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Notes from the President ...

Hello, members! Here we are in October, and any other year, I'd be gushing about the fun and fellowship we'd shared at Fall Migration! Many BSC members kept their reservations and made the trip anyway. With SOS cancelled and most bars still closed, I heard about street parties, good shagging, and of course, sandy beach times! Baxter and I missed the trip,

but I'm sure members were mindful of the pandemic and stayed safe! SOS Midwinter is on schedule for January 14-17. Since we've literally skipped this year, 2021 Midwinter will surely be a gathering to attend. I'm looking forward to this long-awaited party like no other! Midwinter at Ocean Drive may be a bit chilly, and the crowds a bit smaller, but the party mood is ALWAYS in attendance! Plan to join us for a grand reunion !! On September 11th, we held our first BSC business meeting since February. There was much business to handle, and we got it done. Please read the meeting minutes included in this newsletter if you couldn't come out. Big thanks to the 34 members that attended, I enjoyed seeing everyone after such a long separation. We provided masks, hand sanitizer, and did our best to social distance, which was a challenge! Some of us stayed afterwards to visit and catch up on our lives and plans. What a nice time it turned out to be! Thanks also to Ronnie and Mary for providing their warehouse to hold our meeting. A very important piece of business was 2021 officer/board nominations. This means that at our October 16th business meeting, nominees will accept their nominations. The location will be announced shortly, so stay in touch. Voting will be held at the November 20th business meeting, we'll need your participation. Please try to attend each of these meetings, so long as you feel safe. Here's a piece of good news: Did you hear that we have been nominated for a CBMA (Cammy) Award for our 2020 Annual Valentine's Benefit? The category is Shag Club Event of the Year, the same award we have won in 2012, 2013 and 2014. It is truly an honor to be recognized! Much thanks to Amber Allen for the hard work chairing for us, and thank you to the committee members that shared the load! What a hard-working club, great teamwork! Remaining 2020 club parties are still on the calendar, so long as COVID restrictions are sufficiently relaxed to allow them. We also must consider an available location. Even with the start of Phase 3, bars are only allowed to open outdoors at 30% capacity, so Rack and Rolls is closed. If they are still closed at the end of this month, we would need to secure a location to hold our October 30th Halloween Party. Be sure to check your email, Facebook, and BSC website for updates. The December 12th Christmas Party doubles as our December business meeting and includes the installation of 2021 officers and Board Members. This occasion will be essential in order to carry out business, so we can certainly look forward to that. And of course the New Year's Eve party will be held on December 31st . Like me, I'm sure you are praying that COVID-19 will be well in our rear view mirror by then! I surely hope and pray that you all continue to stay safe and healthy. Current news proves that no one is immune, so please take proper precautions! BSC has lost some members this year, not due to COVID, but alarming, nonetheless! We'll miss Roy Childress (September), Judy Smith (August), and Tommy Fuller (July). Continued prayers for their families and friends. Don't forget to check out the full Sunshine Report from Debbie Burnham in this and every newsletter. (Thanks, Debbie!) Please everyone stay safe, be patient, and remember that we move farther along in this crisis every day! And, as always, "Don't Forget the Basics!!" **Kim Sellars** President.

#### BSC Business Meeting Minutes for September 11, 2020

**PRESIDENT'S REMARKS** (Kim Sellers) Welcome! Thanks to everyone who came out since we were not able to meet since February. Lots of business to cover.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT** (Alice Isley for Jan Burwell) We have 235 members. Brenda Smith made a motion to accept the February minutes as written. Baxter Sellers seconded. The motion was approved. Alice read the September and October birthdays.

**TREASURER'S REPORT** (Alice Isley) The deposits, expenses since February and balances as of 8/31/2020 were shared. Brenda Smith made a motion to accept the report and Amber Allen seconded. The motion was approved.

**SOS CARDS** (Edith Loy) SOS Board announced that 2020 cards would be used for all 2021 SOS events. No new cards will be printed. Edith has eighty-six 2020 cards left to sell.

