



SHAG RAG

Burlington Shag Club

May
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Shagging

Every Friday Night

9:00 p.m.

Master's Lounge

Ramada Inn

Burlington, NC

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Notes from the President ...

Shag Club Members, I am so proud of our club and its members. On April 24, 2010, 42 club members walked or rode down Ocean Boulevard on a float that almost did not happen and brought home yet another "Best Shag Theme" prize. Out of the 42 members, 25 were first time participants. It was also my first win as a president. Together we worked, laughed, planned, worked some more, ate some great desserts, joined hands, said a prayer of thanksgiving, and headed for SOS. One might say we have won enough and that after a point it gets old, well that was not the case this year. As I sat at Robert's watching the girls make 5,000 bead necklaces, I could see friendships being made, I watched the guys building all the props and being so proud. There was so much pride in our finished product and the love for each other was all around. Winning the prize was awesome, but the memories we made over the 4 months will be with each of us forever. When we finally got to the parade and could hear all the people cheering for us and telling us how much they looked forward to seeing what we came up with; we then knew building this float was the right thing to do. Please let me thank every member who worked on the float and supported our effort.

Coming up soon will be our famous Luau. Laverne has some surprises in store for us and she and her committee are already hard at work. Please make plans to attend this event and spread the word, we want to pack the house. Be sure to dress casual and be ready to have a great time.

Friday nights at Master's has changed quite a bit, we are packing the house with more of our members and are blessed to have friends from other clubs stop by to see us too. The non-smoking environment has allowed more people to be able to attend. If you have not been out lately, please stop by, I think you will be surprised and I know you will have a great time.

Summertime is fast approaching and that means travel and fun with family and friends. As you travel, please be safe and when in town, keep us in mind. We will keep you informed of upcoming events as plans are finalized. I am always a phone call away. Please do not forget our 25th Anniversary is coming up in August. We need pictures, names, addresses, memories you can share, and most of all suggestions. Shelia Walker will chair this committee, please get with her and let's make this the best party ever. Friends, we have survived for 25 wonderful years, we need to celebrate big and we need to bring back members who have for various reasons moved on.

I close by saying thanks for giving me the opportunity to serve you and for making me so proud. Now go and do well.

Sharing Helping Always Giving

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Sunshine News

Ellen Dodson's father passed away 4/3/10.

Hal Williams' mother passed away 4/24/10.

Linda Maccia is still having pain. Doctors are deciding what to do next.

Charles Lindley has walking pneumonia.

Casey Lamm's sister is critically ill. She needs your prayers.

Stephen Stearns mother is in the hospital.

Baxter Sellars and Kim Hodge got engaged on the beach at SOS. Congratulations to them.

Delilah Stuart and Byron Tucker got married on the beach 4/25/10. Congratulations to them.

Oops.... I apologize to Doug Foley as I left his name off of the birthday list for April. His birthday was April 19th, so belated birthday wishes go to Doug.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Sheila Bishop	3
Louie Madden	6
Jimmy Lynch	6
Betty Honeycutt	8
Ed Smith	10
Don McKinney	12
Debbie Wilson	14
Shelley Lassiter	17
Kent Davis	20
Don Henley	23
Larry Jordan	23
Selena Ursery	26
Baxter Sellars	27
Libbi Oakes	28
JoAnn Hartness	29
Vickie Stafford	30
Linda Munn	31

DJ SCHEDULE

May 7 - Bob Graves

May 14 - Gerry Holland

May 21 - Roy Childress
Business Meeting

May 28 - Walker Guthrie

June 4 - Chigger Woods

June 11 - Bobby Snyder

June 18
Jerry Burrage
Business Meeting

June 25
Rick Turner

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP - 241

Burlington Shag Club
Business Meeting Minutes for 4/30/10

Members Present:

