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Shag Rag

APRIL 2008

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Greetings everyone! Spring has definitely sprung and we're loving this 70 degree weather. Hope everyone is planning to attend SOS this year. The Float Committee is working diligently every weekend to make this year's float another success. Be sure to come out and cheer on the float participants the 2nd weekend of SOS.

Our club was well represented at Eden's Area Shag Club Marti Gras. Thanks to all who could attend. I know they'll be out to support us in June.

We have several good ideas from the Ways and Means Committee. They are still ironing out the details. Please be ready to roll up your sleeves up and jump in to support the club in our fundraising endeavors.

Spring is a busy time for everyone, but it's great to see the support and participation from all the members at our functions. Please keep being involved.

See you Friday - keep on Shagging!

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Spring is in the Air!

Current Membership is 193



Minutes of the March Business Meeting

March 21, 2008

Attendees:

Jonnie Ellington	Jim West	Kent Bradsher	George Dedrick
Mary Gregory	Ronnie Gregory	Louise Flanigan	Judy Lindley
Betty Caviness	Angie Sharpe	Polly Tuttle	Mary Ann Lynch
Jake Caviness	June Graham	Evelyn Turner	Steve McHone
Jimmy Lynch	Betty Honeycutt	Judy Smith	Steve Pettigrew
Brian Johnson	Penny Simmons	Pam McHone	Kay Dedrick
Jesse Justice	Kathy Cotton	Dwight Cotton	Brenda Smith
Elvis O'Neil	Patti Smith	Ed Smith	Butch Dowd
Pam Hord	Carol Pettigrew	Stephanie West	Denise Upchurch
Randy Graham	Charles Lindley	Don McKinney	Chuck Upchurch
Bob Bason	David Tuttle	Susan McKinney	Sharon Bason

- 1) The BSC business meeting for March was brought to order on Friday, March 21, 2008 by Jim West.
- 2) Jim recognized new members present – Elvis O'Neil and Jake & Betty Caviness.
- 3) The club recognized Steve "Bubba" Pettigrew for being present...as he has been ill lately. Carol thanked everyone for their prayers & support during this difficult time.
- 4) Pam McHone gave the Secretary's report for February and no changes were needed. A motion to approve the minutes was made and they were approved. .
- 5) There are currently 193 members which includes 28 new members.
- 6) June Graham presented the Treasurers report. Balance as of 3/20/2008 is \$6,620.72.
- 7) Ronnie Gregory gave an update on the BSC float for the Spring SOS.. All is going well and everyone is invited to his home on Saturday's to help. As of this date, there are 38 people riding or walking in the parade.
- 8) See Polly Tuttle if anyone would like a T-shirt for the SOS parade. If not a float rider or participating in the parade, the cost is \$10.00.
- 9) Louise Flanigan gave a report on the Ways & Means Committee. There have been some suggestions as to raising money for the club. A car wash, yard sale and spring golf tournament have been some of the ideas. A pancake supper was the event that was considered. This is still in discussions as there has been no location found. Rick Turner discussed items that would be needed for the pancake supper – griddles, food supplies, manpower, etc. He suggested pre-selling tickets to the event. Louise & her committee will discuss further and inform the club as to the decision.
- 10) Penny Simmons is looking into the club selling a cookbook. She will check with members of the Danville Shag Club regarding their success in this and will report to the club at a later date.
- 11) Brenda Smith discussed selling Christmas CD's for a fund raiser. Louise asked Brenda to come to a committee meeting to discuss details of this.
- 12) Judy Smith suggested a raffle of a TV.
- 13) SOS cards will be available through the club for a couple or more weeks. See Pam Mchone to order.
- 14) See Denise to sign up for the Annual Bowling Tournament. The event will be Saturday, March 29, 2008 at 7:00 pm. ~~Be there around 6:30 to register and get shoes. The cost is \$10.00 per person – 20 participants so far.~~
- 15) Ed Smith discussed the upcoming Special Olympics Golf Tournament. His committee has met and the decision was made to have the event at Indian Valley in Burlington. The cost was approximately \$700 less than Shamrock and Indian Valley will provide range balls, a covered area with tables & chairs for the cookout. The event date is September 27, 2008 at 9:00 am. Ed & his committee will meet in June to further discuss.
- 16) The Eno Shag Club Party will be held May 17th, 2008. 50's theme.
- 17) The ACSC summer workshop will be held in Greenville, SC, July 11- 13th., 2008. 18) Brenda recognized Ronnie Gregory as a ACSC Board Member
- 19) The next meeting of the Board of Directors meeting will be held April 9th, 2008 at 7:00 pm. The location to be decided at a later date. Jim will inform board members.
- 20) Brenda Smith reported on the adult shag lessons. 20 participants so far- and still receiving inquires.
- 21) Mary Gregory reported on the "Who Am I" contest. There were some guesses – but no winner – the photo was---Mike Flanigan
- 22) Louise Flanigan asked everyone to keep Shirley Chambers in their prayers during her illness
- 23) Steve Mchone reported Ron Fogleman is doing very well and cancer free!!!!
- 24) Brenda Smith reported April 8th, 2008 is the cut-off for anyone wanting to go on the cruise. A deposit must be sent to All About Cruises to guarantee a cabin rate of \$458.00 for an outside cabin.
- 25) The junior shaggers have had 3 lessons as of this date. There are currently 4 students. Ed, Louise, Butch & Ronnie are the instructors. They are teaching the basic and the female turns.
- 26) The total for Meals On Wheels as of the meeting date was - \$23,200.00 (gross amount).
- 27) The winner of the 50/50 was – Don McKinney - he won - \$57.00.
- 28) The cutoff of the next newsletter is 3/25/2008
- 29) The next business meeting is April 11, 2008.
- 30) Jim adjourned meeting.

