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Shagging
Friday Nights
8:00-12:00 p.m.
Showtime Lounge
Country Club Lanes
Burlington, NC

## **Tammy McDole**

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first Friday shag night of the month. Thanks goes to Lucy DuVall for the south of the border decorations. We had two very good Friday Shag Night Sharing Our Steps (SOS). We had our club's first Fun Quarter Auction which was a lot of fun and turned out to be a terrific fundraiser. A big thank you to Andrea Loy for chairing the event and to all who donated and participated. Almost half of the auction players were not shag club members so we seized the opportunity to demonstrate our music and dance for them. After the event, I got the feeling everybody was ready to do it all again. And finally to top off the month, many of our members, as well as other area shaggers and beach music lovers, enjoyed wonderful weather, music, and fellowship at the Willow Oak Park Beach Music Weekend

May was a busy and a fun month. We improvised a Cinco De Mayo party on our

Our annual area shag club Luau party is just around the corner on Saturday June 10th. If you haven't already, buy your tickets soon. You can purchase tickets from Edith Loy, Jan Burwell, or Martha Shoffner. You can also purchase by mail, just fill out the information box at the bottom of the flyer and mail it and your check to us. Your tickets will be waiting for you at our Will Call station when you arrive at the party. Tickets sold in advance will include a great meal. This is our club's time to host the members of our sister shag clubs Eno Beach, Greater Triad, Danville, Steppin' Out, Winston Salem, Kerr Lake, as well as other guests, so let's all pitch in and help Gail Copland and team pull off one of our best Luau parties ever.

Our DJ committee Chair Allen DuVall has an awesome DJ line up for our June Friday Shag Nights. This is one of the great things about our shag club, we provide a beach music DJ for you every Friday night at the Showtime Lounge. And speaking of the Showtime Lounge, are we not fortunate to have such a wonderful home, as well as great hosts and fellow club members as our Showtime family? So take advantage, come on out, have fun talking and dancing with your fellow members. What a wonderful way to start each weekend. David Lassiter is doing a great job lining up very talented shaggers to share their steps with us. For the one or two scheduled each month, everyone is invited to the Sharing Our Steps (SOS) 7pm hour and learn a new step. It's fun and free. Stay tuned for the June SOS schedule.

I've had several conversations with folks recently regarding class reunions being planned for this Fall so now is a good time to share our adopted "Guidelines for Friday Shag Night Class Reunions and Other Concurrent Events". These are not rules, just guidelines we hope everyone will follow to help coordinate Friday night activities. Please review our guidelines included in this newsletter.

Summer is here so many of us will be traveling and vacationing. I wish everyone safe travels and wonderful times. Let's shower those on the Sunshine list with our thoughts and prayers. You people are the best!

Jack Oakley, President



BUSINESS MEETING May 19, 2017

CALL TO ORDER: Kurt Lankford ~ Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm and a quorum was declared.

WELCOME: Jack Oakley, President ~ All members were welcomed to our May meeting. He reminded members to send in an individual/couple picture to Jan Burwell via email or mail for our pictorial directory.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Jan Kyaw Burwell ~ We have 228 members presently, 5 more from last month. April minutes were read, accepted and approved with a motion made by Lorna Shively and seconded by Steve Williamson. Sorry for the delay in receiving the April Newsletter as there were computer issues.

BIRTHDAYS: Jan Kyaw Burwell ~ May/June birthdays were shared.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Amy Crawford ~ April expenditures and 2017 Expenses thru the month of April were presented. A motion to accept the financial report was made by Mike Wilson and seconded by Lorna Shively.

BOD MEETING: Lucy DuVall ~ No Board meeting held for May, therefore no report. Our next meeting is June 5.

SUNSHINE REPORT: Debbie Burnham  $\sim$  health concerns and prayer requests (see details in newsletter)  $\sim$  Chuck Upchurch, Cindy Swiggett, Robin Bridges, Stephen Stearns

SOS CARDS/FUN MONDAY TICKETS: Edith Loy ~ SOS cards \$30, Fun Monday Tickets \$10 – great monetary prizes

SHARING OUR STEPS (SOS): David Lassiter  $\sim$  Steve Williamson will share a step at 7:00 on June 30. Come out for a FREE dance lesson.

APRIL PARTY REPORTS: Eno Beach Shag Club's area party received a good turnout from our club with 18 attending. A great time was had by all!

MAY PARTY REPORTS: Cinco de Mayo at our club...the tables were festively decorated, we danced the Macarena and signature drinks were available. Thank you Lucy DuVall!

QUARTER AUCTION: Andrea Loy ~ Our 1st Quarter Auction was a huge fundraising success! It was so much fun and our club benefitted greatly! Thanks to all that had a hand in making this happen and to all that came out for all the FUN!!! Stay tuned for our next \$.25 Auction! Thanks Andrea for all your efforts!

