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Burlington Shag Club

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**January
2012**

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Shagging

Every Friday Night

9:00 p.m.

Master's Lounge

Ramada Inn

Burlington, NC

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Notes from the President ...



Christmas has come and gone and so has 2011, we are now preparing for another new year in our Shag Club. I hope each of you had a wonderful Christmas. I would like to thank each person who came out and worked to help make our Christmas Party a success at the Moose Lodge. We had a great turn out and everyone seemed to have a great time. Many expressed their happiness in having our meal catered as it was a delicious meal and none of our members had to work in the kitchen and was allowed to just enjoy the entire evening. We will be talking in the future of doing this again in our upcoming meetings.

As we start a new year, let me first say how much I appreciate the opportunity to serve again as your president. As I am honored to be doing this again, I must tell you I need help in making things happen. We are a very active club and we keep our calendars booked. There are many who always step up to the plate and help, but then there are also many who just come out once everything is planned. Each of us have more than we can handle every single day, so offering to do more seems impossible. But without workers, we will not be able to do all the things we raise our hands and vote to do. We either need to slow down and do less or we need to join in and make things happen.

In a few weeks we will be having our MEALS ON WHEELS BENEFIT. This is a huge undertaking and there are so many people in our community depending on us to raise money that will help feed these people. Stephen is already working very hard on many aspects of the evening, but the Silent Auction is a long way from being ready. We have a huge list of businesses that need to be contacted and ask for a donation. It is my thought that if many people would offer to call on a few places, no one person would have to do it all. This auction normally brings in lots of money, but items must be available to sell. Please call me and get a few names to call. I have a prepared simple statement that you can read when you call and a letter verifying our request. It will only take a few minutes of your time to do this, but you have to be willing to try to make it happen. Please think of the people who have aged and have found themselves in a place where they are forced to choose between paying for medication, power bills, insurance, or buying food. Unfortunately most of them are forced to skip meals. Without the people at Meals on Wheels, these people will not get the food needed to keep them healthy. We decided a long time ago we would help Meals on Wheels and they do count on us each year. Please do not ignore this request, we can make a difference and we can go to bed at night knowing someone did have food that day because we cared. If you really do not have time to help, donate a few dollars to me or any of our officers and we will put the money together and buy items that we can sell. But merchants at this time of the year do have items that did not sell over Christmas that they would donate if they are asked. This is a very important thing we are doing and I am truly begging for your support. Ladies and gents, remember baked goods always sell great as well..

We are getting ready to start planning our float. I am trying to get a location for a meeting on Saturday January 21, 2012. In this meeting, we will talk about songs and themes. Even if you do not want to walk or ride on the float, please come out and help pick a song and theme. Creating a float is a lot of work but it is work that brings members closer together and much fun is had while we work. Some of the work can be done sitting on your sofa at home, so please get with me if you can devote some time to help on this project. We have been so fortunate to be winners for 9 years, so we really have our work cut out for us this time around. Come to the meeting so we can get our song and theme and then get started creating. You may not have a clue of a song or a theme but once there, ideas bounce off each other and trust me, it all comes together somehow. Also, we need sponsors, so be thinking about that as well. I will let you know the location as soon as it is determined.

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SUNSHINE NEWS

- David Oakley had neck surgery on December 14.
- Gail Jordan had surgery on December 15 and is continuing to recover.
- Joe Davis had a kidney procedure on December 16 and is recovering quite well.
- Judy Gibson's mother passed away on December 19th. Our condolences to Judy and her family.

Please remember to keep these members in your thoughts and prayers. If you have information for the Sunshine News, please contact Edith Loy at edithloy@triad.rr.com.

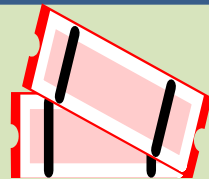
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Judy Smith	13
Mary Ann Lynch	14
Gail Paschall	14
Danny Shelton	14
Keith Stuckey	15
Alma Hill	16
Roger Paschall	16
Donna Cardwell	17
Mary Glasgow	18
Gary Thornburg	18
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President's notes (continued)....

