



SHAG RAG

April
2023

Burlington Shag Club

www.burlingtonshagclub.com



Notes from the President

Happy April Burlington Shag Club!

Yes O Yes its April and shaggers will be headed to North Myrtle Beach for the SOS Spring Safari 10-day event. This annual event is a shag lover's heaven filled with activities from morning, noon and night in Fat Harolds, Ducks, Pirates Cove, OD Arcade, Hoto's and Spanish Galleon. In the mornings, there will be Carolina Shag classes taught by the champion dance instructors (Charlie and Jackie, Sam and Lisa, Steven Balock and Myers Floyd and Ashley and Tobitha). Beach music bands are in clubs in the afternoons and at night. And of course, your favorite beach music DJs will keep the clubs filled nonstop with the best beach boogie and blues for you to dance till you drop. The crown jewel of the week will be the SOS Parade on Saturday April 22nd at 1pm. Thousands of onlookers will line the streets as floats, cars, golf carts and troop groups from Association of Carolina Shag Clubs (ACSC) trek down Main Street and Ocean Drive spreading the joy of beach music and shag dance. This year's theme is the "Good Old Days" and Burlington Shag Club has created what we believe to be another 1st place worthy entry. It's not too late to join in the fun by being a float participant or cheer for us as a parade spectator! We will celebrate our win or forget our loss at the parade after party ("Burlington Shag Club Tea Party") at the OD Arcade 6-8pm, all BSC members are invited. Oh, and there is this wonderful grand strand of beach to enjoy when not dancing the day away. You will usually find a stretch of shaggers enjoying the ocean, sun and fun in front of Tilghmans, Ashworth, OD Resort and in front of Ocean Bay Club Resort. Just look for a sea of umbrellas, tents, corn hole and lots of beach music sounds. You can find everything you need to know about club schedules and activities in the SOS Spring Issue of Carefree Times on www.shagdance.com/CFT-ONLINE/ArchivedCFT/2023/2023SpringCFTWeb.pdf.

March was a fun and productive month for our club. Friday shag nights had an average attendance of 80+ with some great DJs. We had members working hard on some cold and rainy Saturday mornings building and painting one of the most creative floats in club history. Rack N Rolls provided us with an awesome St Patrick's Day party. Thank you, owners Robert and Sharon Searcy! We were working on our dance steps for SOS with Shivers taught by Cindy Foust and a Reverse Belly Roll with David and Shelley Lassiter. We had a road trip to Reidsville to party with sister shag clubs at the Steppin Out Shag Club Mardi Gras party. What a spread of food! A ton of party baskets were auctioned and great music by DJ Ron Russ.

Don't miss out on all this fun. There is so much more to come. We hope to see you at the Parade Cookout on April 2nd where you can see the hard work and creativity of the float committee. You can support this event by purchasing a \$15 T-shirt featuring our float's theme. See Kim Sellars to order your T-shirt. We have a Cucaracha line dance class on April 7th followed by DJ Brent Lloyd. There are no Friday Shag nights during SOS. Friday shag night will return on April 28th with our business meeting followed by DJ Furman Dominick. Now that's a lot of fun lined up for the best shag club around!

A quick reminder of upcoming dates:

- April 2nd Parade Cookout 2pm at Mike Wilson's place
- April 7th Line Dance "Cucaracha" 6pm
- April 13th -23rd Spring Safari SOS
- April 28th Business meeting 7pm

Together let's make it a great year of dancing, fun and fellowship!
Darlene Oakley, President



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7:00pm -11:00pm
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BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES

March 17, 2023

Andrea Loy,
BSC Secretary



PRESIDENT'S REMARKS – (Darlene Oakley) welcomed and called the meeting to order at 7pm. We sang Happy Birthday to the ones present with March birthdays.

