

# SHAG RAG

## Comments & Important Reminders

*Lynda Justice*

### Benefit Promotion

Come out and join us at Center Court in the mall at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, February 7th, to promote the Meals-On-Wheels benefit. We need dancers, ticket sellers, information givers, folks to pass out flyers - just show up - we have a job for you. It is also very much fun! See you at the mall at 7:00 p.m.

### February Meeting

On February 14th, we will have a brief business meeting at 7:30 at the Time Out Lounge. Come out and join us for this meeting before we begin to party at 8:00.

### Jackpot Drawing

Guess what Louise Flanigan? You just missed winning \$125.00 by not being at the meeting. Oh well, at least Charlie's name wasn't drawn for a 4th time! Next jackpot will be \$150.00. Remember, you must be present at the beginning of the meeting to be eligible to win - sorry no exceptions!

### Membership Renewals

This issue (February) will be your last issue of the Shag Rag if you have not renewed your membership. Go ahead and renew now so that you will not miss a single issue of this great publication. Where else can you get so much information and much more for only \$10.00?

### SOS Membership

Please remember to send in your SOS application (along with \$30.00) as soon as possible so that we can get them in the mail. The sooner the better!!!

### Great News!

At our Christmas party, we (along with St. Paul's United Methodist Church) kicked off a fund raiser for Joe and Barbara Pope. As of January 10th, over \$11,200 has been given to this very worthy cause. Let's keep this fund growing!

For the last few Friday nights, some of our better shaggers have given their time and patience to teach some of the other members new steps or to help them refine their steps. This is a really nice gesture on their part. You know who you are, and your "lessons" are appreciated.

### Minutes Of The January Business Meeting *Dotty Whaley*

1. Treasurer Report - current balance \$1,288.22.
2. Jackpot drawing (\$125) - Winner, Louise Flanigan - not present, February's jackpot goes to \$150.
3. Twenty-nine members were in attendance.
4. Lynda reminded everyone to:
  - a. re-up after the meeting (and get your dot for Mid-Winter).
  - b. attend the Piedmont Party Shaggers first event to be held at Thirsty's on January 25th.
  - c. attend the Meals On Wheels mall dance February 7th from 7-9 p.m.
  - d. attend the Meals On Wheels benefit to be held February 14th and 15th.
  - e. pay for your SOS membership through the club (for the \$5 discount) by February 25th.

f. think about whether we want to enter a float in the Spring SOS parade.

g. be present at 8:00 p.m. on meeting nights to be eligible for the jackpot drawing.

5. After discussion, it was decided to hold a brief meeting in February (2/14).

6. After discussion, it was decided to table our next donation to Joe Pope for another month.

7. After little discussion, it was decided the newsletter will be proofread in its entirety prior to copying.

8. After discussion, it was decided our club (our club DJs) would not attend the Juke Joint Joust.

9. After discussion, it was decided our club would still meet on a monthly basis.

10. Steve McHone and Jim Phipps volunteered to be Co-Chairmen of the Golf Committee.

11. Carol Oakley, Judy Satterfield, Peggy Childress, and Ellen Dodson volunteered for the Telephone Committee chaired by Jonnie Ellington.

12. Jesse Justice re-upped and David Oakley volunteered for the 50/50 committee.

13. A motion was made for the club to hold their own New Year's Eve Parties and to start looking for a place.

14. Al Fogleman asked that all donations for the Meals On Wheels silent auction be handled through Carol Oakley.

**\$\$\$ Jackpot \$\$\$**  
Jackpot now stands at \$150. You could be the lucky winner!! Just be at the business meeting from start to finish.

## 1997 Officers

### President

Lynda Justice  
584-6826

### Vice President

Evelyn Turner  
584-3451

### Secretary

Dotty Whaley  
227-5937

### Treasurer

Buddy Whaley  
227-5937

## Committee Chairpersons

### 50/50

Jesse Justice  
584-6826

### Newsletter & Entertainment

Evelyn Turner  
584-3451

### Membership

Bob Maccia  
226-8811

### Golf

Steve McHone  
226-8140

### Remembrance

Lynda Justice  
584-6826

### Telephone

Jonnie Ellington  
227-1994

### Benefit

Al Fogleman  
229-4015

February Birthday Nite &  
General Business Meeting

Friday, February 14, 1997  
Time Out Lounge  
Meeting 7:30 p.m.  
Jackpot Drawing  
(You Must Be Present To Win!)

