

# *THE* BURLINGTON SHAG RAG

BURLINGTON SHAG CLUB  
P.O. Box 1174  
BURLINGTON, NC 27216

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OFFICERS:

President: Mike Flanigan (227-0902)  
Vice-President: Danny Brown (229-4367)

Secretary: Karen Bullard (222-8517)  
Treasurer: Gail Wright (584-0030)

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*Spotlight Gail Wright....*Gail has been the Burlington Shag Club Treasurer for the year 1991. This is a job that carries a great deal of responsibility. Gail keeps a watch over the club monies! She has to be sure all the bills are paid when due, all money is deposited and the account balanced! For a person to assume the duties of club treasurer they must be very meticulous about details and most of all be trustworthy! Gail "fits the bill" for our treasurer....thank you, Gail for an excellent job!!!

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We did not have a general meeting for the month of December. However the Officers and Committee Chairpersons (as many as could attend) met on December 27. Our meeting topics were the up coming club nominations and elections for the 1992 Officers and the functions we would like to hold during the year 1992. Both will be discussed at the January 18, 1992 meeting.

- 1-We have a great schedule of events to propose for 1992! We would like to go over the events planned and discuss cost, place, etc. Some will be free but the others such as the Christmas Party and our Luau will be pay to enter.
  - 2-Plan on nominating people you feel would serve the Burlington Shag Clubs needs. Some of the current Officers plan to run again for offices. However the nominations are open for all members. Also you will need someone to continue the Newsletter, February will be the last by Mike Flanigan.
  - 3-The Shag Rag will be printed by Markell Printing Company. This Represents an additional cost to the BSC. However Master's Tavern and Markell Printing will be running a paid ad each month. This will greatly reduce the newsletter cost. Please remember them for your printing needs and your good time place!!
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***BSC Monthly Meeting, 7:30 PM***  
***Jan. 18, 1992, Alamance Room, Ramada Inn***

## *A Little Stutter Step*

*By Mike Flanigan*

Well, we made it through another year.....GOOD GRIEF it is 1992!! It was just a few years ago it was 1982!! Time can really move as you get older!

It is time to elect officers for the year 1992. Our Bylaws requires the officers be elected from the general membership, by secret written nomination at the January meeting and elected, again by secret ballot, at the February meeting. When nominating someone, please talk it over with that person and remember it not a popularity contest. Nominate people who will work for and promote the Burlington Shag Club on all levels...local and with the Association of Carolina Shag Clubs. It is very important that we have a large number of voting members at both the January and February meetings. In order to have a good election, with proper input, we need to have good attendance. Absentee ballots will be allowed, so if you want a voice in our club (both before and after the election) plan to VOTE and try to attend both meetings! Remember if you do not vote, you have no right to complain later!

We, the current officers, Danny Brown, Karen Bullard, Gail Wright and myself thank you for all the support you have shown us during 1991! We admittedly had a major case of "growing pains" but it was a very good learning experience for all of us! The year 1991 was over all a very good year for our club! Everything we learned helped us to serve our club better!

Danny Brown and Gail Wright would like to continue to serve the BSC in some official office. Please, do not take this as closed nominations, we, like you, want the best people for the job and if you feel someone else can serve the club needs better, then by all means place their name on the nomination ticket (a printed nominating form will be furnished in this newsletter and at the January meeting). Karen Bullard and myself do not wish any office.

In the last newsletter I printed the meeting will be January 17, that was my error. It will be Saturday night, January 18, 1992. I guess my glasses fogged up or something!

The BSC Christmas party was held on December 21, 1991. It was very good! Those of you that missed it really missed a GOOD ONE! The food was good and there was plenty available! Next year it will be earlier in December...hopefully the first Saturday!

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**NOMINATING MEETING, JANUARY 18, 1992  
7:30 PM, ALAMANCE ROOM, RAMADA INN  
BURLINGTON, NC**

# BURLINGTON SHAG CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(DUE JANUARY 1992)

In order to create and maintain an accurate record of our membership, please provide the following information to the Burlington Shag Club.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE: (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (office) \_\_\_\_\_

EMPLOYMENT: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH: (month/day) \_\_\_\_\_ FEMALE: \_\_\_\_\_ MALE: \_\_\_\_\_

MARRIED: YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_ NEW MEMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ RENEWAL: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE PAID: \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT PAID: \_\_\_\_\_

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN LEARNING TO SHAG? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Along with this information, please send your check for membership dues, payable to the Burlington Shag Club, in the amount of \$5.00 for annual membership per person.