Kent Bradsher	Kim Hodge	LaVerne Martin	Brenda Smith	Stephanie West
Betty Caviness	Patricia Hodgkin	Pam McHone	Ed Smith	Steve Williamson
Jake Caviness	Pam Hord	Steve McHone	Judy Smith	Debbie Wilson
Joe Davis	Ray Jolly	Dianne Neese	Patti Smith	Mike Wilson
Sandy Davis	Gail Jordan	Lee Neese	Tommy Stafford	
Butch Dowd	Larry Jordan	Jim Parker	Vicki Stafford	
Jonnie Ellington	Jesse Justice	Rhonda Parker	Cynthia Swiggett	
Louise Flanigan	Lynda Justice	Carol Pettigrew	Sissy Tillman	
Judy Gibson	C. B. Kimbro	Steve Pettigrew	Evelyn Turner	
Tommy Graham	Joan Kimbro	David Satterfield	Polly Tuttle	
Ronnie Gregory	Edith Loy	Baxter Sellars	Chuck Upchurch	
Fred Hallaman	Jimmy Lynch	Cindy Sharpe	Denise Upchurch	
Jackie Hallaman	Mary Ann Lynch	Lorna Shively	Jim West	

Steve McHone called meeting to order at 8:03 p.m.

Joan Kimbro welcomed all members present and acknowledged all visitors and new members.

Secretary Report: Lorna Shively reported that there were 16 people who joined since the last meeting, 9 of which were new. This brings our membership total to 241. Review of the 3/19/10 meeting minutes was requested. Brenda Smith made a motion to accept and Sandy Davis seconded. All approved.

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Treasury Report: Ed Smith stated that our current balance is \$5413.71. We had expenses of \$3225.57 and income of \$3763.00 in the last month. There are still a few float expenses left to be paid. Evelyn Turner made a motion to accept this report and Cindy Sharpe seconded. All approved.

SOS Float:

Joan announced that the Burlington Shag Club won for the "Best Shag Theme" for the 8th year in a row. She recognized all those who participated and/or helped. Cindy Sharpe, Fred and Jackie Hallaman presented the plaque. Cindy thanked all who participated for their hard work. Fred said that this was the best club around with their enthusiasm and hard work. Joan expressed her pride at how much the crowd enjoyed us. Out of the 42 members who rode or walked, there were 25 members who participated for the first time. We also owe a great thanks to Robert Mitchell for letting us use his house and garage for our workshop. There were 100 club members at the after party.

Sunshine News: Per Edith Loy—

Ellen Dodson's father died on 4/3	Casey Lamb's sister is terminally ill.
Hal Williams' mother died on 4/24	Charles Lindley has walking pneumonia
Linda Maccia still in a lot of pain	Several past members have family passing or illnesses
Steve Stearns's mother is in the hospital	

Kim and Baxter got engaged at SOS.
Byron and Delilah were married on the beach on 4/26.

Board of Directors: Edith reported that the last meeting was held on 4/7/10. We discussed the ASCAP situation and SOS is still looking into this. It will probably take 2-3 years for this to be resolved. We are OK, since we operate under Ramada Inn's license and the Moose Lodge is a private club. Also, Mary is renewing our non-profit status in May, 2010.

Burlington Shag Club
Business Meeting Minutes for 4/30/10
(continued)

Luau: LaVerne Martin stated that she has gotten a lot of help so far and that the flyers have been sent out to the other clubs. There is a Charleston shoe vendor who has asked to come and set up to sell shoes during the party. An open discussion was held and Lynda Justice made a motion that we decline. Ronnie seconded. Majority approved. Also, do we want to sell a lawn buddy or other item for fund raiser? Yes...LaVerne will look into that. We have invited other clubs, including Rock Hill who is talking about coming.

Moose Lodge: Leonard is stepping down, but has agreed to stay for a couple more months. We should lock in our dates with him before he leaves. Daniel Ellis will be the person to work with after that.

Reunion/25th Anniversary Party: What direction do we want to go in? Give pictures and stories to Joan Kimbro or Shelia Walker. We need to make contact with former members who no longer come out.

Golf Tournament is at Indian Valley on 8/28/10.

Pool Party? The majority voted to have a pool party this year and Joan will need to meet with the Ramada Inn management to confirm.

Dance classes: David and Judy Satterfield will get with Joan regarding new line dance classes.

Upcoming Events: *Come out and support out Coalition clubs. Directions are in the newsletter.*

Danville IRS party: Tomorrow night, 5/1. Starts at 8:00 PM and costs is \$10.00. Several Danville members will be visiting with us tonight.

Eno Beach Sock Hop: 5/15 at the Holiday Inn. \$5.00. From 7-11 PM.

Summer Workshop: Fayetteville on 7/9-7/11

Coalition events: Ronnie stated that the coalition party on the beach at fall SOS was such a success that they want to do it again this year. Also, they want to set up a coalition hospitality room at the summer workshop in Fayetteville. Each club would contribute \$125.00 for expenses. Baxter made a motion to accept this proposal and Cindy Swiggett seconded. All approved.