I seem to be the president who is constantly asking for help and for that I am sorry, but it is our club and it will only be successful if we join together as a team and make things happen. Begging is not something I enjoy doing but failing is not in my DNA either. I know each of you and I know there is much talent in our club and our members have big hearts. Give a little and you will get a lot in return. Don't just show up for the party, be a part of making it happen. Get to know our members, there are a lot of really great people in our club. It is really easier to say "NO" and think there are others who can do so much better. You are selling yourself short and you are missing out on opportunities to learn new things. I never thought I could stand in front of so many people and lead our club, you guys make it happen for me, you give me the courage and have taught me so much these past 2 years. Now I am asking you to stand there with me and make this year a year we can all be proud of. Now Go And Do Well. Continue to pray for our members who are sick and in need. God Bless each of you.

Tickets for the Meals on Wheels Benefit can be purchased from Edith Loy on Friday nights at Master's. Dance only tickets are \$25 per person prior to the event and \$30 at the door. Dinner/Dance tickets are \$45 and should be purchased in advance. You can also get tickets at the Meals on Wheels office located at 411 West 5th Street, Suite A, in Burlington. This is a great event, so get your tickets early and support this wonderful cause.



Evelyn Turner



Evelyn has been a member of the Burlington Shag Club since 1991. She served as Vice President for 4 years, was Secretary for the club for 1 year and was the club Historian for 1 year. She was the Newsletter Editor for 8 years. She also co-chaired the 1999 ACSC Summer Workshop hosted by the Burlington Shag Club and the Danville Shag Club. Evelyn also was the Entertainment Chairperson for 4 years, the Sunshine Chairperson for 1 year and has served on the Meals On Wheels committee since its beginning. She has worked on several committees such as, the Float Committee, the Special Olympics

Hall of Fame 2011

Golf Tournament, and initiated the first Burlington Shag Club Bowling tournament. She has helped teach basic shag lessons and is still willing to help with basics as well as line dances when someone asks. Evelyn participates in all of the Burlington Shag Club activities, loves socializing with the people and meeting people from other shag clubs. She is someone the shag community can count on and truly deserves this honor of the Hall of Fame for the Burlington Shag Club. Congratulations on being inducted into the Burlington Shag Club Hall Of Fame for 2011.

Members of the Burlington Shag Club

Important....

If you haven't renewed your membership by the Re-Up party, you will no longer receive a copy of the "Shag Rag". Renew now!

Silent Auction items...

Please, please, try to obtain items for our Meals on Wheels Benefit silent auction. We really want to have a room full of donations for all of the guests to bid on and need your help to do that. If you are an artist or craftsman in any media, please consider donating some of your work. And of course, some of our best selling items are the delicious baked goods, so go ahead and be thinking of what tasty treat you can bring. We appreciate all items that are donated and know that they will help provide food for the elderly.

We'll be having a float meeting soon! Do you have a song and theme picked out yet? After a couple of meetings and planning sessions, we'll head over to Robert's to start production. Robert has graciously invited us to use his home and workshop again this year and what a perfect place it is. Get your songs ready!

Friday Night DJ Schedule

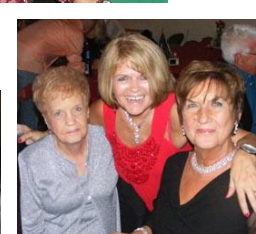
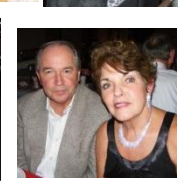
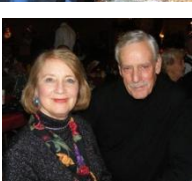
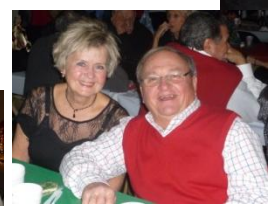
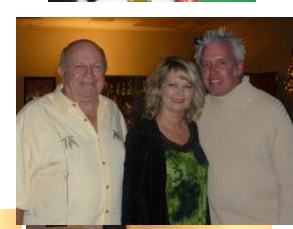
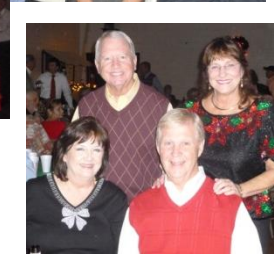
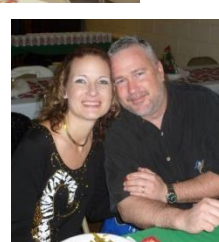
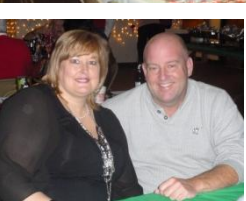
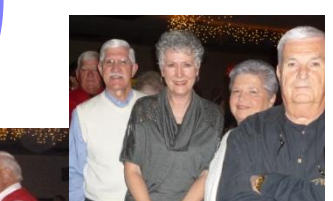
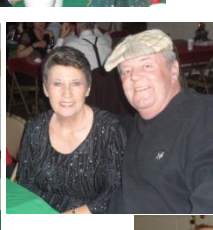
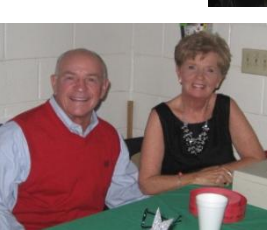
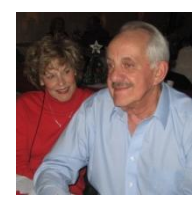
Jan. 6 - Rick Turner
Jan. 13 - Hugh Walker
Jan. 20 - Rommie Tyndall
Jan 27 - Chigger Woods
Feb 3 - Gerry Holland
Feb 10 - Mike Harding
Feb 17 - David Tuttle
Feb 24 - Eldridge Meeler