**Minutes submitted by
Pam McHone.**

March 2008 Treasury Report

Balance on 02-15-08 \$7261.94

Income		Expenses	
50/50 Business Meeting 02-15	\$61.50		
Membership Re-ups	\$255.00	SOS Cards	\$240.00
Beach Buddy - MOW	\$765.00	Float Expenses	\$1009.98
Interest Earned	\$.67	D.J.'s	\$500.00
MOW	\$200.00	MOW	\$233.37
Jr Shagger Donation – Keith Dallas	\$300.00	ACSC Workshop	\$480.04
SOS Cards	\$240.00		
Total Income =	\$1822.17	Total Expenses =	\$2463.39

Balance as of 03-20-08 \$6620.72



Remember....SOS is almost here.

April 18 - 27, 2008

Make your plans to be there.

The Parade will be on

Saturday, April 26, 2008



Need Your Photos and Articles

I'm working on a history album of our shag club, but I need your help. I'm looking for old photographs and magazine or newspaper articles. If you have old photos, please get them to me, and give me any info about them (names, dates, occasion, etc.). If you want the photos and articles back, I'll do my best to get them copied.

Thanks for your help,
Evelyn Turner



SUPPORT OUR TROOPS

I'd Rather Shag Dance

*Danville Shag Club's
Annual IRS Dance
"I'd Rather Shag Than Pay Taxes"*

SATURDAY APRIL 12th
8:00 PM - MIDNIGHT
\$5.00 Per Person Admission

Forest Park Country Club
1821 Mulberry Road
Martinsville, VA 24112

Beer/Wine/Setups will be available
for purchase

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DJ : Walter Upchurch

contact : Kay Hughes @ 434-685-1884
Huey@chatmossable.com

Win a Prize! - Guess the picture below.

- Rules:** 1) You must be a BSC Member.
2) You must be the first one to email windmill@triad.rr.com
3) Guess only 1 person
4) Must receive your answer by April 10, 2008

Who Am I?



Clue: I Love to sing and clown around and when I am having fun, I hate to go home.

(Winner to be announced on April 11, 2008 at the Business Meeting)

Important Tidbits

Get your SOS Cards Now!