SOS and alcohol: There are laws against walking around with open beer cans, bottles, etc. Act sensibly and responsibly and you will not be harassed for having it in a cup or can koozie.

Name Badges: Kim Hodge and Sue Weiss made name badges for each member. See Kim if you didn't get yours at the after party.... Wear them on Friday nights so that visitors will know who the members are and we can get to know each other .

MOW: Brenda asked if anyone was working on MOW for next year. Joan asked for someone to volunteer to chair this committee. Ronne Gregory volunteered as chairman.

By-Law changes: The three changes that were previously discussed and printed in the last newsletter (HOF committee, membership fees/reup party and BOD meetings) were brought to the floor again. After much discussion regarding whether these changes were actually needed or if the resolution was already in the by-laws by stating that the president of the club could remove committee members, change meeting/party dates and set meeting dates, Lynda Justice made a motion to table these discussions and vote until another meeting. Jonnie Ellington seconded. All approved.

Newsletter items need to be to Evelyn by Tuesday, 5/4/10.

For Fun Monday tickets to sell, see Joan.

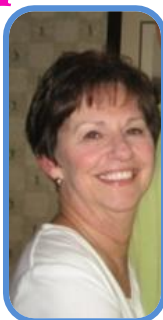
50/50 winner of \$83.00 was Sandy Davis.

Meeting adjourned at 9:05 PM.

Respectfully submitted by: Lorna Shively, Secretary.



**MEMBER
SPOTLIGHT
Edith Loy**



Member of BSC since: 1985
 Occupation: Homemaker
 Place of birth: High Point, NC
 I now live in: Burlington, NC
 Favorite shag song: Too many to list
 Hobbies: None
 Favorite TV show: NCIS, The Good Wife, Carolina basketball
 Children/Grandchildren: Son & daughter-in-law
 Vacation spot I would like to visit: Monte Carlo or Bermuda
 Favorite beer/mixed drink: Miller Lite
 College/University attended: Elon
 If I won the lottery, I would: Keep what I needed to live comfortably - give the rest to my son and my friends
 My best Christmas gift as a child: Child's sewing machine
 Most fun BSC event: Friday nights at Master's
 Least favorite household chore: Ironing, washing windows
 Favorite college team: UNC
 My biggest fault: I don't like making decisions
 Last book I read was: Hard Work by Roy Williams
 Favorite food: Shrimp / Pizza
 What I like to cook: I don't cook much anymore
 Pet peeve: People trying to be what they aren't
 My own comments: I have met some really nice people in the shag club over the years. My friends have helped fill a void in my life, and I look forward to being with them on Friday nights and other events.

Shag Club Name Tags

If you received your shag club name tag at the Parade Party or if you received it at Master's last Friday night, we ask that you hold on to this and not throw it away. These can be used at future functions and will save the club some expense of having to reprint and laminate new ones. Thanks.

**Treasury Report - As Of 3/19/2010
Submitted by Ed Smith**

Starting Balance 3/19/2010	\$4,876.28
Income	\$3763.00
50/50 from March business mtg	58.00
Membership dues for 2010	275.00
Sale of T-shirts	800.00
Sale of SOS cards	780.00
Parade float fee (42 members)	1050.00
Parade float sponsorship	550.00
Parade party donations	250.00
Expenses	-\$3,225.57
DJ services - Mar. 19, 26; Apr 2,9,16	500.00
Stamps	8.80
Send \$ to SOS for sale of 2010 cards	660.00
Parade float supplies	362.67
Parade float rental	520.00
Name badge lanyards	78.00
Greeting cards	3.23
Parade float & scrapbook supplies	74.77
Parade banners	136.00
Parade party charges at Pirate's Cove	805.00
Office Depot charges	17.60
Storage unit rent	59.50
Ending Balance 4/30/2010	\$5,413.71

Advertising Rates for Newsletter/Website

Choice Of Size

Business Card - Quarter Page - Half Page
 All artwork or layouts must be provided.