**SUNSHINE NEWS** (Debbie Burnham) Everyone was reminded to call Debbie with information about members who are facing difficulties/sickness. See the September newsletter for details.

**RACK AND ROLLS UPDATE** (Kim Sellers) At this time, there is no update as they remain shut down due to Executive Orders by the NC Governor.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS' REPORT** (Ronnie Gregory) The Board decided to honor memberships of all current BSC members through 2021. Only new members (not currently a member) would pay for 2021 dues. Janice McSherry asked if the members needed to vote on this. Mary Gregory made a motion to carryover the 2020 dues for current members through 2021. Jack Oakley seconded. The motion was approved.

**SOS REPORT** (Ronnie Gregory) SOS is operating through unprecedented times like everyone else. The organization took a financial hit after a shortened Fall Migration in 2018 due to a hurricane as well as Spring Safari and Fall Migration in 2020 due to COVID-19. Decisions to cancel were made with the best interest of all members' health. Big plans for 2021 with high hopes that COVID-19 will be behind us or contained enough to hold some gatherings.

#### 2020 VALENTINE'S BENEFIT UPDATE (Amber Allen)

Total income of 9,775.00 -total expenses of 7,616.00 +Refund from 40 west of 205.00 = 2,364.00 for charities.

Two motions were made on how to disseminate the funds to each charity.

Motion 1: Janice McSherry moved to donate \$1000 to each charity taking \$2,364 from the fundraising account and \$636 from the general funds account. Lucy Duvall and Mike Wilson seconded.

Motion 2: Brenda Smith moved to donate \$1000 to each charity taking all the funds from the fundraising account. The members voted on each motion and motion 2 was approved.

**CANCELLATIONS** Special Olympics Golf Tournament was cancelled since there was no one the chair it and COVID-19 restrictions. 2020 HOF was canceled due to COVID-19 and not enough club activities.

**2021 VALENTINE'S BENEFIT** (Kim Sellers / Darlene Oakley) The Committee will soon hold a meeting and prepare for the dance in February 2021. We will be able to cancel with 40 West if COVID restrictions will not allow such a gathering. Kim will also make sure there is a cancellation clause with Cat 5. Please consider joining the committee to help with new ideas for ways to make this a success.

VIRTUAL QUARTER AUCTION (Amber Allen) Darlene Oakley made a motion to hold a virtual quarter auction at a time to be determined during the fall to support the Valentine's Dance. Baxter Sellers and Ronnie Gregory seconded. The motion was approved. If the dance is canceled, the proceeds from the auction would go to AuthoraCare (formerly Hospice).

#### BSC Business Meeting Minutes Continued'

**UPCOMING BSC PARTIES** All events are subject to restrictions imposed the State. The following parties have NOT been cancelled as of now.

Halloween: Will be held if possible at a place to be determined.

**Christmas Party:** (Brenda Smith, chair) Scheduled for Saturday, Dec 12. Rommie Tindell may be the DJ. Time and place TBD. The committee is working on the details.

New Year's Eve: Will be held if possible at a place to be determined.

**NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE** (Allen and Lucy Duvall) Darlene Oakley confirmed that we have a quorum for accepting nominations. The Committee will contact people who were nominated in late September/early October to ask if they are willing to serve. Carol Pettigrew asked if the current officers could continue through 2021. Ronnie Gregory said current officers could be nominated to run again. Two Board seats need to be filled as Lee Neese and Amber Allen will come off. Lucy Allen asked for 3 more members to join the committee. Cindy Swiggett, Mary Gregory, and Brenda Smith volunteered. Carol Pettigrew volunteered to be the alternate if anyone on the committee is nominated for an office or Board seat.

**NEXT BUSINESS MEETING** (Kim Sellers) The next business meeting will be held on October 16 at a time a date to be determined by Kim as the President. Ronnie Gregory agreed to host at Parr & Davis and Mike Wilson agreed to host at his home. Details will be in the October newsletter and announced on Facebook and by email.