Call Pam McHone at 449-7572
or email her at smchone2@triad.rr.com

Sorry, there was
**NO Winner of the
March's "Who Am I"**
but please keep
guessing.....

**March's "Who Am I?"
Answer is:
Mike Flanigan**



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S.O.S. Membership Application

Please Print

Memberships are for the Calendar Year

Name: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone: _____

Were you an SOS member in 2007? _____ Yes: _____ No: _____

In order to receive your SOS membership card for \$30, you must be a member of the shag club.
Please complete the above form and turn it in with your check (payable to Burlington Shag Club)

Winston Salem Shag Club presents

HOUSE ROCKIN' OLDIES PARTY

AT THE BARN AT TANGLEWOOD PARK

Saturday Nite June 28, 2008

Dance 6:00 pm to Midnite

(Hotdogs & Potluck & Covered Dish provided)

50's Oldies
R&B & Doo Wop



Beach &
Shag Music

I-40 West Exit 182- Bermuda Run /
Tanglewood - Follow the signs to the
park gate. Mention the Shag Oldies
Party for park admission and
directions to the barn.

\$10 at the door

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Smoke-free dance area
Separate enclosed smoke area

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**IN PERSON TO PLAY YOUR FAVORITES
TUNES**

ROY "SHAG DADDY" CHILDRESS





Wow! What a response we are having to our Adult Shag Lesson classes! Our instructors have completed 2 sessions to date with more than 20 sign ups per session. We are getting calls everyday of interest in future sessions and have another 2 sessions in planning the stages!

Big thanks must be given to David and Judy Satterfield for their time, and passion to this project. These two dedicated people are truly an asset to our club! Another thank you goes out to "The Ramada Inn" and "Masters Bar and Grill" for allowing us to conduct these lessons prior to our Friday night gatherings. Recognition must also be extended to those who have dedicated their time to help organize this effort and serve on the planning committee with special thanks as well. Finally, thank you to Burlington Shag Club to care enough to see the value in supporting this initiative.

The planning committee identified the project objective was to introduce the dance, polish up technique skills, and ultimately, do our part as a Shag Club to keep the dance and music going for the future enjoyment of all. From the beginning, we really didn't know what to expect, but judging from the response we've received and continue to receive, these lessons are right on target and is exactly what we should be doing.

Respectfully submitted

Brenda R. Smith



**Master's in the Ramada
Home of the Burlington Shag Club We
Shag every Friday Night from
9:00pm til 1:00am!**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



April

1 Steve Williamson
5 Carolyn Moore
9 Chuck Upchurch
11 Charles McKee
11 Evelyn Turner
11 Mike Wilder
13 Clint Sharpe
14 Roy Childress
16 Al Fogleman
16 Sue Ward
18 Polly Tuttle
20 Judy Lindley
21 Chad Caldwell
22 Butch Dowd
23 Dwight Cotton
24 Hugh Walker
25 Norma Long
27 Pam Hord
27 Jerry Dillard
27 Sissy Tillman

May

3 Sheila Bishop
3 Thomas Rich
4 Nix, Darrell
6 Jimmy Lynch
6 Louie Madden
8 Betty Honeycutt
10 Ed Smith
10 Kay Dedrick
12 Don McKinney
20 Kent Davis
23 Larry Jordan
25 Bert Davis
27 Baxter Sellars
27 Paul Smith
28 Cheryl Danielson
28 Libbi Oakes
30 Jeanette Puckett
30 Vicki Stafford

Next
Business Meeting
April 11, 2008
at 8:00 pm
at the Ramada



Sunshine News!

- ❖ Congratulations to Warren and Norma Long, their daughter and her husband recently renewed their wedding vows.
- ❖ Bob White was in the hospital. Please keep Bob and Glenda in your thoughts and prayers.
- ❖ Bob White has retired!...Congratulations Bob!
- ❖ Don McKinney had surgery and is reovering at home. Please keep Don in your thoughts and prayers.
- ❖ Shirley Chambers is having some health problems.

GET WELL SON!

