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# Fellow Shaggers,

I hope all of you are of activities coming up to attend these events. Party (August 22nd.) and have a great time



# From The Prez...

having a great summer. There are a lot and I hope you are making your plans Our Membership Appreciation Pool promises to be a lot of fun, so come out with your friends.

The Special Olympics Golf Tournament is just around the corner and we need teams and your help to get sponsors for this wonderful event. Please see Chuck Upchurch or Clint Sharpe to volunteer to help.

SOS is right around the corner too and what a great time is in store for you, Saturday is our Tea Party at the Arcade from 3:00pm - 5:00pm. You won't want to miss this. Lots of things are going on Sunday; our Coalition Party is on the Beach from 1:00 - 4:00pm - come out and enjoy a day in the sand with your friends. Also, Fun Sunday is happening in the parking lot in front of the Boulevard Grill. As you can see it will be a great day on Ocean Boulevard. And then there's Fun Monday on Main Street, come by our tent, the club will be selling things that you will want to purchase. Several members of the club are selling Fun Monday Tickets and without your support in purchasing and selling these tickets, we would not have these two events nor could we give our support for Camp Kemo. Just remember, your support is not only needed for this event but for all the SOS Member Clubs.

On a personal note, I hear so many good things about our club everywhere we go. It takes a special group of people who pull together and put aside their differences to make our club what it is today. Be proud of all your Let's All Get SOS!
Ready For SOS! accomplishments and rejoice in helping further the music, the dance, and the lifestyle.

You're all the BEST!

# Ronnie Gregory

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**Current Membership is:** 

#### MEMBERS PRESENT:

Steve Williamson	Sissy Tillman	Betty Caviness	Jake Caviness	Michelle Thomas	Edith Loy
Joan Kimbro	<b>Brenda Smith</b>	Rhonda Parker	Jim Parker	Betty Honeycutt	Penny Simmons
Brian Johnson	Cindy Sharpe	Carol Pettigrew	Hugh Walker	Sheila Walker	Judy Smith
Steve Pettigrew	Pam Hord	<b>Butch Dowd</b>	Ed Smith	Patti Smith	Steve McHone
Charles Lindley	Judy Lindley	Denise Upchurch	Chuck Upchurch	Mary Ann Lynch	Jimmy Lynch
Susan McKinney	Don McKinney	Mary Gregory	Ronnie Gregory	Lorna Shivley	Jonnie Ellington
Louise Flanigan	Lynda Justice	Stephen Stearns	Rayter Sellars	Kim Hodge	_

The July business meeting was brought to order by Ronnie Gregory at 8:07 pm on Friday, July 24, 2009. There were no new members or guests present.