50/50 (Buddy Richardson) Congratulations to Josh Allen! MEMBERS PRESENT 34 MEETING ADJOURNED at 9:00pm

Submitted by Alice Isley, Treasurer on behalf of Jan Burwell



Next Business Meeting is scheduled for October 16, 2020 from 7pm- 8pm Meeting Only with 50/50 drawing No DJ or Dancing

Location: Rack N' Rolls Address: 1243 Plaza Dr. Burlington, NC

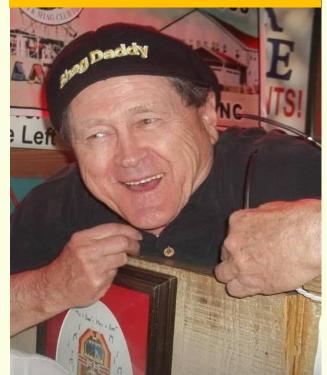
Cash only for scripts to purchase Beer \$3 and Cocktails \$6

Your safety and comfort are very important to us. Please be sure to wear a mask, bring personal hand sanitizer, and practice off social distancing. Please do not attend if feeling sick or have a fever.

Friday Shag Nights are still on hold as we wait for Rack N Rolls to fully re-open.

#### In Memory Roy "ShaqDaddy" Childress

April 14, 1944 – September 24, 2020 Beloved DJ and long time BSC member. We love you and will miss you keeping us all on the dance floor with your great selections of beach, boogie and blues. Heaven has gained a DJ legend.



### **Board** of Directors Meeting

#### . October 5, 2020

All in-person events mentioned below are subject to change based on COVID-19 restrictions.

- The October and November business meetings will be held at Rack N Rolls at 7:pm.
- There will be a Virtual Quarter Auction on Saturday, Oct 31 at 11am. Announcements soon on how to "attend".
- The Christmas Party is planned for Saturday, Dec 12. Mark your calendar, details coming soon.
- Valentine's Dance is scheduled for Saturday, Feb 13, 2021. Details soon.

Submitted by Alice Isley

# Shag life websites

Membership RE-UP 2021...All present members will still be members for 2021 with no dues being collected. If you have a change in your contact information, please email Jan Burwell, Secretary BSC jankyaw64@gmail.com - only stating the change. You do NOT have to fill out a form. Also, if you know someone who would like to join the BSC, please share my contact information or one of the officers. Thank you,

Jan Kyaw Burwell



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Newsletter Deadline for the November issue is October 25th. Please email any items you want to be considered for publication to maxkim63@aol.com

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### Christmas Party December 12, 2020 DJ Rommie Tyndall

We could all use a little Christmas right now. The Christmas Party Committee is planning a wonderful dinner dance event. More details coming soon! Better watch out!

BSC enjoys a little NMB Ocean Drive Therapy Even Santa was spotted on the beach!



### October Birthdays

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I WANT TO GO TO A GOOD HOME BUT I'M NOT GOING TO START GETTING ALL DESPERATE AND ARE YOU WEARING COLOGNE?



Get your 2020 SOS cards now for \$30. This card will be good for 2021. If you wait till you are at the Beach they are \$35. Contact Edith Loy at edithloy@triad.rr.com

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





#### ESA Special Bulletin August 9, 2020 Attention: SOS Membership Card Holders

2020

The SOS Board has met again to hammer out our budget for 2021. The Board has spent countless hours dissecting our budget and trying to find savings in every area for 2021. As you are all aware since the hurricane and Covid-19 pandemic, we have had 3 SOS's cancelled, this is un-precedented and has put a lot of strain on the SOS budget. We have rescinded our prior decision about our 2020 SOS Cards. The new decision effective today, August 9, is that **ALL 2020 SOS Cards will be honored** for the whole year of 2021. The clubs will continue to sell 2020 cards to be used for the year 2021.

The Board appreciates your understanding and support in helping keep our association strong. Hopefully, we will have a great year in 2021 and we can get back to a lot of norms that we are all accustomed to.