Birthday Cake & Great Music  
DJ - Murl Augustine &  
Roy Childress

## **A.C.S.C. 1997 Mid-Winter Meeting**

*Lynda Justice*

On Saturday, January 18th, I attended the first of our three required ACSC meetings (I had to go all alone since Rick stood me up - something about he didn't get to bed until late or should I say early?). Anyway, Saturday dawned pretty cold, 25° with a wind of course. I finally get ready and head off to the Surf Club for the 9:00 check-in and 9:30 meeting. Hand out flyers for our Meals On Wheels benefit, visit with a few old friends, grab a sweet roll and the meeting is ready to start promptly at 9:50 - seems we missed our starting time again, oh well. Here are some briefs from the meeting:

- Eighty-three (83) clubs were represented at the meeting, representing over twelve (12) thousand shaggers.
- The number of shag clubs in the association is down.
- The membership in those shag clubs is down.
- We have now contributed \$40,000 of our \$100,000 pledge to Hospice.
- Tram service for SOS will run from Cherry Grove to Windy Hill and you must have your SOS membership card showing to be able to ride.
- We were asked to please refer to the money paid to SOS as a membership or dues, not as a ticket or pass, since we are paying for a membership in an organization - not just a ticket to a party.
- District #2 (that's us) will be eligible to bid for the 1999 Winter Workshop if anyone is interested.
- Pirate's Cove is now a member of SOS and all regulations apply. The only club now not a member is the Boulevard Grill.
- There will again be an SOS parade in the spring. More later.
- Judy Vick and her study group are still researching the millennium and year 2000 party. We were asked to keep this in mind when making our party plans. The dates for this event (if everything works out) will be 12/26/99 thru 2/2/2000.
- A lady from Rhode Island attended the meeting and is making plans to start a shag club there.
- Please send articles to the *Carefree Times* - they need articles.

I think that's about it for the highlights - all that I can remember anyway. I will try to have more from the Winter Workshop being held in Charleston in February (gee, I sure hate having to go, but it is a required meeting, isn't it?)

## **Advertise in the Shag Rag**

Business Card	\$15.00	3 months
(Jan-Dec)	\$55.00	1 year
1/4 Page	\$30.00	3 months
1/2 Page	\$45.00	3 months

## **Club Sponsors**

The following businesses have agreed to give a 10% discount, unless otherwise indicated, to Burlington Shag Club members:

Asher-McAdams Drug Store  
B & H Trophies  
Best Western Motel  
(commercial room rate \$49 plus tax)  
Buck & Bass (except firearms)  
Candy Brooks Dance Studio  
Don's Music City (30%)  
Koury's Dress Shop  
Maxwell Volkswagen-Volvo-Subaru  
(parts only)  
Mike Flanigan's Clock Shop  
Modern Linoleum & Tile Co.  
Roses Discount Furniture  
(Discount given by Buzz Griggs only)  
Sawyer Exterminating  
Stainback's Florist  
Style Craft Interiors  
Western Charcoal Steak House (5%)

These establishments are very gracious to give us the discounts. Take advantage of them and thank them.

## ***Monthly Meeting Attendance***

*The attendance at our monthly business meetings has been very good recently. Members who come bring up items to discuss and voice their opinions. It's good to see our people having more interest and being more involved in the decision makings of our club. For those of you who have not attended a meeting, please come out and see how and why plans and decisions are being made. Remember this club is for the benefit of all its members. Please be a part of it, your participation is greatly appreciated.*

# DJ Schedule

Feb 7	Bill Moore
Feb 14	Muri Augustine, Roy Childress
Feb 15	Joe Pope Gerry Holland Roy Childress Muri Augustine
Feb 21	Van Williams
Feb 28	Ron Russ
Mar 7	Roy Childress
Mar 14	Ann Andrews
Mar 21	Mike Lewis
Mar 28	Ron Russ

## Belated Congratulations !!

Congratulations are in order for Ellen Dodson as she is the proud grandmother of twins!! Son Johnny and daughter-in-law Denise delivered a beautiful baby girl named Sydney and cute baby boy named Spencer on October 30th. Now Ellen has to be twice as fast when she has baby-sitting duty.

