

# SHAG RAG



## Burlington Shag Club

Incorporated  
1985

[www.burlingtonshagclub.com](http://www.burlingtonshagclub.com)

# August 2005

### From the Presidents Pen,

**Please remember to drink lots of water during these very hot days!!!**

As we move into the second half of the year, let me take this opportunity to thank those who have made the first half move along as smoothly as it did. We had some ups and downs but for the most part, we had a good first half. I know that the second half will go as well if not better. We have a lot of functions coming up in the very near future and if we all work together as a team, I know that all will have a wonderful time.

The next business meeting is scheduled for August 19, 2005 at 8:00 PM at Ramada Inn Burlington. Please bring all issues and concerns to that meeting to be discussed with and among your fellow members.

Until next time, hope everyone has a great Shagging Summer.

#### **Thought for the month:**

#### **Remember the three R's:**

**Respect yourself ---- Respect for others ---- and ---- Responsibility for all your actions.**

Sheila Walker  
BSC President 2005

[walkshei@armc.com](mailto:walkshei@armc.com)

<b>President</b>	<b>Vice-President</b>	<b>Secretary</b>	<b>Treasurer</b>	<b>Newsletter Editor</b>	<b>Webmaster</b>
Sheila Walker 227-8029	Steve McHone 449-7572	Angie Sharpe 226-6218	Mary Gregory 585-1118	Susan Huey 376-8197	Mary Gregory 585-1118

## June 17, 2005 Business Meeting Minutes

### Attendees:

Angie Sharpe	Kent Bradsher	Chuck Upchurch	Pam Hord	Debbie Wolfe
Clint Sharpe	Carol Oliver	Pam McHone	Susan Huey	David Tuttle
Mary Gregory	Fred Hallaman	Judy Smith	Jason Huey	Polly Tuttle
Steve McHone	Jackie Hallaman	Ray Jolly	Mary Ann Lynch	Peg Hansen
Sheila Walker	Ronnie Gregory	Joni James	Jimmy Lynch	Evelyn Turner
Brenda Smith	Denise Upchurch	Baxter Sellars	Rick Wolfe	Stephen Stearns

**Secretary Report:** No changes to June minutes, stand as recorded. Club needs to look at ways to increase membership and involvement within the club. Current membership is at 184.

**Treasurer's Report:** Report handed out and can be found in August Shag Rag.

### Committee Reports:

*DJ Committee* – Kent Bradsher – DJ's during SOS was discussed, motion was made for the club not to have a DJ on the 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> of September due to SOS, it was 2<sup>nd</sup> and passed. There will be no DJ's at Master's on these two Friday nights.

*Sunshine/Remembrance Committee* – Judy Lindley – Let Judy know of any member that is ill or has had a death in the family. She needs name and address information. Fran Bonkowski had surgery and Keith Andrews passed away.

*Telephone Committee* – Norma Long – No Report

*Newsletter Committee* – Susan Huey - Have articles and information to her within the next week.

*Golf Committee* – Chuck Upchurch & Clint Sharpe – Golf Tournament is September 10<sup>th</sup>, meeting will be held at Bogey's on July 27<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. Please plan to attend if interested in helping. Brochures have been placed out at local clubs and Chuck will get one to the lady at Special Olympics.

*Ways & Means Committee* – Steve McHone – Thanks for the support on the Beach Buggy tickets.

*Web Master* – Mary Gregory - Shagdance.com has a new site that is very impressive. Mary was asked how often she could update the web site and she said every day as long as she has access to do it. It was suggested to put Sunshine information on the website and Mary said to email the information and she will have it posted.

*Bus Trip Committee* – Denise & Chuck Upchurch – August 27<sup>th</sup> is Winston-Salem's area party, if interested in doing a bus let Chuck & Denise know. Raleigh Shag Club president challenged BSC to see how many of it members could be present at Reds on July 16<sup>th</sup>, there was no way to get a bus organized that quick so if anyone is interested in carpooling let Chuck or Denise know after the meeting. October 8<sup>th</sup> is Greensboro Area party, need to get bus at least two weeks in advance. If interested in doing a bus let Chuck & Denise know.

*Fun Monday Committee* – Joan Kimbro – Sheila still trying to get in touch with Joan in regards to items that will be sold.

