at a rave with 2,000 people in an Equestrian Centre near Chichester for Spooky. It was still packed right to the end. I was so tired that I literally collapsed after the last track and fell backwards through the tent and out the back! I was smiling like a cheshire cat though!

If you could DJ in any decade which would it be... I've DJ-ed across 3 decades already (90s/00s/10s) and I really loved the sound back in the 90s. It was much more melodic and underground. The Noughties were probably my favourite in terms of going out clubbing in London. Rulin & Defected @ Ministry, City Loud @ Turnmills - some of my favourite ever nights. I'm not ignoring the decades before that, but I think 1995-2005 was my favourite 10 years and would definitely re-visit if I could.

I'm not a politician but...
I can't think of a worse job than being President or PM. Always someone knifing you in the back saying they'd have done it better.

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