## Membership Application

Below is your new SOS membership application. In order to only pay \$30, you must fill this in and send or give it to Lynda Justice or Dotty Whaley by February 25th. Otherwise, your cost will be \$35.



# Happy Birthday To You

## February

4 Rick Wolfe  
4 Mike Gumula  
8 Bob White  
9 Laurel Parker  
11 Ron Wilkerson  
13 Mack Maynor  
14 Teena Poole  
15 Frankie Johnson  
17 Larry Tew  
17 Steve Coleman  
18 Dickie McAdams  
19 Dianne Hill  
19 Linda Thompson  
20 Joe Pope  
21 James Ford  
24 Dwight Barnette  
25 Aurelia Curtis  
26 Marlene Harrison  
27 Joan Stewart  
28 Ralph Johnson

## March

1 Orton Jones  
3 Jonnie Ellington  
3 Merle Prim  
3 Ann Capps  
6 Vic Gillespie  
6 Carol McCauley  
7 Ron Russ  
10 Pat Gumula  
11 David Satterfield  
11 Cookie Fogleman  
17 Nita Wilson

## WBAG Radio - 1150 AM

WBAG has a new General Manager for the radio station, Phil Kehr. Many of you remember Phil from 106.5 out of Salisbury. I spoke with Phil recently and he advised that currently they are playing some old time beach music during the 3:00-6:00 pm time slot each afternoon, mixed in with other music. Phil hopes by Spring they will have a regular time slot for beach and shag music. He said he would be dropping by to see us at Best Western on some Friday nights. It is good to have him in our area and hopefully our shag club and the radio station can find ways to help each other. ET

## Welcome - New Members

*Loretta Lee  
Johnny Michaels  
Betty Wilkerson  
Jimmy & Brenda Bare  
John Hundley  
Tim & Susan Matthews  
Larry Smith  
Glenda Harris  
Tas Ward  
Ron Wilkerson*

## 1997 S.O.S. MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(Photocopies are acceptable)  
(Please write legibly)

Name: 1. (last) \_\_\_\_\_ (first) \_\_\_\_\_ (middle init) \_\_\_\_\_  
2. (last) \_\_\_\_\_ (first) \_\_\_\_\_ (middle init) \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address 1. \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: 1. (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Evening) \_\_\_\_\_  
2. (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Evening) \_\_\_\_\_

Were you an S.O.S. Member in 1996:  yes  no

Memberships \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$35.00 + Total Enclosed



MAIL YOUR CHECK OR MONEY ORDER TO  
S.O.S. / P. O. BOX 4688 / COLUMBIA, SC 29204

## Just Being There Was An Honor!

*Susan Harrell*

From the moment we sat down to fill out our registration form for the preliminaries to the National Shag Dance Championships, down to the last beat of the music in our dance routine, it was an honor to us just knowing we would be on stage with some of the "Best Of The Best". Judy and David and Kevin and I would often say to each other, "Can you believe we are actually doing this?"

The weekend started with our exhibition dance at Myrtle Square Mall, Center Court, on Friday at 3:00 pm followed by a meeting at Beach Music Cafe at 4:00 for all dancers. The contest started at 8:00 sharp so that left little time for eating or resting, but still there was plenty of time to get nervous. By 8:00 pm the place was packed, downstairs and the balcony! Friday's dancers were the qualified and Non-Pro contestants (us), qualified and Junior contestants, the 1996 Non-Pro Champions, and the 1996 Junior and Overall Champions. Saturday's dancers were Non-Pro contestants (us), Masters, Pros, Juniors, and the 1996 Masters & Pro

Champions. The Grand Finale was Charlie Womble and Jackie McGee's National Shag Dance Team. I had chills watching eight couples all dancing, turning, spinning, pausing, and dipping at exactly the same time. What a performance!