*Float Committee* – Brenda Smith - Carefree times has pictures of the float on pages 31, 16 & 20. Stephanie West was featured in one of the articles.

*50/50 Committee* – Hugh Walker – No Report

*By-Laws Committee* – Sheila Walker – The last member of the committee received a copy of the revised By-Laws and a meeting will be set soon with the committee members to finalize the presentation to the membership.

*Entertainment Committee* – Ronnie Gregory – Looking at different ideas for another party and there will be a discussion at the next meeting on the Christmas Party.

**Christmas Party:** Sheila contacted Jim Way and informed him that he was the choice for the DJ at the 2005 Christmas Party, he was delighted.

**Hall of Fame:** Be thinking of nominations for BSC Hall of Fame. If you have any questions contact Lynda Justice and the nomination form will be available in the Shag Rag or you can get it from the club officers or committee chair. Lynda is checking in the By Laws to see if a committee needs to be formed, will report back to the membership.

**Meals on Wheels:** This is a special committee and Sheila will be asking for volunteers to work together with MOW staff in developing this function. If you are interested in working on this, please see Sheila.

**ACSC Summer Workshop 2005:** Hosted by the Twin Rivers Shag Club, we had approximately 12 members in attendance. Overall, it was a good party and meeting.

**ACSC Summer Workshop 2006:** Still in planning stages, all committee heads have met and the budget committee is looking at getting sponsors for the event. Association DJ will be used and Mary is still looking for volunteers.

**SOS Fall Migration:** Will be held September 16-25, 2005. Fun Sunday will be held September 18<sup>th</sup> and Fun Monday will be September 19<sup>th</sup>. Joan Kimbro will be contacting members to work on the booth for Fun Monday. Fun Monday tickets; the club needs to sell 100 tickets in order not to pay the booth fee for Fun Monday. Sheila has divided the tickets into increments of 10 so help do your part by selling tickets. All tickets sells must be completed by August business meeting so that they will have sufficient mail time to be returned. September 2<sup>nd</sup> is the deadline for all tickets to be sold or returned. SOS Tea Party will be held at the Arcade the first weekend, time to be announced at a later date. Light refreshments may be brought by the club and 2 ½ to 3 hours can be allotted for the function.

**Upcoming Events:** Sheila has many flyers on events that are happening in the shag community, she has them with her at every business meeting. If interested please see her after the meeting to catch up on what is going on in the shag world.

**Pool Party:** Will be held August 20<sup>th</sup> at the Ramada pool, it will be from 10am to 6pm and will continue at Master's lounge from 9pm to 1am. This is a BYOB and BYO Snacks along with a cookout provide. Each member is allowed on guest at a cost of \$5. See flyer in Shag Rag for more details.

**Other Business:** Sheila has been asked by several members about the club hosting another party to help in raising funds to support the club's upcoming events. She asked if this is something the club would be interested in doing? Discussion was tabled for membership to think about. Ways to save money was discussed and it was mentioned that we are one of the few clubs left that meets every week, if we were to cut back on DJs it would save money. Also look at certain months of the year where attendance is low and only have a DJ every other week. We as a club also need to get all members excited about BSC again.

**Yard Sale:** Should this event be held this year? It is always the same people organizing and carrying out the event. Can we get a storage trailer and where can it be kept? How will we pay for Christmas Cheer Family without the proceeds from the yard sale? Some suggestions to replace the yard sale was to do a cake auction or BBQ sale. A motion was made for the club to continue with the yard sale, 2<sup>nd</sup> and then resended. Another motion was made to do the yard/bake sale on October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and passed unanimous. Joni has volunteered to get people food items together and Peg Hansen will chair the committee. All items need to be delivered to Ronnie Gregory no later than September 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Next Meeting:** August 19<sup>th</sup>, 8:00pm at the Ramada.

**50/50 Drawing:** Total was \$76, Brenda Smith took home \$38!!!

# Attention!

## **BSC Yard and Bake Sale**

Saturday, October 8, 2005

Please help us help our Christmas Cheer Families

Start **NOW** gathering your items.

Please don't wait until the last minute, get your items together and contact Peg Hansen at 336-586-9488.