Please keep all of these dear friends and their families in your thoughts and prayers during their time of sickness and/or grief. We look forward to seeing you all back at the club and doing what you do best...Shagging with your friends.

To report someone's name to the Sunshine committee:
Contact Carol Pettigrew at 449-6903 or email her at pettigrew@alamance.cc.nc.us

From the Editor and Webmaster:

Please have all newsletter articles, pictures, stories, suggestions, etc. to me by April 25th.

Email to: windmill@triad.rr.com

Mary Gregory - www.burlingtonshagclub.com

All those wishing to join in on the "BSC & Friends 2nd Annual Winter Cruise Getaway" to the Western Caribbean, January 26 through January 31, 2009, must put their \$50 deposit down by April 8, 2008 to secure the guaranteed rate of \$458 per person. For more information, please call:

Kim Bailey
"All About Cruises"
336-538-4926.

Eden's Meet The Area Shag Club Party

On Saturday March 8th Eden had their meet the area shag club party .Burlington Shag Club had another good showing with approximately 25 members attending.

The party started when we left Burlington in our rented mini bus (thanks to Ronnie Gregory for being our chauffeur) and continued on in Eden with food, drinks and three great DJ's. The dance floor stayed full all night.

Everyone had a great time and Eden shag club was an excellent host. You don't want to miss this one next year.

David Tuttle

Burlington Shag Club's "Meet the Area Party"



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Saturday,

June 14, 2008

Details will be in the next Newsletter and our Website

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Eno Beach Area Shag Club "Meet the Area Party"

50's Party

Saturday, May 17, 2008

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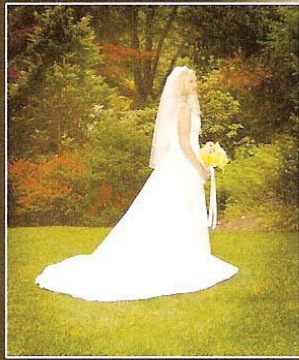
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- (Note: All artwork or Layouts must be provided.)

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Quarter Page \$75/half year \$130/full year
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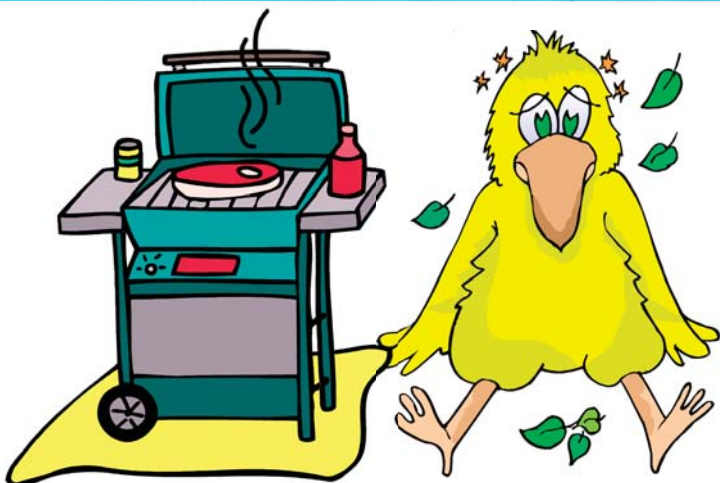
THE PALMETTO SHAG CLUB
Brings Ocean Drive To
SOUTHERN COMFORT XI