LUAU PARTY: Gail Copland ~ June 10, Saturday, 7:00 pm—midnight Tickets are \$15/person, includes dinner (7-8) and dancing with 2 DJs, Chigger Woods and Roy 'Shag Daddy' Childress. Get your tickets via mail-in registration (held at Will Call) or see Edith Loy, Jan Burwell or Martha Shoffner on Friday nights at the club!

FALL SOS FUN MONDAY: September 18,  $2017 \sim A$  decision was made and voted on that it would be more beneficial to our club to consider another fundraiser locally than to man a booth during Fall SOS.

WILLOWOAK BEACH MUSIC FESTIVAL: May 26, 27, Memorial Day Weekend (see flyer for details) See Mike Wilson for tickets. Good time with great bands, wonderful DJs and dance floors.

SPRING SAFARI PARADE: If interested in chairing this event, please contact Jack Oakley.

CORNHOLE: If interested in playing in a tournament, see Evelyn Turner.

2018 SOS SUMMER WORKSHOP: July 12-15, 2018  $\sim$  Eno Beach hosting, BSC and Kerr Lake Shag Club to co-host the Hospitality Room Friday evening of event. If interested in helping, contact Evelyn Turner.

50/50: Lee Neese won! Meeting Adjourned: 7:54 pm Members Present: 23 Next Meeting: June 16, 2017





#### Burlington Shag Club Guidelines for Friday Shag Night Class Reunions and Other Concurrent Events

The Burlington Shag Club hosts a Shag event that includes a Beach Music DJ almost every Friday night at the Showtime Lounge. These Friday Shag Night events are free admission, but each event costs the club \$100. While the Showtime Lounge is considered to be the home of the Burlington Shag Club, the lounge is open to the public and our club welcomes everybody who wishes to enjoy our music, dance, and fellowship. Several club members have taken advantage of our Friday Shag Night event to organize concurrent high school class reunions. The class reunions not only bring more business to Country Club Lanes, they also present us with an opportunity to promote our music and dance; hence, the Burlington Shag Club endorses and encourages the practice. There are a few guidelines we encourage our club members to follow when organizing such a concurrent event.

- Notify the Burlington Shag Club President about your plan at least three months prior to scheduling the event. The following information should be communicated:
  - The Friday night date you wish the event to take place.
  - What will be the start and end times of your concurrent event.
  - The name of the group of people who will be invited. For example the Williams High School classes of 1960-1965.
  - The number of people expected.
  - What activities are planned beyond the usual Friday night activity? For examples do you intend to have a front door registration station, do you intend to bring snacks for your guests, are you arranging for Lucky's grill to provide dinner for your group?

The BSC President can then ensure there are no conflicting concurrent events already scheduled and work with the Country Club Lanes staff to make sure both the Burlington Shag Club members and your attendees are accommodated.

Prior to the concurrent event, the organizer should communicate the following to all people invited to their event:

- Do not congregate on the dance floor, please join us on the dance floor to dance.
- No drinks on the dance floor. Wet spills can cause injury. The Carolina Shag dance requires a smooth dry surface. The Lady's wear expensive dance shoes with suede soles that can be easily ruined by wet sticky spills.
- The Burlington Shag Club hires the DJ to play primarily <u>Shag dance</u> friendly <u>Beach Music</u> and some line dance and slow dance songs. Please do not flood the DJ with song requests for other types of music.
- The Burlington Shag Club will not charge a fee for your concurrent event but will accept donations to help pay for the DJ.

Follow our Burlington Shag Club on Facebook.



| June            | Name Olas Militira |
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| 6               | Glenda White       |
| 10              | Marie Barber       |
| 11              | Luis Lopez         |
| 9/ 11           | Kim Sellars        |
| 12              | Judy Gibson        |
| 12              | Scott Loy          |
| 16              | Sandy Davis        |
| 16              | Kelly Mann         |
| 17              | Patty Caudle       |
| 17              | Gail Copland       |
| 18              | David Lassiter     |
| 18              | Frances Woodlief   |
| 21              | Billy Puckett      |
| 26              | Roy Sonovick       |
| 29              | Lorna Shively      |
| 30              | Ann Allen          |
| 30              | Betty King         |
| SHAPPY BIRTHDAY |                    |
| 9               |                    |