SECRETARY'S REPORT – (Andrea Loy) Approved the minutes from the February meeting. Lee Neese made motion to accept Mary Gregory 2nd. The motion passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT – (Scott Loy), shared the balances of the General Account and the Special Account. Motion to accept the Treasurer's Report was made by Jack Oakley and seconded by Dawn Lewis. The motion passed.

SUNSHINE REPORT – (Lucy Duval) Lucy asked members to share their good news along with their concerns/ prayers for club members. See Newsletter for details.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' REPORT – Mike Wilson reported on the BOD meeting. Allen Roney made a motion for the charities for the 2024 Valentine event to be split between AuthoraCare and Meals on Wheels. Kim Sellars made motion and Martha Shoffner 2nd. Motion carries. Membership party will be October 7th at Woodside. The membership was polled to keep the Woodside contract and Topsy Bartender contract (total \$1650 which are non-refundable funds) for the membership party and this amount will not be transferred back to the special funds account. The next BOD Meeting will be April 27th at Rack and Rolls.

Old Business

SOS Parade Update – Parade is April 22nd – 1pm - Theme - Good Ole' Days. Will begin to assemble float at 8 am next to Kroger – all help is needed. All BSC member cookout is April 2nd at Mike Wilson's at 2pm. On Monday March 27th assembly training will take place at Mike Wilson's at 5pm. Discussion on will we donate the \$300 prize to the SOS Hall of Fame if we win – would like to let the membership vote on this after SOS at the next business meeting. The after-parade party will be April 22nd 6-8 pm at OD Arcade – thank you Ronnie and Mary. Still selling t-shirts – see Kim Sellars to purchase. Still selling SOS cards – see Kim Sellars or Mary Gregory.

Luau – date July 15 at the Alamance Country Club. We have secured Chigger Woods as DJ and the menu. Cash bar. Flyer will be posted soon. Price is \$35 a person.

Car Show – August 12 10am – 2 pm. In the parking lot at Alamance Community College across from Rack & Rolls. Will have a raffle for rifle and a pistol (52 chances) and we will have food trucks.

DANCE LESSONS – has brought in 35 new club members, 4 re-ups. Total of \$1467.00 has been raised from dance lessons. March 31st David and Shelly Lassiter will be sharing their steps – the Pam, the double Pam and the reverse Belly roll. Average head count for Friday nights has been 83 in attendance. 50/50 has brought in \$916 - thank you Allen Roney and committee.

SOS card sales – See Kim Sellars and Mary Gregory.

New Business – No new business

Thank you to Robert and Sharon for the food they provided for the St Patrick's Party
A motion was made by Darlene to adjourn the meeting, Meeting adjourned at 7:48 pm.

Members Present: 41

Next Meeting: April 28th, 2023, at 7 pm.

Up Coming Events

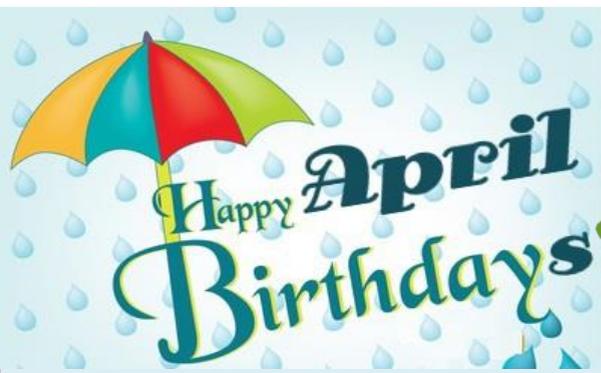
March 25th – Mardi Gras with Steppin Out Shag Club

April 2nd - Parade Cookout 2 pm

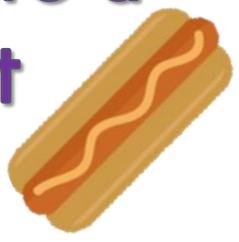
April 13th-14th Spring Safari SOS



Attention:
Due to SOS, our April business meeting is scheduled for Friday, April 28th, at 7pm. Summer events are being discussed! Hope you'll join us!