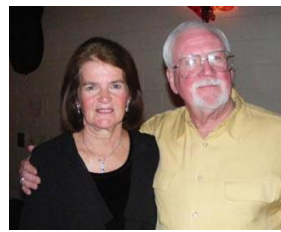
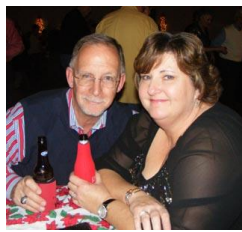


Memories Beach Club in Atlantic Beach, NC recently honored the DJs who started the ABSCDJ Association. Of the sixteen members, six were present and received recognition. Those present were Tommy T-Bird, Eddie Smith, Allen Hilbert, Steve Baker, Bill Moore, and Gerry Holland. Also honored were Jimmy and Kathy Vinson, former owners of PJ's Beach & Shag Club. Congratulations to our own Gerry Holland for this special recognition.



ROCKIN' AROUND THE CHRISTMAS TREE 2012





CHRISTMAS PARTY DECEMBER 17, 2011



HO HO HO
MERRY CHRISTMAS





Football

Basketball



Baseball

2012 Re-Up Party

Friday, January 27, 2012

Master's Lounge

9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

SPORTS NIGHT

Be sure to wear something to
represent your favorite sport,
college, or pro team.

\$2.50 Beer Specials

*Bud - Bud Light - Coors Light
Natural Light - Miller Light*

\$3.50 Well Drinks

*Vodka - Gin
Rum - Bourbon*

NC Light Snacks Provided


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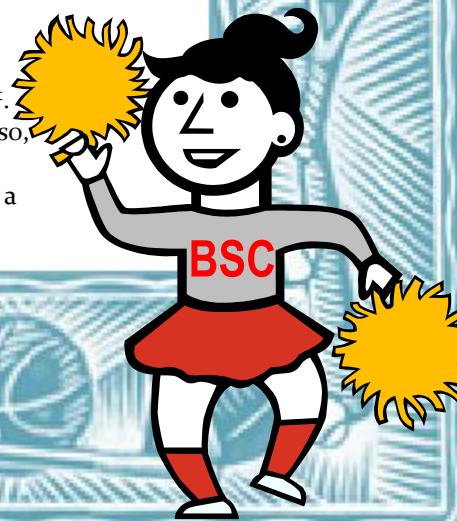
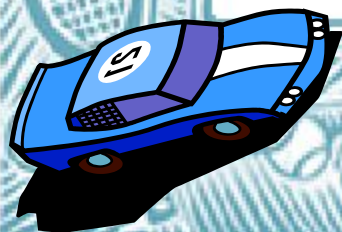
**WAKE
FOREST**

DJ - Chigger Woods

NASCAR



Burlington Shag Club memberships are \$15 per year until January 31st. After that, the cost is \$20 per year, so you need to renew on time. Also, you will no longer receive a newsletter if you have not renewed your membership. Every member needs to fill out a form (even if you are a lifetime member), so that our roster can be updated if necessary.