After a short wait, the dancers who made the cut to go to the Finals were announced. No, none of us made the cut, but that really didn't matter, we had a whole lot of fun, spent two days with friends and did something we really love to do. Our local friends, Johnnie Tomlinson and Wade Adler, and Sharon and Jim Brown did make the cut and will go on to compete in the Nationals in March. We can't wait to go and watch and cheer them on.

### National Shag Dance Championships

March 6-8, 1997

Celebrity Square, Broadway at the Beach  
Myrtle Beach, SC

### Piedmont Party Shaggers

*Lynda Justice*

The Piedmont Party Shaggers inaugural event was a huge success (in this reporter's opinion). If there had been many more in attendance, we would have had to take turns standing outside. For a while, there was more room on the dance floor than room to stand. All four participating clubs had great individual attendance (Burlington had 29 if I counted correctly - all officers and committee chairpersons were present - way to go you guys), but Durham really out did themselves, they had 56 members (came in a bus). Danville had a great crowd as always and of course Greensboro was out in full force. I felt I had a rather good idea for Greater Triad's president, Kay Cottingham, regarding the next event (March 15th to Durham) - I suggested that they rent a bus and since they would pass right by Burlington, they should stop by and pick us up - sounded good to me, whatdaya think?!

The entire evening was just fantastic! The food and music were great, but starting new and renewing old friendships was even better. A special thanks to you (especially BSC members) for spending your Saturday night with the

*Piedmont Party Shaggers and I am personally looking forward to partying with the Eno Beach Shag Club in March. For those of you who did not attend - you missed a great time and hope that you will try to fit us in your plans for March.*

#### Treasurer's Note

As the club's new treasurer, I have two requests:

1. Please turn receipts in on a monthly basis for tracking cost accurately (Note: receipts are required for reimbursement).
2. When possible, get a check from me beforehand to make club purchases.

Thank you, Buddy Whaley

### CURRENT MEMBERSHIP - 114

If you have a special event in your life, engagement, wedding, babies, grandbabies, (all that kind of stuff), let me know and we will put your good news in our newsletter.  
ET

# Member Spotlight

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**Name:** Laurel J. Parker  
**Birthdate:** February 9, ??  
**Marital Status/Spouse's Name:** Michael E. Parker  
**Children/Grandchildren:** None  
**Nickname:** None  
**Birthplace:** Oshkosh, Wisconsin  
**High School:** Oshkosh High  
**College/Technical School:** University of Wisconsin, Oshkosh  
**Place of work/Job title:** Redland Transportation-East; Assistant Claims Manager  
**Member of B.S.C. since:** 1996  
**When I learned to shag:** (Haven't yet - just started in 1995 - am spending all my money on lessons to no avail!)  
**Favorite Shag Event:** Never been to one yet, except for the Shag Club Christmas party.  
**Favorite Shag Song:** Carolina Girls  
**Best book I have read:** The Road Less Traveled, M. Scott Peck  
**Favorite restaurant:** Side Tracks  
**Hobbies:** Golf, Tennis, Drawing  
**Pet Peeve:** Lazy people  
**When I was a child, I was teased about:** Nothing - guess I was boring or too normal.  
**Favorite college team:** Tarheels  
**Favorite beer/wine/mixed drink:** Zima and/or Tequila  
**Dream vacation:** 2 weeks in the islands...  
**Celebrity I would like to meet:** Michael Chang  
**Favorite TV show:** Millennium  
**When nervous, I:** Pick at my fingernails.  
**I wish I could:** Remember my name (now that I'm ancient)