- Carol Pettigrew reported the club currently has 243 members. Two corrections were noted for the June minutes, should have read David Oakley's mother is ill and Board meeting date should have meeting on July 13. With these corrections, motion was made and passed to accept June minutes as written.
- Treasurer report was distributed to members and report given by Mary Gregory in David Satterfield's absence. Balance as of July 24, 2009 is \$7,532.88. Motion passed to accept the treasury report as given.
- Sunshine news was given by Louise Flanigan Carolyn Moore is still recovering from surgery, Charles Lindley's sister is very ill, Betty Caviness had surgery, Ron Wilkerson had surgery, Zeke McFayden had surgery, Gail Jordan had surgery, Buddy Whaley had surgery, and Larry Jordan's uncle passed.
- Shelia Walker passed out memo with information for members who want to take training to use the AED unit. Class will either be held on October 10 or October 17 at the Moose Lodge in Burlington. Please contact Sheila or Joan Kimbro to sign up for training. AED unit was ordered July 24, 2009.
- Ronnie distributed flyers for our upcoming Membership Appreciation Pool Party to be held Saturday, August 22 from 11am til 5pm at Ramada Inn. Block of rooms has been reserved at Ramada. Lunch will be provided from 1 pm to 2:30pm with members free and guest \$5. Linda Maccia will be special guest DJ that night in Master's starting at 9pm
- The Summer Workshop in Jacksonville was very informative. Brenda Smith, representative for our shag club, reported the minutes of the workshop will be in the next shag Rag. It was announced at the workshop that there will be a lighting ceremony to light up the shaggers on the N Myrtle Beach water tower. This ceremony will be held starting at 8:30 pm on Friday, September 11. See minutes for more details.
- Michelle Thomas brought in items that will be sold at the Fun Monday booth. Items included t-shirts, tank tops, yard
  flags and bottled water. She also passed around a sign up sheet for volunteers to work the booth.
- The Coalition Party will be held on Sunday, September 13 on the beach right past the pavilion. Party starts at 12 noon Will need to have all drinks in a cup, no beer cans displayed. Coalition T-shirts for party are ready to be picked up if you ordered one and Mary is still taking orders for t-shirts, next order going off August 15 and cost is \$10.
- Motion made and carried to have annual yard sale for our club to raise money for Christmas Cheer. It will be held Saturday, October 10. Brenda Smith, chair, needs items for yard sale so please start gathering items and get to her. She also needs ideas on where to hold the yard sale this year. Stephen Stearns offered to check on a site.
- Next Board Meeting will be October 5 at K&W Cafeteria at 6:30 pm. All members are encouraged to attend.
- Meals on Wheels first meeting will be held after Fall SOS. Stephen Stearns, Chair, will let members know when date is set.
- Chuck Upchurch, who co-chairs the upcoming golf tournament for Special Olympics, stated this is the 15th year for our golf tournament. He needs sponsors and ask every member to get at least one sponsor. Cost is \$100 hole. Flyers were distributed at meeting and will also be in the Shag Rag. Denise said that Biscuit Ville will provide breakfast and Smithfield Barbeque will provide lunch and also gift bags for tournament. Members are asked to bring desserts and to wrap them individually. Louise Flanigan will be in charge of desserts. Volunteers are needed to work the tournament, so please see Denise to volunteer. Next golf meeting will be August 12 at 6:30 pm at Masters.
- See Mary for Fun Monday tickets and also for SOS cards.
- Ronnie reminded members of the Winston Salem Pool Party and dance to be held Saturday, August 29. Please plan to attend and support their shag club. If enough people are interested, we may take a bus. Some BSC members have already booked rooms for the party so if you plan on going, call now for a room. See flyer for more details.
- Articles are needed for shag rag. Send to Mary if anyone can contribute any history or current event.
- Mary reported on "Who am I". Picture was Kent Bradsher and winner that guessed correctly was Kim Caldwell.
- Steve McHone on 50-50 drawing. Winning \$50 was Judy Smith.
- Meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm.

# Congratulations to Kim Caldwell, Winner of July's "Who Am I".

# Here he is All Grown Up!



**Kent Bradsher** 

Burlington Shag Club Board of Directors' Seventh Meeting - July 13, 2009

Joan Kimbro called the board meeting to order; however, there was no business to discuss. Members were reminded that the AED is being purchased and classes will be scheduled in the fall.

Attending:

Carol Pettigrew Mary Gregory Ronnie Gregory Jim Parker David Satterfield Joan Kimbro Butch Dowd

**Jonnie Ellington** 

Pam Hord Steve McHone Louise Flanigan

Respectfully submitted, Jonnie Ellington Secretary

"It's only when you just had your hair done that you step into a monsoon downpour that instantly transforms your hair into a wet mop."

# You Could Win \$7500!!!



All you need to do is buy a Fun Monday ticket for only \$10. The drawing will held at SOS on September 14th at the Main Street Stage. The following people have graciously taken packs of tickets to sell - Mary Gregory, Clint Sharpe, Baxter Sellers, Kim Hodges, Hugh Walker, Scott Ursery, Polly Tuttle, Jim West, Denise Upchurch, Mike Wilson, Kim Caldwell, C.B. Kimbro, Lynda Justice, and me. So if you are looking for tickets, please see one of these members. Drawings will also be held for \$2,000, \$1,000, \$500, and \$250 so you have lots of chances to win some money.

I will have to mail the tickets and money to SOS Headquarters by Wednesday, August 26th. For those of you who did take packs of tickets, please try to return them to me by Friday, August 14th and if you can't have them ready by then, please turn them in to Mary Gregory by Saturday, August 22nd.