**We will have a place to store them.**

**Editor's Corner** ... Deadline for  
September newsletter articles

Will be **August 23.**

Thanks! Susan Huey

sshuey@med.unc.edu

<b>July 15, 2005 Treasury Report</b>			
<b>Balance on 6/17/05 = \$5624.40</b>			
<b>Income</b>		<b>Expenses</b>	
50/50 – 6/17/05	26.50	DJs	400.00
Float Shirts (26)	390.00	Website (June 2005)	10.95
Refund	106.48		
Interest	.40	<b>Total Expenses =</b>	<b>\$410.95</b>
<b>Total Income =</b>	<b>\$523.38</b>		
<b>Balance on 7/15/05 = \$5736.83</b>			

## **Winston Salem Shag Club Area Party and Pool Party**

**Saturday, August 27<sup>th</sup> Pool Party is from 11am – 1:00pm**

**Meet the area shag clubs that night from 8-1 in the ballroom.**

**Holiday Inn (336-765-6670)**

**2008 South Hawthorne Road**

**Winston Salem, NC 27103**

**Directions: From Greensboro I-40 west to Hanes Mall Exit , turn right go 1/2 mile to Silas Creek Parkway turn left. Go 1 block to South Hawthorne turn right (1 block on left)**

**Rooms available for \$40 per night.**

**Contact: Frank Transou 336-940-4356 or email [FMT3@triad.rr.com](mailto:FMT3@triad.rr.com)**

## **Make Plans NOW!**

Just around the corner is SOS Fall Migration  
In North Myrtle Beach September 16 – 25, 2005

### **Please support our local DJs at SOS:**

**Roy Childress** – playing at Boulevard Grill on Tuesday Sept. 20<sup>th</sup> from 3:00pm to 6:00pm

NOTE: If you are one of our local DJs and know when you are playing at SOS, please let us know and we will put it in our next newsletter.

### **BSC Tea Party at SOS Fall Migration**



**Where:** The Arcade

**When:** Saturday, September 17, 2005

**Time:** 3:00pm - 5:00pm



**Burlington Shag Club Members Only**

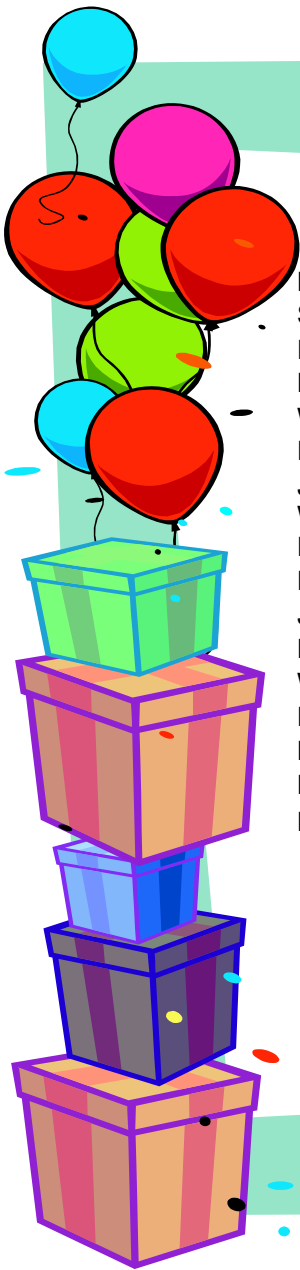
## Happy Birthday

### August

Layman, Matt	Aug-1
Shotwell, Kathy	Aug-3
Hopper, Martha	Aug-7
Loy, Edith	Aug-9
Willis, Ed	Aug-14
Heavner, Betty	Aug-15
Justice, Lynda	Aug-15
Winningham, Richard	Aug-16
Pate, Bobbie	Aug-18
Jordan, Gail	Aug-19
Maness, Trish	Aug-19
Whaley, Buddy	Aug-21
Dodson, Ellen	Aug-22
Bare, Jimmy	Aug-28
Bowman, Will	Aug-28
McKee, Becky	Aug-29

### September

Bradsher, Colon	Sep-2
Glasgow, Roy	Sep-2
Wilson, Mike	Sep-6
Upchurch, Denise	Sep-13
Williamson, Jane	Sep-13
Gregory, Ronnie	Sep-15
Jones, Kay	Sep-15
Smith, Patti	Sep-19
Brooks, Candy	Sep-21
Cole, Violet	Sep-22
Emory, Billie	Sep-24
Oliver, Shine	Sep-24
Fogleman, Dianne	Sep-26
West, Stephanie	Sep-28



### **Members to keep in your thoughts.....**

Fran Bonkowski had back surgery, Laura Bostic had neck/back surgery and Lorna Shively had surgery, we hope you all have a speedy recovery!