# Member Spotlight

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**Name:** Michael Parker  
**Birthdate:** January 10, 1952  
**Marital Status/Spouse's Name:** Laurel J. Parker  
**Children/Grandchildren:** 2 daughters...Jennifer Michelle Parker and Paige Elizabeth Parker.  
**Nickname:** Mike  
**Birthplace:** Baltimore, Maryland  
**High School:** Southern Wayne High  
**College/Technical School:** Alamanca Community College  
**Place of work/Job title:** Full time student.  
**Member of B.S.C. since:** 1996  
**When I learned to shag:** High school (still learning)  
**Favorite Shag Event:** Spring SOS  
**Favorite Shag Song:** Move Across The River  
**Best book I have read:** Hate to read (might learn something).  
**Favorite restaurant:** McDonalds.  
**Hobbies:** Golf, computers  
**Pet Peeve:** Goal-less people.  
**When I was a child, I was teased about:** Being too skinny...(look at me now...ha ha).  
**Favorite college team:** Tarheels.  
**Favorite beer/wine/mixed drink:** Pina Colada  
**Dream vacation:** Back to Cancun...  
**Celebrity I would like to meet:** Demi Moore  
**Favorite TV show:** Millennium  
**When nervous, I:** Smoke  
**I wish I could:** Shag like Susan and Kevin!



**4th Annual  
Meals-on-Wheels  
Benefit Dance**

*sponsored by the  
Burlington Shag Club*

**Saturday  
February 15, 1997  
Ramada Inn  
Convention Center  
I-85 South  
Burlington, NC**

**PRE PARTY**

*Friday, Feb. 14th  
Time Out Lounge  
Best Western Motel  
8:00 pm - 1:00 am  
Dee Jays  
Murl Augustine  
Roy Childress & Joe Pope*

**\$100 CASH  
GIVE-AWAY  
AT 11:00 P.M.**

**FREE  
ADMISSION**



**Main Ballroom**

*Hot Buffet Dinner  
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.*

*Large Silent Auction  
Inside Main Ballroom  
6:30 - 11:15 p.m.*



**Part Time  
Party Time  
Band**

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

*Exhibition Dancers  
10:15 - 11:00 p.m.  
DJ Gerry Holland*

**Duke-Carolina-  
State Room**

*DJs Murl Augustine &  
Roy Childress  
7:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.*

**Something  
for  
everyone!**



**Convenient Location:**  
Just off I-85 at Hwy. 62, Exit 143

**Special rates:**  
\$49 per room

**Reservations:**  
(910) 227-5541

**Ticket Prices**  
*Dinner & Dance tickets  
\$30 per person before Feb. 7  
Dance Only tickets:  
\$15 per person before Feb. 14  
\$20 per person at the door*

**Make checks payable to:**  
Alamance County Meals-on-Wheels

**Mail to:**  
508 W. Davis St.  
Burlington, NC 27215  
(910) 228-8815

Tickets will be mailed if money is received before February 7th, otherwise they will be held at the door.



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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

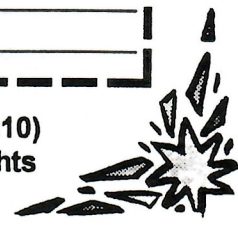
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Shag Club Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

No. of Dinner & Dance Tickets @ \$30.00 each \_\_\_\_\_

No. of Dance Only Tickets @ \$15.00 each \_\_\_\_\_

**For more information, call Sawyer Exterminating at (910) 226-1448 days or Lynda Justice at (910) 584-6826 nights**



**Committee  
Members for 1997**

**50/50**

\*Jesse Justice  
David Oakley

**Golf**

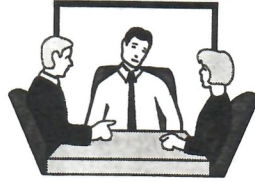
\*Steve McHone  
\*Jim Phipps  
Steve Coleman  
Pam McHone  
Mike Parker  
Rick Turner

**Telephone**

\*Jonnie Ellington  
Peggy Childress  
Ellen Dodson  
Carol Oakley  
Judy Satterfield

**Membership**

\*Bob Maccia  
Linda Maccia



**Entertainment**

\*Evelyn Turner  
Susan/Kevin Harrell  
Vickie/George Lewis  
Dotty/Buddy Whaley  
Rick Turner

**Benefit**

\*Al Fogleman  
Jonnie Ellington  
Susan/Kevin Harrell  
Lynda/Jesse Justice  
Vickie/George Lewis  
Martha Mobley  
Carol/David Oakley  
Evelyn/Rick Turner  
Dotty/Buddy Whaley