Remember, you can't win if you don't participate! Get your tickets soon.

Thanks, Evelyn Turner

	July 2	009 Treasury Report						
Balance on 6-19-2009: \$8,804.58								
Income		Expenses						
50/50 from 6/19//09 Bus.Mtg.	\$38.00	Misc. Expense \$12.84						
Membership	\$60.00	Stamps \$25.20						
Reimburse	\$358.78	DJ's \$500.00						
		Fun Monday Expense \$896.04						
		ACSC Workshop Expense \$224.40						
		P.O. Box Rental \$70.00						
		Change for Door \$300.00						
Total Income =	\$456.78	Total Expenses = \$1728.48						
<b>Solution</b> Balance as of 7-24-09 \$7,532.88								

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



# 6th Annual Membership Appreciation Pool Party

Saturday - August 22, 2009

Ramada Inn 11 am to 5 pm 50/50

Pool Party and Cookout

Games!

Bring your your most comfortable yard chairs, and come on out for a day of fun, fun, fun!



Coolers welcome, but **NO GLASS** please.



BSC members exclusively, however, each member is allowed one guest.

Members Free! -- Guest Fee \$5.00

Also, dancing in Master's

Oldies Night! Saturday Night! Oldies Night!

OJ. Linda "Wild Thelma Lou" Maccia

We urge everyone to drink responsibly, rooms available for \$59.00 +tax Call Ramada at: 227-5541 to reserve your room today!

# Burlington Shag Club's 15th Annual Benefit Golf Tournament

# For Alamance County Special Olympics Captain's Choice

Saturday, September 26, 2009

Indian Valley Golf Course 1005 Indian Valley Drive Burlington, NC 27217 Phone: 336-584-7871



9:00am Shotgun Start

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

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

Teams will be flighted

Breakfast Donated by Biscuitville

Chicken 'N Bar-B-Q Donated by Smithfield's



For more information, contact: Chuck Upchurch at 270-3106 (please leave message)

Name:	Handicap:	Telephone:
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Make checks payable to:  Special Olympics of Alamance (	Number of mulligans, (limit 2) County Per player	

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



# Remember!!!

- \*No chairs on the sidewalk down Main Street on Fun Monday and keep sidewalks clear of congestion
- \*No umbrellas, please ---\*No coolers are allowed on the street --- \*No golf carts on Main Street on Fun Monday



# Presents The 2nd. Annual Coalition Beach and Shag Party

# Welcome all members of:

Burlington, Danville, Durham, Eden, Greensboro, and Winston Salem Shag Clubs

Date: Sunday, September 13, 2009

Place: On the Beach behind the Park across the street from the Arcade.

Time: 1:00 - 4:00 P.M.

Get some sand on your feet and join in the fun with music, beverages and snacks.

**Great DJs spinning the tunes!** 

Come to have a good time and as always act and drink responsibly.

This will be the biggest and best party on the beach



# **WINSTON SALEM SHAG CLUB**

PRESENTS IT'S ANNUAL

# POOL PARTY/MEET THE AREA SHAG CLUBS

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 2009

# QUALITY INN - HANES MALL

336-765-6670 for Room Reservations (\$52 Shag Club rate)
11 AM Sat. – 1 AM Sun.

# Tim Phelps & Ed Timberlake will

DJ for us all day by the pool and all evening in the Ballroom.

COME JOIN US FOR A "SPLASHING" GOOD TIME \$10 Will buy you a full day of sun to bask in, water to cool off and play in, snacks & adult beverages for fuel & pleasure, music for listening to and dancing (at the pool by day and the ballroom at night) with all your shag friends. (BBQ & fixins' will be available in the parking lof for a small fee).

\$5 after 8:00pm for Meet the Area only - if you can't make it for the whole day.



# 2009 ACSC/SOS Summer Workshop

The First Coast Shag Club of Jacksonville, Florida hosted a great Summer Workshop this year. Beginning with the "Welcome Aboard" hospitality for all "Early Birds" on the River Boat, to the night dances, to the hospitality rooms, to the pool party, this club planned and prepared perfectly for their incoming guests. There was great music, good fun, information sharing, and lasting memories made throughout the weekend by all who attended.