David Robertson was in motorcycle accident, he broke his back in three places and had to have surgery, you are in our prayers!

**Current Membership 184!!!!**

# Burlington Shag Club's 11th Annual Benefit Golf Tournament For Alamance County Special Olympics *Captain's Choice*

Saturday, September 10, 2005

8:30 Shotgun Start  
Soft spikes required



Shamrock Golf Course  
Hwy 49 South  
1.5 miles from I-85/40..Exit 145

Three Flights - \$50/person, \$200/team

Bring your own team or see Chuck Upchurch or Clint Sharpe to be placed on a team.

Mulligans - \$5.00 each, will be sold at sign-in at the course.

**Prizes awarded to First, Second, and Third Place winners in each flight and Closest to Pin on Par 3's and Longest Drives.**



**Entry fee includes: Green Fees, Golf Cart, Refreshments served on course, and Cookout**

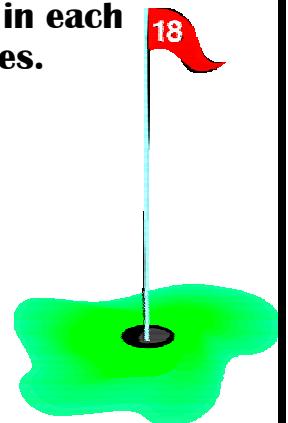
**Cookout after tournament**

\$5.00 for non-players

(Meal ticket required for cookout)

Desserts provided by club members

**50/50 and Special Raffle Drawing**



For more information, contact: Chuck Upchurch at 336-437-9701 or Clint Sharpe at 336-226-6218

Name:	Handicap:	Telephone:
_____	_____	_____
Name:	Handicap:	Telephone:
_____	_____	_____
Name:	Handicap:	Telephone:
_____	_____	_____
Name:	Handicap:	Telephone:
_____	_____	_____

Make checks payable to: **Special Olympics of Alamance County**

Number of mulligans, (limit 2) \_\_\_\_\_ at \$5.00 each \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Per player \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Give registration form with your check to Chuck Upchurch or Clint Sharpe or mail to:  
 Burlington Shag Club, Golf Committee, P.O. Box 1174, Burlington, NC 27216-1174

# Burlington Shag Club's 3rd Annual Membership Appreciation

## Pool Party



**BYO Snacks & BYOB**



## Games - Music - Dance

**50/50**

**Where:** Ramada Inn Burlington  
**When:** August 20, 2005  
**Time:** 10:00am – 6:00pm  
**After Pool Party:** 9:00pm – 1:00am  
**Shagging in Master's Lounge**

**Special DJs**

# Cookout!

**Cover charge: Members FREE**  
**Guests \$5.00 (one/member and must be accompanied by member)**

**Rooms available \$55.00/night/Double Occupancy**  
**No Glass Containers Allowed In Pool Area**

## Please Don't Drink and Drive



### **A Tribute to our beloved friend**

We recently lost a good friend and fellow Shagger, Keith Andrews. He was well liked by everyone that knew him. He made numerous friends over his short lifetime, and he never had an unkind word for anyone. Keith loved life, the beach and beach music and shagging and all his friends. One of his dreams was to own a yellow convertible Mustang, that dream came true before he passed away; it was his ''baby''. If you knew Keith well, it wouldn't take long to realize how intelligent he was, he could answer questions on Jeopardy that would amaze you, his friends at Bogey's called him the 'wizard''. If you ever sat down with him and talked you would be very impressed. Keith was kind and sweet natured, but there was sadness about him; he married once but never had any children. He had a funny sense of humor that would amuse you. Keith is truly missed by his numerous friends.

#### **This poem is for you, our dear friend:**

You left long before it was due, we will see you again one day, until then, we send our thoughts your way. We know you are looking down from above for you Keith, we send you our love. You will forever be in our hearts and with our memories we will never part.