Rates per size for either Newsletter or Website
 Business Card - \$35/6 months, \$60/12 months
 Quarter Page - \$50/6 months, \$95/12 months
 Half Page - \$85/6 months, \$130/12 months

Rates per size for Newsletter and Website
 Business Card - \$50/6 months, \$90/12 months
 Quarter Page - \$75/6 months, \$130/12 months
 Half Page - \$130/6 months, \$200/12 months

There is an advertising form that must be filled out. If you would like to submit advertising, please see Mary Gregory or Evelyn Turner to obtain one of these forms.

To view additional Parade Pictures, check out:

- www.burlingtonshagclub.com
- www.shagdance.com
- www.shagtour.com

BURLINGTON SHAG CLUB

Burlington Moose Lodge

Presents Our

Annual Luau

"Meet The Area Shag Clubs" Party

Saturday, June 12, 2010

7:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m.

Doors open at 7:00

\$5.00 per person

BBQ & All The Fixings

Served 7:30 - 9:00

Wear Your Tropical Attire

DJs

David Tuttle & Mike Harding

**50/50
DRAWING**

**Large Wooden
Dance Floor**

**DOOR
PRIZES**

Brown Bagging - Limited Bar Available
Beer, Wine, & Set-Ups Only

Directions: From I-85/40, take exit 145 to Hwy 49 South. Turn left onto Hanford Road. Turn at first left (at church) onto service road. Stay on service road appx 1 mile until you see sign on right "Loyal Order of Moose - Burlington Moose Lodge 649". Turn at this sign, Moose Lodge will be at end of the road.

For more information, contact LaVerne Martin at LaVerneMartin@triad.rr.com

or go to our website www.burlingtonshagclub.com

Hotel - Ramada
336-227-5541 - Exit 143
\$59 shag club room rate

Shuttle Service
Between Ramada
and Moose Lodge

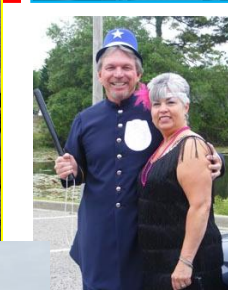
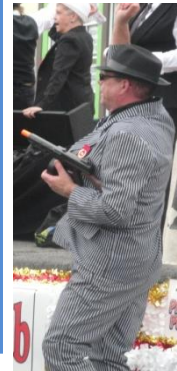
SOS PARADE



SOS SPRING 2010 PARADE

For the eighth (8th) year in a row, **The Burlington Shag Club** has won **1st Place** for their float entry in the **BEST SHAG THEME** category. Those wins were earned due to a lot of hard work, imagination and talent on the part of the participants. Those dedicated groups met almost every Saturday morning (and usually another night or two during the week) from mid January until the middle of April to brainstorm to come up with a theme, just the right song, costumes, props and the float that best fit all of the above, throw items, T-shirts, sponsors, sponsor signs, banners and anything else that was needed to be the best that they could be. It has been a lot of hard work, but so worth the efforts when you see the smiling faces, waving hands of approval and cameras taking pictures all along the parade route. But the most rewarding thing in all of this is the true fellowship you share, the good friends you make while all the preparations are being done, and the friendships that develop during the process. The enthusiasm you share on that float ride, the excitement you share in Harold's while the winners are being announced and the victory of the win you share at the After Party are just beyond words!! ALL OF THIS AND MUCH, MUCH MORE IS WHY WE'RE 25 YEARS OLD AND STILL DANCING!! Gail Jordan







SPRING SAFARI 2010 PARADE



It was just AWESOME, I mean AWESOME!!! After months of planning, working, and final construction, we were finally ready for the SOS Spring Safari Parade. Of course when you enter any competition, you want to win, but whether we won or not, we knew that just participating would be a great experience.

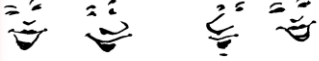
It was a lot of work - a LOT of WORK, but it was also a lot of fun and lots of laughs and good times with old and new friends. We have really talented and creative members who can design and build just about anything - as evidenced in our floats throughout the years.

On parade day, with everything re-assembled on the float, we were ready to head out. We were put into line and waited our turn to get onto Main Street. When our music started, we were ready to rock and roll and entertain the spectators who had lined the streets. Their necks were stretched out looking up Main Street for our float. To see them clapping, jamming to our music, and giving us a thumbs up with big smiles on their faces made it all worthwhile.



Like I said, it was just AWESOME! ET

Meet some
new faces!