You're invited to a parade float cookout!



Sunday, April 2nd 2:00pm
 Mike Wilson's place.
 4060-M Harper Trail
 Burlington (BYOB)

ALL members are welcome to celebrate the fellowship and hard work of the club!

Steve Williamson	4/1
Josh Allen	4/4
Beth Crutchfield	4/7
Dianne Neese	4/9
Annette Euliss	4/12
Sue Ward	4/16
Jack Oakley	4/19
Wilma Williamson	4/19
Judy Lindley	4/20
Tracy Chaney	4/21
Butch Dowd	4/22
Hugh Walker	4/24
John Collier	4/26
Susan Blaylock	4/27
Pam Hord	4/27
Sissy Tillman	4/27

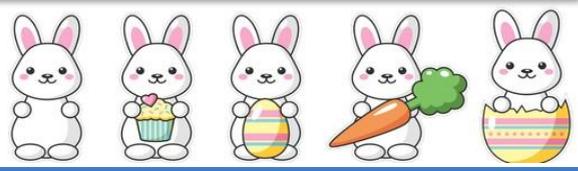
SOS & ACSC Workshop Dates

2023

April 13-23 SOS Spring Safari
 Sept. 14-24 SOS Fall Migration

2024

Jan. 11-14 SOS Mid-Winter
 April 18-29 SOS Spring Safari
 Sept. 12-22 SOS Fall Migration



April DJ Schedule

	April 7	Brent Lloyd						
	April 14	No DJ SOS						
	April 21	No DJ SOS						
	April 28	Furman Dominick						





Burlington, NC

***Just in time for
SOS***

Line Dance Lessons Friday

**April 7
6pm-7pm**

Instructor Janet Swepson

Cucaracha

Shivers (Review)

Members \$5.00 and Non Members \$10.00

Burlington Shag Club Friday Shag Night starts at 7 pm with the best Beach Music DJ. Stay and practice your new steps. No cover charge! Only requirement is to have a great time!

May text questions to Darlene 919-451-0790

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March Board of Directors Report

The March BoD meeting was held on March 16. All officers and board members were in attendance.

- The parade float was discussed at length.
- 2023 events were discussed including our Membership Appreciation party, Luau, Car Show, Friday Shag Nights, and dance lessons.
- Our 2024 Valentines benefit was discussed.
- The new North Myrtle Beach beach gathering ordinance was discussed.

The next BoD meeting will be April 27.

Celebrate
May Birthdays

Danny Arnette	5/1
Ronnie Hornaday	5/3
Lynn Whited	5/3
Karla Lambert	5/12
Kim Askew	5/16
Karla Callahan	5/17
Shelley Lassiter	5/17
Traci Reid	5/21
Larry Jordan	5/23
Donna Holmes	5/24
Janice Marshall	5/24
Baxter Sellars	5/27
Roy Caudle	5/29
Vicki Stafford	5/30



May DJ Schedule

May 5	Chigger Woods
May 12	Kitty Earles
May 19	Ron Russ
May 26	Brent Lloyd



SUNSHINE NEWS



Prayer needs:

- Cindy Allen had surgery on her shoulder. She is receiving PT and improving.
- Doug Keaton had surgery on his ankle and the healing process has begun.
- Former club member, Patricia "Trish" Maness, passed away March 23rd. The family will have a memorial service at a later date.

"No matter what storm you face, you need to know that God loves you.
He has not abandoned you." Franklin Graham

Lucy DuVall
Sunshine Chair

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SOS Carefree Times 2023 Spring Safari Online Edition



Celebrate our 25th DJ's

The 2023 Spring Carefree Times is now available at www.shagdance.com, just click on the link to view. It is FULL of entertaining and informative articles, including club schedules, dance workshops, and store savings. It is the essential guide to all SOS happenings so you can BE where you want to BE! You can also learn some history about legacy that IS THE CAROLINA SHAG!