The Burlington Shag Club is an organization of volunteers operating through committees that do the work of our nonprofit club. Each member is encouraged to help out by serving on a committee. Please indicate a committee on which you would be willing to serve. It is acceptable to serve on more than one committee if you so choose.

\_\_\_\_\_ A. Entertainment, Hospitality and Ticket Sales

\_\_\_\_\_ B. Telephone and Membership Committee

\_\_\_\_\_ C. Golf Tournament Committee

\_\_\_\_\_ D. Junior Shaggers

Please mail this form and your check to:

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



**Burlington Shag  
Club  
January Meeting**

**At**

**The Ramada Inn  
In  
The Alamance Room**

**Special Menu**

**Hamburger Plate.....\$4.80**

**Grilled Chicken.....\$7.57**

**(Baked Potato, Veg. & Salad)**

**Salad.....\$4.73**

**(Includes Tax & Tip)**

*Please Attend - You Do Not Have To Eat!*

**Date: Saturday, January 18, 1992**

**At 7:30PM**

## STEPPIN' OUT

by Van Williams

%#?\*@!+ Apologies--miscellaneous ramblings--brain ?}\*%# scrambled from overindulgence \*|]@&\* in holiday partying.

Many sponsors of commercial holiday parties were disappointed in their attendance. (The SHAGAWAY event involving the OD Cafe and the Galleon was cancelled due to poor sales.) I've talked to several club owners and managers and they seem to think it's the economy--same thing that hit retailers this year. Perish the thought that we shaggers are simply getting too old to "hang"--most of the Top 40 parties did OK!

Eno Beach Shag Club had its Christmas party at Willowhaven Country Club in Durham, with Mike Lewis as DJ. Fantastic dance floor! The place was jammin'! The Dome hosted a New Year's Eve party with great hors' doeuvres and music by Mike Tewell. You should try some of owner Layton Rhew's hospitality sometime. Heck of a nice guy! Shag night at the Dome is every Thursday.

The Guard in Winston Salem had a roaring success of a New Year's Eve party. The club is a spacious, modern complex with several discrete areas, including a central bar, a large ballroom, and a separate "Beach House". The Shakers played in the ballroom, Mike Lewis in the Beach House, and a piano player with female singer in the center bar--definitely something for everybody. Really an interesting place, if you don't object to clean, new, smoke-free, and adequately air conditioned clubs. Owner/manager Michael Murray, whose father started the Guard almost 20 years ago, is a very personable young man. Introduce yourself as a Burlington Shag Club member if you ever go there!

Prize for best New Year's Day Feast has to go to Shooter McBee's, which featured pineapple-glazed ham, collard greens, black-eyed peas, cajun potatoes, baked beans, wild rice and assorted fixin's, all you could eat for \$4. Who prepared this spread?--none other than Becky McKee's son, Tony, alias "Cat Man" (artist extraordinaire and originator of most of the unique, prize-winning designs on shirts sold by T-S Designs). Lookin' for a little company, a game of pool or darts, and a clean, friendly, home-style pub?--Try Shooter's sometime, but especially on Sunday afternoons. You're probably going to see some of your friends there! Heard a really good keyboard/guitar/sax player/singer there a couple of weeks ago! His name was Maurice Wynn, and M.B. (owner of Shooter's) says he will be back soon.

I keep hearing persistent (well-founded) rumors that Master's will go to Country on Saturday nights due to poor shag attendance. Use it or lose it, guys!

## *Images of Our Christmas Party - 1991*

By The "Whitsett Flash"

It was a bargain night for \$8 per person. Beautiful decorations, all the chicken strips, meat balls and dessert you could eat, good dance music with DJ Gerry Holland and the usual gang of characters to enjoy it all with. Many wonderful "Christmas Gifts" were bestowed on lucky individuals and included such items as Holiday toilet paper, Massingil Douche, bikini underwear, Partridge Family record albums and "R" rated stationary. There was even a "multi-person" Birthday dance featuring Gerry Holland, Duke Justice, Marie Brown, Judy Satterfield, Marilyn Cahoon, Carol Carden, Glenda Horner and Jim Brown and a Spotlight dance by our good friends (and NEW Burlington Shag Club members) from the Durham Shag Club, Jim and Sharon Brown!