*All your friends, the Burlington Shag Club*

---

#### **Winston Salem Shag Club Annual 50's-60's Party**

On Saturday, June 24, Winston Salem held their annual 50's-60's party at the Winston Salem Moose Lodge, and what a party it was. Six of our members were there to enjoy the festivities of the night. Ronnie Gregory and Kent Bradsher were dressed for the occasion as "The Blues Brothers" and what a hit they were as was Mary Gregory and Brenda Smith, dressed in authentic 50's vintage dresses complete with Cat Eye glasses. Roy Childress was the DJ for this special event, and of course, Peggy Childress was there to enjoy the evening as well. What an outstanding job Roy did in spinning the tunes. The dance floor was packed all night!

Winston Salem always puts on a great party for this occasion. They had "Sonny and Cher" as the MC's of the evening and they had a great show which included performances by many "celebrities". "The Blues Brothers" put on a show too. All I can say is that you had to be there, because it was hilarious! Many clubs were in attendance, and Twisters, known as "The Fun Bunch" had a bus full.

The entire evening was great! The food provided by the members was outstanding and the decorations used throughout put everyone in the mood for this special event. This is definitely an annual party that should not be missed!

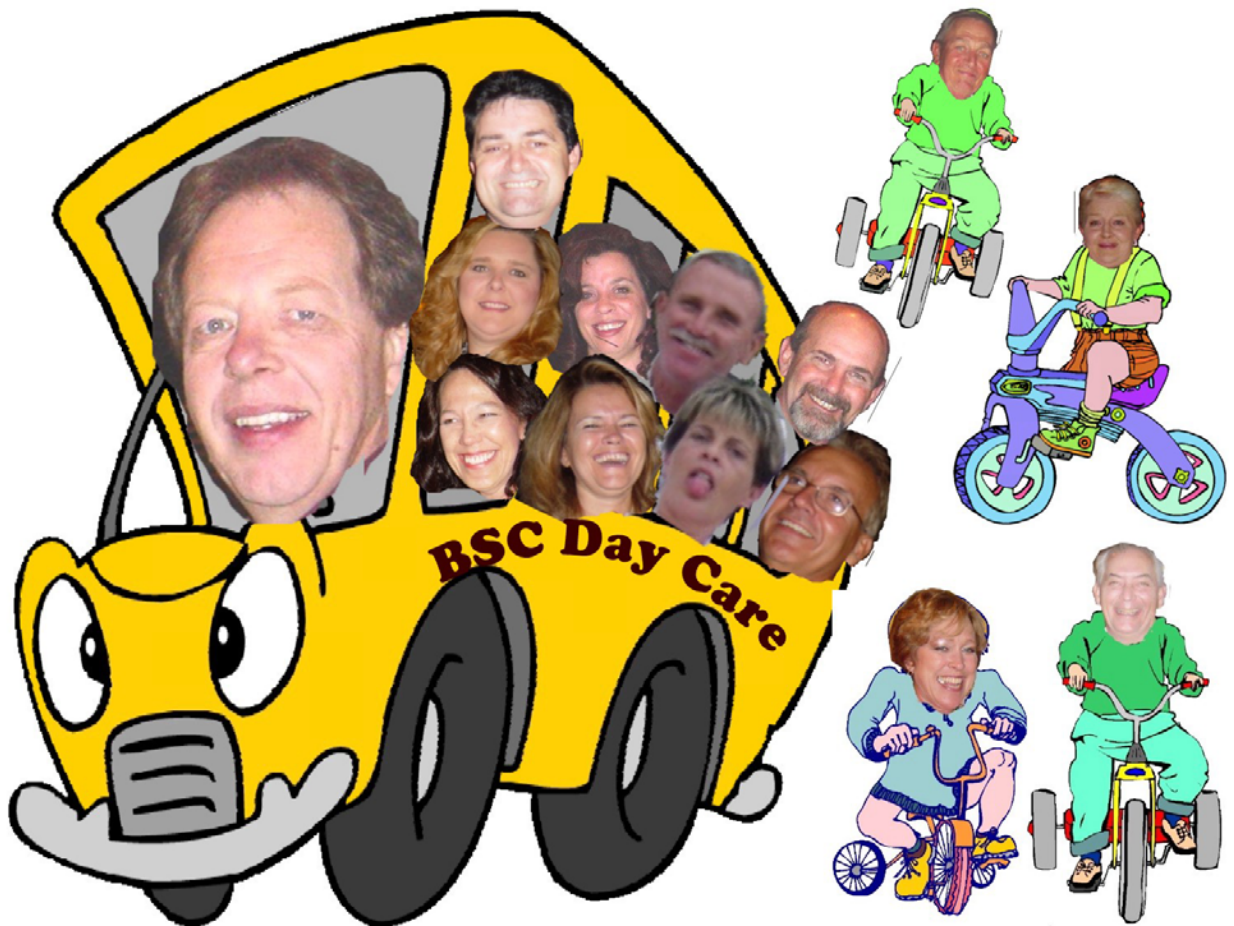
Submitted by Brenda Smith



# Raleigh Or Bust !

What a great time was had by all, on this hot Saturday night in July. Members of the Burlington Shag Club got together and headed to Red's Beach Club in Raleigh. Thanks to Shirley for supplying the Day Care Van even though she could not come to play. We missed her so, but we got over it quickly and we traveled on. Thanks to Smoothie, our "Chauffeur" for the evening, we went and arrived home safely. We also had a few kids that followed the Van on their "training" vehicles. In all we had fourteen members at Raleigh's Cheeseburger in Paradise Party. We were welcomed at the door by their members and their President and were quickly escorted to great cool refreshments and great Cheeseburgers with fixings'. This crowd really loved the Cheeseburgers. Then came