All registered participants were greeted and presented with a goody bag chocked full of information of Jacksonville sites of Interest and Restaurant locations. If you were fortunate enough to arrive on Thursday, you had all day Friday rendering a great opportunity to sight see around Jacksonville. Crossing the river lead to the inner city and the famous "Landing" where Beach Music and Blues echoed throughout the day. Our Workshop hosts had ensured the people working the sound system had plenty of "Our" music to play for the entire afternoon. What a delight it was to sit in an open air café, on the river front, have a few snacks as well as a few libations, sit back, relax, and tap our toes to the beat of the music we love best. It just doesn't get much better than that! Friday evening the official Welcome Hospitality offered all the right elements to kick off a wonderful party. The DJ's were spinning great tunes in the Ball Room and kept the Dance Floor full. Midway through the night's activities, we were all treated to a performance from a band made up of First Coast members. What fun!

During the Workshop meeting on Saturday, we were asked to go back to our clubs and inform our members regarding topics and issues relating to Fun Sunday and Fun Monday. The North Myrtle Beach Emergency Personnel are asking that no chairs be set up on the sidewalk down Main Street, and that we keep the sidewalks free and clear of congestion. This is a safety issue. If someone should need emergency help, the rescue personnel cannot help him or her if the sidewalks are full of people and chairs. Again, no coolers are allowed on the street. You may purchase beer only from one of the outside vendors and it must be in a cup, no cans or bottles are allowed on the street at any time as well mixed drinks. The city of NMB, SC welcomes shaggers to the area, so please adhere to their request as there could be a hefty fine if you do not observe the ordinances. Come prepared for a day in the sun by bringing sunscreen, chairs, and hats but please, no umbrellas for shade. We are all looking forward to what Fun Sunday and Fun Monday has in store for us this year and let's do what we can to support a safe and fun environment. In addition, no golf carts will be allowed on Main Street on Monday, as the road will be blocked off all day. There is also an official lighting of the silhouettes on NMB water tower on Saturday. This will be an exciting time for us all. Make plans to attend this ceremony and enjoy the activities that have been planned for all those attending.

Kent and I always look forward to hearing what is going on in our Shag World and this Workshop meeting was a great one to gain understanding of the ACSC and SOS. While there are many things Kent and I have learned regarding these organizations over the years, we continue to learn more and more as we attend these workshops. We sat and listened to our elected leaders speak on how it all began and evolved through the years. There was one statement made by one of our officers that rang true for just about all who attended this meeting. "Shag dancing and Shag Music will change your life." After hearing it you could not help but walk with the memories of SOS experiences, local Club experiences, and the lasting friends you make along the way and agree whole heartedly. If you have never attended an ACSC/SOS workshop, please consider doing so. You have 2 opportunities next year as both workshops are in North Carolina. Twisters Shag Club is hosting the Winter Workshop in Mooresville, NC and FASC in Fayetteville, NC is hosting the Summer Workshop. Make your plans now to attend one, if not both of these upcoming events in 2010 and take the time to attend the ACSC meeting while you are there.

Respectfully submitted, Brenda Smith



# BSC Tea Party at SOS Fall Migration

Where: The Arcade

When: Saturday, September 12, 2009

Time: 3:00pm to 5:00pm

# REMEMBER!!!

**Burlington Shag Club Members Only...** 





# **Need an SOS Card?**

Call Mary Gregory at 585-1118 or come to Master's on a Friday Night. They are still only \$30.00 and you get lots of fun and entertainment. Plus you will get a free subscription to the SOS Carefree Times....WOW, what a deal!!!