A Note Of Thanks

I am so honored to be the 2011 Hall of Fame inductee. This recognition has only been bestowed onto a few members of our shag club and I am truly in good company with my fellow Hall of Fame members. When I joined the shag club 20-1/2 years ago, I had no idea how special the people in this club would become to me over the many years. Yes, we are great friends, but we are also one big family.

Thank you to those members who have nominated me and to the voting panel. I appreciate that you consider me worthy of this special honor. I must also thank my husband Rick, who has had patience with me when I get so involved with committees and club projects, and, well --- get him involved in them too!

As I have said before, I encourage each of you to volunteer for a committee or raise your hand and say you will help with special projects. When we have planning meetings and workshops for parties, our SOS float, or any other special event, we have so much fun while working. What great camaraderie, and it is a great time to learn more about your fellow shag club members. Talent abounds in this club and I know there is something that you can contribute.

Again, I am so honored to be a member of the Burlington Shag Club Hall of Fame. I hope that I can be a good ambassador of our club and one of which you will be proud.

Evelyn Turner

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP - 290

RE-UP EARLY !!!

THERE IS A MEMBERSHIP FORM IN EACH NEWSLETTER SO GO AHEAD AND FILL IT OUT AND SEND IT IN OR BRING IT TO MASTER'S ON FRIDAY NIGHTS. THAT WAY, AT THE RE-UP PARTY, YOU WON'T HAVE TO WAIT IN LINE TO FILL OUT THE FORM THAT NIGHT AND GET YOUR DRINK TICKETS. THAT WILL ALSO KEEP OUR COMMITTEE FROM BEING SWAMPED THE NIGHT OF THE PARTY.

Newsletter Deadline

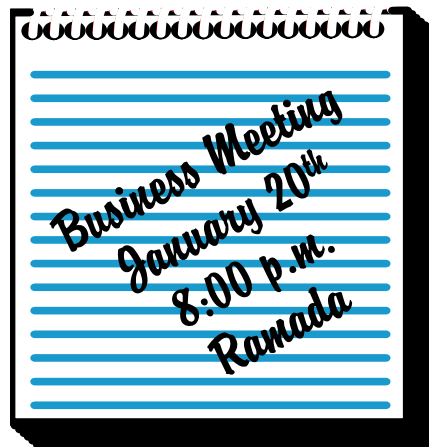
January 25th

Please send your articles or information by that date.

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www.shagdance.com

www.shagtour.com



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4	Mike Gumula
4	Rick Wolfe
4	John Worley
8	Stephanie G. Harris
8	Bob White
9	Phyllis McCubbins
10	Carl Outland
11	Ron Wilkerson
12	Kent Bradsher
13	Gary Crawford
15	Frankie Johnson
15	Robert Mitchell
15	Van Poteat
15	Hal Williams
16	Ron Jefferies
17	Lee Neese
18	Don Miller
21	Elaine Mills
22	Sandra Moore
23	Jim West
26	Roy Sonovick
27	Barbara Dixon
28	Susan Evers



NEW
YEAR'S
EVE
PARTY

**Bringing in the new year
with great friends**



CHRISTMAS CHEER

First of all I would like to say thank you to my committee, Tammy Dehart, Teresa Ware, Cindy Swiggett, Kim Hodge and Lisa McCormick; without you our club would not have been able to shop and deliver for these three loving and needy families. Also, thank you goes out to the McSherry's for their generous contribution and to the entire club for providing the means in which to provide for these families. I know the yard sale is a lot of work, but the end result brings happiness and joy into lives for Christmas. We delivered Christmas to three needy families, whom without our support, would have not had such a wonderful and very deserving Christmas. Mrs. Southern was able to have her heat on for the coldest months of the year, clothes for church and food to help throughout the winter. Mrs. Boyd was able to spoil her boys with a room full of toys, clothes and a pantry full of food. Last but not least, the Knighten's were able to have some peace knowing that their granddaughter would have presents to open Christmas morning. A week before Christmas Mr. Knighten was admitted to the hospital and I know this family was very appreciative of all they received. Again, thank you very much for your help and support and I hope that our club will continue for many years to come in providing for those less fortunate. I also hope that each person reading this had a wonderful Christmas and will have a safe and happy New Year.

Sincerely,
Angie Sharpe



Christmas Cheer - packed and ready to be delivered.