the Dancing and the music played by David Sessoms. He was awesome! Our members were brought up front, where we were asked to choose a member from their club to dance with and we did. This was a lot of fun and we got to know several of their members. We wanted to visit the Raleigh Shag Club to show them our thanks for bringing a busload to our Luau Party in June. Sorry a lot of you could not go; you don't know what you missed. A lot of friendships were made that night. Thanks to the President of the Raleigh Shag Club for inviting us. It was a great time.

Mary  
and  
Ronnie  
Gregory



Sheila,

Thank you and the other members of the Burlington Shag Club who visited the Raleigh Shag Club's "Cheeseburgers in Paradise" party Saturday night. Your group certainly added a great deal of enthusiasm to the success of our party. I wish I could remember all the names of the people that came with you Saturday night to personally thank them, but I cannot, so please share my thank you with them. I have had two encounters with your club recently, once when the RSC took a bus load to your great, "Meet the Area Shag Clubs" party and Saturday night when your all came via the Party Van and personal vehicles to our party. Both have been a lot of fun! You have a good group of people in the Burlington Shag Club. They sure are fun to party with! Thank you again for coming,

Don Bunn, 2005 President, Raleigh Shag Club  
9650 Strickland Rd, Suite 103, Box 233, Raleigh, NC 27615  
[Don@RaleighShagClub.com](mailto:Don@RaleighShagClub.com) 919-231-1118

**It is time to nominate someone for BSCs Hall of Fame. The following is the criteria:**

1. Must hold current BSC membership.
2. Must be 50 years old or older.
3. Must have distinguished themselves in the "Shag World" for a minimum of three (3) years in ONE OR MORE of the following categories:
  - a. Distinguished service for the BSC and/or the ACSC/SOS.
  - b. Distinguished service as an officer and/or committee chairperson of the BSC and/or the ACSC/SOS.
  - c. Regular attendance and participation in the BSC club and/or ACSC/SOS events.
  - d. Distinguished service as a (shag) teacher and/or competitor in local, area, or national shag competitions.