May 29, 30, 31 and June 1, 2008
Jamil Shrine Temple, Columbia, SC **\$50**

<p>THURSDAY BYOB No Shuttle Service Tonight "Club Shirt Night" Wear your shag club's shirt Pre-registration & Kick Off Party 7:00pm Pizza Served 7:30-8:30pm Free Madras & Screwdrivers Free Beer and Setups 6:00-9:00pm DJ: Rodney Still 9:00-1:00am DJ: Skip Mallias</p> 	<p>FRIDAY BYOB Shuttle Service Begins at 4:30 pm -- All Hotels BYOB - Free Beer & Setups 5:00-9:00pm DJ: Gene Sistrare 7:00pm - Hot Dogs & Chips 7:30-8:30pm Free Madras & Screwdrivers 9:00-1:00am DJ: Jim Bowers</p> <p>Activities & Workshops Free Shag and Line Dance Workshops Split Pot / Silent Auction / Door Prizes PSC Company Store Vendors The Shoe Connection Elegant Attitude Jewelry</p>	<p>SATURDAY BYOB Shuttle Service Begins at 3:30 pm -- All Hotels FREE Ellen Taylor Workshop Line Dance Workshop 12:00 noon Sub Sandwiches For Workshop Attendees 11:00-4:00pm DJ: Rodney Still 4:00-8:00pm DJ: Gene Hensley 7:00-8:30pm Free Pour 7:00pm BBQ Dinner Buffet 8:00-1:00am DJ: Booger Brothers (John Smith & Ed Timberlake)</p>
<p>SUNDAY 10:30 am Doors Open 10:30 - 1:00 pm Gospel Hour DJ: Jim Bowers 10:30 am Continental Breakfast Bloody Marys & Screwdrivers 12:00 - JUNIOR SHAGGERS EXHIBITION</p> 		
<p>HOTEL (No Shuttles on Sunday) Hyatt Places - (Formerly AmeriSuites) (803) 407-1500 Rates \$112.00 Comfort Suites - (803) 407-4444 Rates \$85.00 Hampton Inn - (803) 749-6999 Rates \$89.00 dbl/\$99 king Microtel Inn - (803) 772-1914 Rates \$55.00 single/\$65 dbl Ask for Southern Comfort Shagger Rates</p> <p>Please make checks payable and mail to: Palmetto Shag Club, PO Box 7232, Columbia, SC 29202 Call Novalee Powell at 803-796-6106 or email: apowell109@aol.com for ticket information. \$500.00 covers tickets for table of ten Reserve Your Table Today</p> <p>Individual tickets will be sold and assigned to open seating area. Reserving a table for 10 ends April 1, 2008 / Sold on first come first served basis. NO REFUNDS</p> <p>Costaneous Shuttle Service from all hotels Shuttle Service Provided Friday and Saturday Only 800 Tickets Available</p>		
<p>ONLY 800 TICKETS AVAILABLE</p> <p>BEFORE APRIL 1, 2008: \$50 - TOTAL \$ _____ AFTER APRIL 1, 2008: \$60 - TOTAL \$ _____</p> <p>NAME: _____ ADDRESS: _____ PHONE #: _____ E-MAIL ADDR: _____ CLUB AFFILIATION: _____</p> <p>Pavers will be made for all shag clubs represented and responding by May 25th PLEASE ENCLOSE SELF-ADDRESSED, STAMPED ENVELOPE</p>		

Calendar of Events

- April 4, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is Bobby Snyder "The Southern Gentleman"
- April 11, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Business Meeting and Birthday Night at Master's in the Ramada from 8:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is David "Loose Shoes" Tuttle
- April 18, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is Hugh "The Dancin' Man" Walker
- April 18 - 27, 2008**
SOS Spring Safari at N. Myrtle Beach, SC
- April 25, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is TBA
- May 2, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is "Showtime" Brent Lloyd
- May 9, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is Rockin' Ron Russ
- May 16, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Business Meeting and Birthday Night at Master's in the Ramada from 8:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is David Sessoms
- May 23, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is Gerry "Strawhat" Holland
- May 30, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is Roy "Shag-daddy" Childress
- June 6, 2008**
Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is TBA



Float Rehearsal and Cookout at Ronnie Gregory's house at 11:00am Saturday, April 12, 2008.....Final Float Meeting and preparation. All Float Participants need to be present.

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Burlington Shag Club – Membership Application

Membership runs from January through December
Annual Dues: \$15 per person

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City: State: Zip:

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Birthday:

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Date:

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April 2008



Sharing Helping Always Giving

The purpose of our Club is to Promote and Preserve Shag Dancing and Beach Music.