Burlington Shag Club

presents the 19th. Annual Benefit for



Alamance County Meals on Wheels

Featuring "The Carolina Breakers"

Saturday, February 11, 2012
Valentines Dance

Ramada Convention Center

I-85/40, exit 143, Burlington, NC
336-227-5541 (\$59 per night)

Cash
Bars

Ask for Shag Club Special Rate!

Line Dance Lessons
8:00 - 8:45pm
in the Ballroom

THE CAROLINA BREAKERS

9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. in the ballroom

**Don't miss the
SILENT AUCTION!**

Tickets Available November 1, 2011

On or before December 31, 2011

\$20/person - Dance Only

Jan 1 - Feb 10, 2012

\$25/person - Dance Only

\$30/person at the door - Dance Only

Buffet Dinner - 6:30 - 8:00pm

Advance Tickets Only - \$45/Person-Dinner/Dance

Legendary DJs playing
6:30 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.
in the Duke/Carolina/State Room
and Ballroom

David "Loose Shoes" Tuttle

Rick "Biggun" Turner



Chigger Woods

PRE-PARTY

Friday, Feb. 10, 2012

9:00pm - 1:00am

Master's at the Ramada

DJ - Mike Harding

Dancing With The Stars!

**50/50
Drawing**

Tickets will be mailed, if request is received before February 4, 2012

Name(s): _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Number of Dance Only tickets at \$20/Person

(must be postmarked by Dec. 31, 2011)

Price After Dec. 31, 2011 Number of Dance Only tickets at \$25/Person: _____

Number of Dinner/Dance Tickets at \$45/person: _____ Total Amount Enclosed: _____

MC/Visa#: _____ Exp.: _____

Last 3 or 4 digits on the back of your MC/Visa Card: _____

Make checks payable to: Alamance County Meals On Wheels

Mail to: Alamance County Meals On Wheels, 411 West 5th Street, Suite A, Burlington, NC 27215

For more information call MOW Office at 336-228-8815 or Stephen Stearns at 336-229-6951

RECIPE OF THE MONTH

Oreo Truffles

from Beth Coleman

- 1 bag Oreo cookies
- 1 8-ounce pack cream cheese
- 2 cups chocolate chips



Put cookies into plastic bag and crush. Soften the cream cheese in bowl and add the crushed cookies. Blend really well and roll into balls. Place in freezer for approximately 10 minutes. In a sauce pan, melt chocolate chips. Roll the Oreo balls in the melted chocolate and place onto wax paper to dry and harden.

The Challenge Is On.....

Whose team will win? Our re-up party is scheduled for Friday, January 27th and it is a sports theme again this year. Be sure to wear your favorite teams apparel and let's see which school will win this year...GAME ON!



The SOS Cards for 2012 are now available to purchase through the shag club for \$30. Please see Edith Loy to get your card. You will need this card for Mid-Winter. You can contact Edith at edithloy@triad.rr.com. If you wait and purchase them at the beach, they will be \$35.

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Burlington Shag Club - Membership Application

Membership runs from January through December

Annual Dues: \$15 per person (After January 31st, dues are \$20)

Name _____
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Home Phone _____ Mobile _____
Employer (his) _____ work phone _____
Employer (hers) _____ work phone _____
Email (his) _____
Email (hers) _____
Birthday (his) _____ (hers) _____

Would you like to receive the Shag Rag by email? _____
If yes, print email address to use _____

Check _____
Cash _____
New _____
Renewal _____
Signature _____
Date _____

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

Club Use Only

Date Issued _____ Date _____
Secretary's signature _____

Calendar of Events

December 30, 2011 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Bobby Snyder

December 31, 2011 - New Year's Eve Party, Master's Lounge, - DJ - Roy Childress

January 6, 2012 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Rick Turner

January 13, 2012 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Hugh Walker

January 13-15, 2012 - Mid-Winter, North Myrtle Beach, SC

January 20, 2012 - Monthly Business Meeting & Birthday Night - DJ - Ronnie Tyndall

January 27, 2012 - Shag Night & Re-Up Party at Master's - DJ - Chigger Woods

February 3, 2012 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Gerry Holland

February 10, 2012 - Shag Night at Master's and M-O-W Pre-Party - DJ - Mike Harding

February 11, 2012 - Meals on Wheels Benefit, Ramada Convention Center, see flyer inside

February 17, 2012 - Monthly Business Meeting & Birthday Night - DJ - David Tuttle

February 24, 2012 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Eldridge Meeler



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