**The following form MUST be received by October 1, 2005**

**BURLINGTON SHAG CLUB, INC.  
HALL OF FAME  
OFFICIAL NOMINATION FORM**

**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Nominee:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CRITERIA FOR NOMINATION: (Refer to Article 6.e of the Bylaws):**

**Signed:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**BSC Member making nomination** **Date**

**1<sup>st</sup> Endorsement:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Must be BSC Current or Past President** **Date**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Endorsement:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Must be BSC Current or Past VP/Secretary/Treasurer** **Date**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Endorsement:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Any BSC Current Member** **Date**

**NOTE:** Nomination must be made on this form by October 1<sup>st</sup> directly to the Hall of Fame Chairperson.

**Attach additional sheet(s) if necessary. Mail to:** Burlington Shag Club  
Hall Of Fame Chairperson  
P O Box 1174  
Burlington, NC 27216

# BSC Events

**August 5, 2005**

Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night" at Master's in the Ramada Inn from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM **DJ is Rick Turner**

**August 12, 2005**

Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night" at Master's in the Ramada Inn from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM **DJ is David Sessoms**

**August 13, 2005**

Chatham Fundraiser in Pittsboro, NC. Hosted by Chatham Area Shag Association. Location: Scoreboard Grill & Bar, Pittsboro, NC. Time: 8 p.m. to 12 a.m. Cost: \$5. DJ: Gary Bass. The Chatham Area Shag will hold its annual Sandra May Memorial Scholarship and other charities fundraiser. Lots of food, a half n half, door prizes, Silent Auction and a Reverse Raffle. Some lucky person that night will win \$1000. Tickets are \$10 each. Tickets are being sold in advance and there will be a few that night. Only 300 will be sold. Contact: Cynthia Strickland 919-776-2516 or email cworrell@alltel.net.

**August 19, 2005**

Burlington Shag Club "Business Meeting and Birthday Night" at Master's in the Ramada Inn from 8:00 PM - 1:00 AM **DJ is Norman Mills**

**August 20, 2005**

BSC 3rd Annual Membership Appreciation Pool Party and Cookout at Ramada Inn Burlington from 10:00am to 6:00pm....Members Free....Guests \$5.00 (1 guest per member)Rooms available for \$55.00 double occupancy....After Pool Party in Master's from 9:00pm to 1:00am... **Great DJs -- Rick Turner, Zane Gibbs, Jerry Holland, Roy Childress, Brent Lloyd, Ron Russ, and Hugh Walker**

**August 26, 2005**

Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night" at Master's in the Ramada Inn from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM **DJ is Roy Childress**

**August 27, 2005**

"Meet the Area Shag Club" Pool Party in Winston Salem, NC. Hosted by Winston Salem Shag Club. Location: Holiday Inn Hanes Mall, Winston Salem, NC. Time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Cost: TBD. Hotel: Holiday Inn Hanes Mall 336-765-6670. Contact: Frank Transou 336-940-4356 or email FMT3@triad.rr.com

**September 2, 2005**

Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night" at Master's in the Ramada Inn from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM **DJ is Jerry Holland**

**September 9, 2005**

Burlington Shag Club "Business Meeting and Birthday Night" at Master's in the Ramada Inn from 8:00 PM - 1:00 AM **DJ is Hugh Walker**

**September 10, 2005**

Burlington Shag Club is hosting the 11th Annual Benefit Golf Tournament for Alamance County Special Olympics at the Shamrock Golf Course. Click [Here for the Flyer and Registration.....](#)

**September 16, 2005**

SOS Fall Migration at Myrtle Beach, SC **No DJ**

**September 16 - 25, 2005**

SOS Fall Migration at N. Myrtle Beach, SC

**September 23, 2005**

SOS Fall Migration at Myrtle Beach, SC **No DJ**

**September 30, 2005**

Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night" at Master's in the Ramada Inn from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM **DJ is Eddie Teeter**

E

V

E

N

T

S

**Burlington Shag Club – Membership Application**  
 Membership runs from January through December  
 Annual Dues: \$15 per person

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

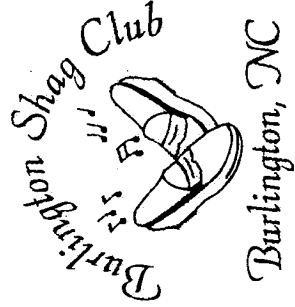
Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to receive the "SHAG RAG" via email?  Yes  No

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

New member  Renewal member



Check: \_\_\_\_\_

Cash: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to and mail to:  
 Burlington Shag Club, P.O. Box 1174, Burlington, NC 27216

**CLUB USE ONLY**

Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Issued: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary's Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Treasurer's Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Burlington Shag Club  
 P. O. Box 1174  
 Burlington, NC 27216-1174

Address Correction  
 Requested

**SHAG RAG**  
*August 2005*

Sharing Helping Always Giving