The only hitch of the evening occurred when our line dancers could not determine whether to do the Electric Slide or the Electric Boogie. A few toes were scrambled accordingly! We know folks, it's a tough decision!

Special thanks should be given to special people who made this event possible. John and Pat Richmond for overall coordination and loaning of the beautiful Poinsettias that decorated the Carolina Room; Louis Flanigan for the Magnolia leaves and decorating; Autry Barrett for Holly leaves/berries and "supervisory expertise" during decorating; and Danny Brown for decorating, gift drawing and ticket collection; Reba and Curtis Davis for decorating and ticket collection.

With team efforts like this, we are sure to have many more successful events in 1992!

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### *January Birthdays!*

07 Donna Mann  
10 Bonnie Powell  
13 Joan Kimbro  
14 Barbara Lissig  
19 Linda Oldham  
20 Gary Sisk

20 Bill Ray  
21 Pam Isley  
23 Autry Barrett  
23 Louise Flanigan  
23 C. B. Kimbro  
25 Sara Moore

### *HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!*

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### *New Members For January!*

Shanon Horner  
Jim Brown

Jean Middlewarth  
Sharon Brown

*Be Sure to Tell Them Welcome When You See Them!*

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### *What's Happening!*

Jan. 10-12 Midwinter Association Meeting & Shag Classic, N. Myrtle Beach, SC.  
Jan. 18 Burlington Shag Club Monthly Meeting, Ramada Inn  
Feb. 14-16 Association of Carolinas Shag Clubs Workshop, Spartanburg, SC  
Feb. 15 Burlington Shag Club Monthly Meeting, Ramada Inn  
Feb. 21-23 Lake Norman Chicken Pickin, Association Workshop  
Feb. 29-  
Mar. 1 Richard Nixon III Annual DJ Extravaganza, Lake Wyle  
Mar. 21 Burlington Shag Club Monthly Meeting, Ramada Inn  
Apr. 29-  
May 3 SOS Spring Safari  
June 26-28 Summer Fun Festival, Charlotte, Association Workshop  
July 17-19 Association of Carolinas Workshop, Spartanburg, SC  
Sept. 16-20 SOS Fall Migration

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## **Burlington Shag Club Official Nomination Form**

Please fill in the name or names of your choice for each office.

President: \_\_\_\_\_

Vice-President: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

Treasurer: \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like to mail in your nominations, please, sign your name below and mark the outside of the envelope "NOMINATION"

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: Burlington Shag Club  
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(NOMINATION)

*Shag At*  
**MASTER'S**  
Ramada Inn, Burlington, NC  
DJ's for January and February

Jan. 10 - Bob Bullard  
Jan. 11 - Phil Wells  
Jan. 17 - Linda Maccia  
Jan. 18 - Joe Pope  
Jan. 24 - Mike Lewis  
Jan. 25 - Bob Bullard  
Jan. 31 - Steve Baker

Feb. 1 - Linda Maccia  
Feb. 7 - Steve Baker  
Feb. 8 - Gene Petty  
Feb. 14 - Bob Bullard  
Feb. 15 - Butch Metcalf  
Feb. 21 - Gerry Holland  
Feb. 22 - Steve Baker  
Feb. 28 - Bob Bullard  
Feb. 29 - Phil Wells

**Monday:**  
Free HOR'S D'OEUVRES  
5PM - 7PM  
Draft Beer - \$1.00

**Thursday:**  
Free HOR'S D'OEUVRES  
5PM - 7PM  
Draft Beer - \$1.00

**Tuesday:**  
Free HOR'S D'OEUVRES  
5PM - 7PM  
Draft Beer - \$1.00

**Friday: Shag Night**  
Free HOR'S D'OEUVRES  
5PM - 7PM  
Vodka Tonic - \$1.75  
Draft Beer - \$1.00

**Wednesday:**  
Free HOR'S D'OEUVRES  
5PM - 7PM  
Draft Beer - \$1.00

**Saturday: Shag Night**  
Mararitas - \$2.50

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