If you have any questions, please call.

Ron Whisenant, SOS President (803-371-4731) Ronnie Gregory, SOS Board Chair (336-213-7053) Robin Morley, ACSC Chairman (828-443-5995)



Go to <u>www.shagdance.com</u> and click on the picture as shown above and you can read it, print it, and save it. You can print 1 page or all pages. This is the first edition that has been put online. Check it out and see what you think! Also, on the front page of shagdance.com there is a link "Quicklink to Archived Carefree Times" click on this link and you can see old Carefree Times all the way back to 1983.

# SUNSHINE NEWS

- Friendship is truly one of the greatest gifts in life. When life gets hard and we find ourselves going through rough times, find comfort in your friends and family and let yourself lean on their strength. So today reach out and touch someone with words of encouragement. Galatians 6:2 "bear one another's burdens and lift each other up".
- Mary Gregory had heart issues that require a hospital stay but has recovered and is doing much better. On behalf of the Burlington Shag Club members we all are wishing Mary a complete recovery and renewed health.
- Kim Sellers our dear president had knee surgery is home and doing great. She is expecting a full recovery.
- Judy Smith a long time member has gone home to be with the Lord. Our deepest sympathy to her family.
- Denise UpChurch a former member pasted away, please remember her family.
- Roy Childress pasted away September 24th a long time member and DJ. Please remember
  Peggy and family in your thoughts and prayers.
  The Burlington Shag Club will so miss your music.
- Kim Sellers Mom was taken to ARMC with a severe UTI infection. She home now recovering, prayers are needed.

Debbie Burnham Sunshine Chair

Please contact Debbie Burnham with Sunshine News <u>dburnham@triad.rr.com</u> 336-491-4927

# November Birthdays

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2021 ACSC Winter Workshop Saturday, January 16, 2021 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM CATCH-UP When Booking ask for **Special Shagger Rate 3 Day Minimum** Meeting will be in OD Resort \$99, \$109 & \$119 **Reservations: 800-438-9590** www.oceandriveresort.com 98 N. Ocean Blvd. NMB, S.C. . . email: reservations@odresort.com 2021 SOS Mid-Winter January 14 - January 17, 2021 NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, S.C. Beach & Boogie Abdiul a Sende, a Hand Shake, Courtiesy and hervice Cindy's STEPHEN STEARNS, SR. ance Floor Office: 336-229-6951 602 Alamance Road Cell: 336-214-5346 Bunington, NC 27215 336.227.8924

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Weddings, Parties and More!!!

## October 31st, 2020 Auction Starts at 11 a.m. You do not need to be present to win!

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**11 Vendors** 

Don't miss this Fun and Inexpensive way to get great stuff! For more information contact 336-214-0283 Amber

The Auction can be watched live on Facebook page. All customers will be given instructions when purchasing virtual paddles. Vendors are

Virtual Paddles

Burlington, NC

1-12.50

2-24.00

3-35.50

Tupperware, Pink Zebra, 31, Hug and Kisses, Mary Kay, DTVD, GoGo Granny, DD & Bella, T's Southern Treasures, **Color Street, Southern Bakery** 

his Auction is part of the BSC Valentine Fundraiser for Authoracare Collective (Hospice Palliative Care of Alamance-Caswellember of





Authoracare Collective (fka Hospice) are considered tax deductible.





# Membership Application

Annual Dues	January 1 - 31 ~ $$25/2$	person Februa	February 1 ~ December $31 \sim $30/person$		
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Friday Shag Nights, club dance events are postponed/canceled until Covid 19 Restrictions are lifted. Please check club emails, club newsletter and Burlington Shag Club Facebook page for updates. We all hope to be back on the dance floor soon! Enjoy this beautiful fall season! Stay safe and healthy!

Business meetings will be held on

October 16, 2020 See page 3 for details. November 20, 2020 Election Night December 12, 2020 Officer and Board Installation and Christmas Party