**CURRENT TOP HITS  
according to our own  
Roy and Rockin' Ron**

Drinkin' Wine Spo-Dee-O-Dee ..... Nappy Brown  
Harlem Hit Parade ..... Little Isodore  
Woman Look What You're Doing To Me.....  
..... Luther "Guitar Jr." Johnson  
Wall To Wall ..... Vance Kelly  
Been There, Done That ..... Francine Reed  
One By One..... Cher  
I Will Always Love You..... Sarah Washington  
Love The Man..... Miranda Louise  
Whenever You Want My Time..... The Real Thing  
Double Bogey Blues ..... Mickey Jones  
Memories & Souvenirs ..... Freda Payne  
Sho' Enough ..... Tommy Castro  
Let's Work Together ..... Francine Reed  
The Hammer ..... Greg Fingers Taylor  
Midnight Special..... Little Richard  
Club Savoy ..... Rockin' Louie



**BURLINGTON SHAG CLUB, INC. MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Name			
Address			
City, State, ZipCode			
Employer (his)	Employer (hers)		
Work Phone (his)	Work Phone (hers)		
Birthday (his)	Birthday (hers)	Home Phone	

*Please take a few minutes to answer the questions below:*

Would you be willing to work on a committee if asked to help?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Do you have a special talent you could contribute to the club?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Do you know the basic shag step?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
If "No", would you be interested in taking lessons?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
Are you willing to have your name, address and phone number published on a membership list? (distributed to members only)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

*Please list any activities/ functions you would like the BSC to organize:*

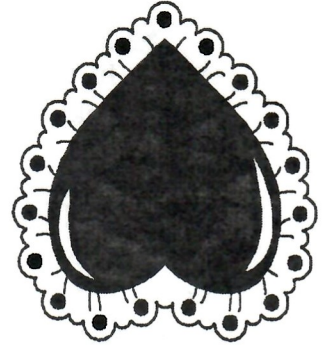
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*Annual Dues: \$10.00 Single, \$20.00 Couple  
Membership Runs From January Through December*

Check       New  
 Cash         Renewal

Signature		Date
<b>DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE - FOR OFFICE USE ONLY</b>		
His number	Date membership card issued	Her number

Mail to: Burlington Shag Club, PO Box 1174, Burlington, NC 27216-1174



Whaley, Buddy & Doty  
 4615 Quarter Creek Lane  
 Liberty, NC 27298

Address Correction Requested

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

## SHAG RAG - FEBRUARY 1997

# Special Events Calendar

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|-----------|---|-----------|---|
| Feb 7     | Burlington Shag Club Exhibition<br>7-9:00 pm, Holly Hill Mall, Burlington   | Mar 6-9   | DJ Throwdown VI - Ducks/Ducks Too<br>North Myrtle Beach, SC           |
| Feb 7-9   | Annual Winter Shag Blast, Atlantic Beach<br>Capital Area Shag Club, Raleigh                                       | Mar 15    | "Piedmont Party Shaggers"<br>at The Dome in Durham, NC                |
| Feb 14    | Burlington Shag Club Monthly<br>Business Meeting 7:30 pm, Birthday Nite   | Mar 21    | Burlington Shag Club Monthly<br>Business Meeting 8 pm & Birthday Nite |
| Feb 14    | Burlington Shag Club<br>Meals-On-Wheels Benefit Pre-Party<br>Best Western Inn - Time Out Lounge                   | Apr 11    | Burlington Shag Club Monthly<br>Business Meeting 8 pm & Birthday Nite |
| Feb 15    | Burlington Shag Club 4th Annual<br>Benefit for Meals-On-Wheels,<br>Ramada Inn Convention Center<br>Burlington, NC | Apr 11-20 | SOS Spring Safari, North Myrtle Beach                                 |
| Feb 21-23 | ACSC Winter Workshop<br>Charleston, SC  | Apr 26    | IRS Party, Danville Shag Club<br>Danville, VA                         |

**This is your last issue of Shag Rag unless you renew your membership by the end of February!**