## **Summertime**

## Will Smith

Summer, summer, summertime
Time to sit back and unwindHere it is the groove slightly transformed

Just a bit of a break from the norm

Just a little somethin' to break the monotony

Of all that hardcore dance that has gotten to be

A little bit out of control it's cool to dance

But what about the groove that soothes that moves romance

Give me a soft subtle mix

And if ain't broke then don't try to fix it

And think of the summers of the past

Adjust the base and let the alpine blast

Pop in my CD and let me run a rhyme

And put your car on cruise and lay back cause it's the summertimeChorusSchool is out and it's a sort of a buzz

A back then I didn't really know what it was

But now I see what have of this

The way that people respond to summer madness

The weather is hot and girls are dressing less

And checking out the fellas to tell 'em who's best

Riding around in your jeep or your benzos

Or in your Nissan sitting on lorenzos

Back in Philly we'd be out in the park

A place called the plateau is where everybody goes

Guys out hunting and girls doing likewise

Honking at the honey in front of you with the light eyes

She turns around to see what you beeping at

It's like the summers a natural aphrodisiac

And with a pen and pad I compose this rhyme

To hit you and get you equipped for the summer timeChorusIt's late in the day and I ain't been on the court yet

Hustle to the mall to get me a short set

Yeah I got on sneaks but I need a new pair

Cause basketball courts in the summer got girls there

The temperature's about 88

Hop in the water plug just for old times sake

Break to ya crib change your clothes once more

Cause you're invited to a barbeque that's starting at 4

Sitting with your friends cause y'all remincise

About the days growing up and the first person you kiss

And as I think back makes me wonder how

The smell from a grill could spark up nostalgia

All the kids playing out front Little boys messin round with the girls playing double-dutch While the DJ's spinning a tune as the old folks dance at your family

Reunion

Then six o'clock rolls around
You just finished wiping your car down
It's time to cruise so you go to the summertime hangout
It looks like a car show
Everybody come lookin real fine
Fresh from the barber shop or fly from the beauty salon
Every moment frontin and maxin
Chillin in the car they spent all day waxin
Leanin to the side but you can't spead through
Two miles an hour so everybody sees you
There's an air of love and of happiness
And this is the Fresh Prince's new defintion of summer madnessChorus

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