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# August

- 2 Roy Glasgow
- 3 Kathy Shotwell
- 3 Betty Justice
- 7 Martha Hopper
- 9 Edith Loy
- 11 David Carter
- 13 Ed Weiss
- 14 Ed Willis
- 15 Lynda Justice
- 16 Stephen Stearns
- 16 Richard Winningham
- 19 Trish Maness
- 19 Gail Jordan
- 19 Patti Smith
- 21 Buddy Whaley
- 22 Ellen Dodson
- 23 Caroline Davis
- 24 Billie McFayden
- 24 Polly Callahan
- 28 Jimmy Bare
- 29 Becky McKee
- 29 Cliff Brown
- 29 Lynda Allred
- **30 Jimmy Chilton**
- 31 Bonnie Parker

# September

- 2 Colon Bradsher
- 2 Charles Jones
- 4 Don Young
- **5 Mary Shelton**
- 6 Mike Wilson
- 13 Denise Upchurch
- 13 Jane Williamson
- 14 Carey Metts
- 15 Ronnie Gregory
- 15 Kay Jones
- 18 Ron Fogleman
- 21 Candy Brooks
- 21 Janice Carden
- 22 Violet Cole
- 24 Cindy Sharpe
- 25 Rommie Tyndall
- 26 Dianne Fogleman
- 28 Stephanie West





# Sunshine News!

- Gail Jordan had surgery and is home recovering.
- Larry Jordan's Uncle passed away on 7/21/2009
- \* Ron Wilkerson had surgery and is home recovering
- ❖ Zeke McFayden had surgery and is home recovering
- Buddy Whaley had surgery and is home recovering
- Betty Caviness had surgery and is recovering at home
- Charles Lindley's Sister is very sick
- Carolyn Moore is feeling better but continues with treatments

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 Louise Flanigan at 227-0902 or email her at Iflanigan@bellsouth.net

# **Welcome New Members:**

# Pat Weatherspoon **Kathy Giba**

From the Editor and Webmaster: Please have all newsletter articles, pictures, stories, suggestions, etc. to me by the 25th. Email to: windmill@triad.rr.com Mary Gregory - www.burlingtonshagclub.com

# It's that time again! A copy of the Bylaws are on our website.

Please nominate a person with the qualifications in accordance with our By-Laws in **Section VIII.J.5.** for our prestigious Hall of Fame.

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

Date:								
Name of Nominee:								
CRITERIA FOR NOM	NATION: (Refer to Article VIII -J 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						
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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:

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# Calendar of Events

August 7, 2009

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

August 14, 2009

Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is Steve Coley

August 21, 2009

Burlington Shag Club "Business Meeting and Birthday Night at Master's in the Ramada from 8:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is "Shagdaddy" Roy Childress

August 22, 2009

Burlington Shag Club "6th Annual Membership Appreciation Pool Party at the Ramada from 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM. See Flyer on page 4 August 28, 2009

Burlington Shag Club "Shag Night at Master's in the Ramada from 9:00 PM - 1:00 AM DJ is Danny Kimrev

August 29, 2009

Winston-Salem Shag Club's Meet The Area Party" DJs are Tim Phelps & Ed Timberlake See Flyer on Page 6

September 4, 2009

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

September 11 - September 20, 2009 SOS Fall Migration at N. Myrtle Beach, SC See Fun Sunday & Fun Monday Flyers on Page 6

September 11, 2009 SOS Fall Migration No DJ

# A Note from Penny Simmons

I would like to thank everyone in the club for their continued prayers for my dad and my family. The visits of those who came to the funeral home and to the house were appreciated. We appreciated all the beautiful and inspirational sympathy cards, calls, e-mails, the food which was provided for my family, and the plants which were sent. It means a lot to know that I have wonderful and loving friends at a time such as this.

# Thanks.

# Mark your Calendar:

October 3, 2009

Greater Triad Shag Club's Meet The Area Shag Club Party

November 21, 2009

Danville Shag Club's Meet The Area Shag Club Party

BSC Yard Sale October 10, 2009

# Come one, come all to the Lighting of the Tower!

When:

Time:

Saturday, September 12, 2009

Where: Main Street of N. Myrtle Beach (between Ducks and Harold's)

8:30pm

Come and be a part of this historic event and take part in the festivities

Bring your lawn chairs

Main Street will be closed off for your convenience

There will be a count down of the lighting.

Commemorative T-shirts for sale.



for all your Association Shag Club Parties and other information and news.



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

Shag Rag August 2009



is Coming!

September 11 - September 20, 2009

# Sharing Helping Always Giving

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