

The Spa Strummers' Chip Van Emergency Ballad JLK 15.7.21

*'Smoke on the Water' riff x2*

We went off to the Dasset Hill –  
Spa Strummers, invited to play  
4 sets at Avon Dasset Show  
And it was such a beautiful day.

We were playin' and lookin' out  
From our designated marquee all was  
happy and bright when on our left  
What was it that we could see?

Smoke from the chip van  
And it was getting high  
Smoke from the chip van

*Riff x2*

Down the field were the firemen  
With an engine – all part of the show.  
Could they help with the chip van fire?  
The answer came back 'no'.

There had to be a call out  
A 999 call had to be made  
So the firemen would be "on a shout"  
And the chip van could be saved

Smoke from the chip van .... + *riff x2*

We look forward to the next Show  
And hope we'll be invited along  
Cos it's a Spa Strummers' favourite  
Playing ukes and singing our songs

And whenever we talk about  
The beloved Avon Dasset Show  
We always remember that eventful year  
We nearly witnessed a chip van inferno

Smoke from the chip van .... + *riff x2*