# **Membership Application**



**Annual Dues** January 1 - 31 ~ \$25/person February 1 – December 31 ~ \$30/person YEAR NAME (HIS) \_\_\_\_\_\_ (HERS) CITY \_\_\_\_\_STATE \_\_\_ZIP (HIS) \_\_\_\_\_\_(HERS) \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE (HIS) \_\_\_\_\_\_(HERS) \_\_\_\_\_ **EMPLOYER** (HIS) \_\_\_\_\_ (HERS) \_\_\_\_ BIRTHDAY **EMAIL** (HIS)\_\_\_\_\_(HERS)\_\_\_\_ YES 🗌 ио П RECEIVE NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL? COMMMITTEES I AM INTERESTED IN SERVING ON---ENTERTAINMENT □ DJ □ MEMBERSHIP ☐ GOLF TOURNAMENT ☐ NOMINATION | SUNSHINE HISTORIAN CHARITABLE FUND RAISING ☐ \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* ☐ HOF ПРР ■ NEW MEMBER ☐ RENEWAL MEMBER CHECK \$ # CASH \$ TOTAL PAID \$ MEMBER'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_ **Burlington Shag Club** MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: P.O. Box 1174 Burlington, NC 27216 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* **CLUB USE ONLY** Sec.'s Initials \_\_\_\_\_ Date rec'd Card Issued ☐ Card Mailed ☐ Date

With well over 200 members, it is difficult if not impossible, to meet, talk, and learn each other's names, so this year we are putting together a pictorial directory for our club members and we need your help. Please find an individual, couple, family, or group photo of yourselves that you would like to see in our directory and send it to Jan Burwell. Be sure to let Jan know how you want the caption for the photo to read, we suggest the names of the people in the photo listed left to right. We may add (HoF) and (PP) to the names of members who are Hall of Fame inductees and Past Presidents. We do not recommend including any personal information in the caption.

There are many ways you can go about finding a photo and sending it to Jan, here are some options.

If you have a paper photo, you can mail a copy to our PO Box:

**Burlington Shag Club** 

P.O. Box 1174

Burlington, NC 27216

If you have a paper photo and a scanner, scan the photo creating a computer image file, such as jpg or gif format. Email or text the image file to Jan Burwell.

If you have a paper photo and your cell phone has a camera, take a cell phone photo of the paper photo. Email or text the cell phone photo to Jan.

If you already have a nice computer image file of yourself, simply email or text it to Jan.

You can also view our shag club photos at http://www.burlingtonshagclub.com/photos.htm and if you see a good photo, let Jan know which one it is so we can use it for the directory. For example, there is a very nice photo of Buddy and Robin Richardson in the "2016 Friday Nights - August thru December" photo group. Buddy and Robin could tell Jan to use photo IMG3328, #247/450 out of that group. They could also let Jan know the link for the photo

(http://www.burlingtonshagclub.com/2016FridayNights-Aug-Dec/index.html#IMG\_3328.JPG). There is also a great photo of the Buddy and Robin on facebook. They could simply send Jan the link to that photo

(https://www.facebook.com/photo.php?fbid=1870356646576591&set=a.1870356659909923.1073741828.100008068 208182&type=3&theater). They would also let Jan know how the caption for the photo should read, for example, "Buddy and Robin Richardson – Shaggers Extraordinaire".

So let's get started! The sooner you send Jan your photo (and caption), the sooner we can create our new club pictorial directory.

Jack Oakley, President





Through the National FastDance Association, our club dance activities are properly and legally licensed by:









#### **JUNE 2017**

June 2: BSC "Shag Night" from 8:00 PM - 12:00.......DJ is John Williford June 9: BSC "Shag Night" from 8:00 PM - 12:00.......DJ is Steve Carter

June 10: BSC's Annual Luau Area Shag Club Party.......7:00pm - 12:00 am ----Doors open at 6:15pm; Cost: \$15 per person; Buffet Dinner Tickets in advance only and served 7:00 to 8:00; Location: Country Club Lanes West, 3010 South Church St., Burlington; Shuttle available to Best Western (336) 584-0151 and Ramada Inn (336) 227-5541. Ask for Special "Shag Club" room rate. DJ's "Shagdaddy" Roy Childress and Chigger Woods; Click Here for the flyer and more information.

June 16: BSC "Business Meeting and Birthday Night" from 7:00 PM - 12:00......DJ is Rick "Biggun" Turner

June 18: HAPPY FATHERS DAY!

June 23: BSC "Shag Night" from 8:00 PM - 12:00" from 8:00 PM - 12:00.........DJ is Gil Bradley June 30: BSC "Shag Night" from 8:00 PM - 12:00" from 8:00 PM - 12:00.........DJ is Walker Guthrie

#### **JULY 2017**

July 4: HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!

July 7: BSC "Shag Night" from 8:00 PM - 12:00......DJ is Eldridge Meeler July 14: BSC "Shag Night" from 8:00 PM - 12:00......DJ is Rick Burnham

July 21: BSC "Business Meeting and Birthday Night" from 7:00 PM - 12:00..........DJ Mike Harding July 28: BSC "Shag Night" from 8:00 PM - 12:00" from 8:00 PM - 12:00...........DJ is Darrell Gaither







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



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