Pitchers

Beer

Wine

BSC Members:

Please register at Table
Get an Armband
you will get 2 tickets

Burlington Shag Club After Parade Tea Party



Date: Saturday, April 22, 2023

Location: OD Arcade

Time: 6:00 - 8:00PM

Soft Drinks

Water



**Thank you
to our 2023
sponsors!**



Angela's Embroidery
William Tickle
Judy Bateman for Bernie Simber
Alamance Glass
County Ford
Cox CDJR
Ernest Koury Jr.
Grill 584 / Teena Koury
McClure Funeral Home
Pate Real Estate
Rack & Rolls
Select Bank



WBAG - Joe Gray (Gray Broadcasting)
The Dress Boutique at Merle Norman

All Transmission Repair
Askew-Peterson Monuments
Bynum Sharpe Motors
Cardwell Trucking & Stone Center
Duncan Exxon
Fidelity Bank
Garden Tire & Automotive
Homestead Steakhouse & Restaurant
Imports Europa
Jack & Darlene Oakley
Maria Clapp
Modern Chevrolet
Perdue Body Shop
Shadybrook Kennels
Stearns Ford (in memory of Stephen Stearns)
Wilson Tire Pros & Automotive

thank you!

Thank You



*thank
you*



Buddy Baker & Kaye Jones
Martha Shoffner
The Tire Center of Burlington



Burlington Shag Club's



2nd. Annual Car Show

Welcome

Cars
Trucks



Saturday, Aug. 12, 2023
10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Entry Fee: \$20.00 per vehicle
Registration closes at 11:00 am
Trophies Awarded at 2:00 pm

First 50 entries to pre-register are entered for \$100.00 drawing!

To Pre-register: Phone: 336-214-2875 - Buddy Richardson
Email: richardson.buddy32@yahoo.com

Location: **Rack & Rolls**, 1243 Plaza Drive, Burlington, NC 27215



Proceeds go to living Free Ministries



R&R is not responsible for accidents, theft or injury

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WWW.SHAGDANCE.COM

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2023 SOS Cards are available to purchase through the Shag Club for \$30. Please see Kim Sellars or Mary Gregory to get your card.

Newsletter Deadline for the May Shag Rag is April 24th. Please email any items you want to be considered for publication to maxkim63@aol.com.

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



Membership Application



Annual Dues

January 1 - 31 ~ \$25 / person

February 1 - December 31 ~ \$30 / person

YEAR _____

NAME (HIS) _____ (HERS) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY / STATE / ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____

CELL PHONE (HIS) _____ (HERS) _____

BIRTHDAY (HIS) _____ (HERS) _____

EMAIL (HIS) _____ (HERS) _____

NEW MEMBER RENEWAL MEMBER HALL OF FAME PAST PRESIDENT

COMMITTEES I AM INTERESTED IN...

ENTERTAINMENT DJ MEMBERSHIP GOLF TOURNAMENT
 NOMINATION SUNSHINE HISTORIAN CHARITABLE FUND RAISING

CHECK \$ _____ # _____ CASH \$ _____ TOTAL PAID \$ _____

MEMBER'S SIGNATURE _____

CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

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

CLUB USE ONLY

Sec's Initials _____ Date rec'd _____ Card Issued Card Mailed Date _____

Calendar of Events

*BSC Business Meetings and Friday Shag Nights
Rack & Rolls, 1243 Plaza Dr. Burlington, NC*

- April 7 7pm Shag Night..... DJ Brent Lloyd
April 13-23 SOS Spring Safari..... N. Myrtle Beach, SC
April 14..... No DJ – SOS
April 21..... No DJ – SOS
April 28 7pm Business meeting, Shag Night..... DJ Furman Dominick
May 5 7pm Shag Night..... DJ Chigger Woods
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