Charles & Donna Berry

Linda Munn

Norman Kirby

Sheila Elliott

Tommy Graham

**WELCOME
NEW MEMBERS**

Board Of Directors Meeting

The Board of Directors meeting was held on 4/7/10 at the Downtown Bistro in Gibsonville. Mary called the meeting to order at 6:40.

Concerning ASCAP, SOS is still looking into the matter. It will probably be 2-3years to try and get a blanket coverage. Our club doesn't have to worry about it yet, because the Ramada has a license and the Moose Lodge is a private club.

Our club's not-profit status needs to be sent it by May15. Mary is taking care of this. It has not been done for the past 2 years. If not done by 3 years, they may look at our club.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:55.

Edith

Congratulations ...

To Kim Hodge and Baxter Sellars who became engaged during SOS. Baxter surprised Kim with an engagement ring while sitting on the beach with a group of friends. Best wishes and good luck to them.

To Byron Tucker and Delilah Stuart on their wedding. They were married on the beach at Ocean Drive on April 25th and are spending their honeymoon in Hawaii. Best wishes and good luck to them.



A special note of thanks to Robert Mitchell for opening up his home and workshop to us for our float construction. We met there on Saturday mornings and occasionally on Wednesday nights and had access to numerous tools and wood-working machines - just about anything we needed. Robert did not get to go to SOS, so he was the first person we called when we found out we had won. He said he is already looking forward to next year! Thank you Robert for your warm hospitality and those good chocolate covered peanuts.

June Birthdays



- 2 Connie Sharpe
- 3 Patricia Hodgin
- 4 David Robertson
- 6 Glenda White
- 7 Deborah McAdams
- 9 Sheila Elliott
- 10 Marie Barber
- 11 Kim Hodge
- 12 Judy Gibson
- 16 Sandy David
- 18 David Lassiter
- 19 Marge Hatley
- 23 Anne Baker
- 26 Penny Simmons
- 29 Lorna Shively
- 29 Stephanie Boggs
- 29 Dennis Melton
- 29 Rich Rohrer
- 30 Jackie Hallaman



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Butch Dowd "Smoothie"



Member of BSC since: 2001
 Occupation: Machine Operator at G.E. until layoff
 Place of birth: Burlington
 I now live in: Alamance
 Favorite shag songs: Maxine, Blue Boy
 Hobbies: Old cars/street rods, shagging
 Favorite TV show: COPS
 Children/Grandchildren: 2 sons - 2 grandsons
 Vacation spot I would like to visit: Hawaii
 Favorite beer, wine, or mixed drink: Bud Light, Mudslide/White Russian
 College/University attended: TIA (old ACC)
 If I won the lottery, I would: Pay off everything and set up trusts
 My best Christmas gift as a child: Race car set
 Most fun BSC event: Pool party
 Least favorite household chore: Dusting
 Favorite college team: UNC
 My biggest fault: Smoking
 Last book I read: "The Way Things Ought To Be" - Rush Limbaugh
 Favorite food: Anything grilled
 What I like to cook: Cook?
 Pet peeve: Slow drivers, telemarketers
 My own comments: When I started taking shag lessons, I never thought shagging and BSC would become such an important part of my life. I've made so many wonderful friendships; friends who have stuck by me during some very difficult times. I also met my very special someone due to shagging. I'm very happy to have new members join BSC and participate in our events! This ensures our club will grow and have continued success.

Line Dance Lessons



Friday, May 7th &
 Friday, May 14th
 8:00 p.m.

"Swamp Thang"
 (follow-up)

"Cleveland Shuffle"

Judy & David Satterfield
 Instructors



Our charity golf tournament is set for Saturday, August 28th at Indian Valley Golf Course. Go ahead and put this date on your calendar. More details in a future newsletter.



June Newsletter
 Deadline
 Monday, May 24th
 If you have articles to be considered for the newsletter, please get them to me before May 24th.
 Thanks, ET



THE PARADE PARTY

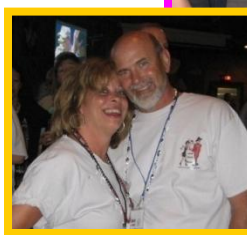


Celebrating with Great Friends

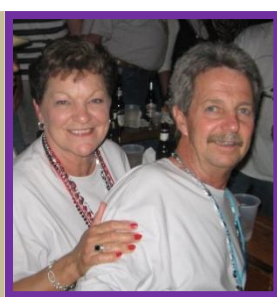




Celebration Time...



Come On And Celebrate

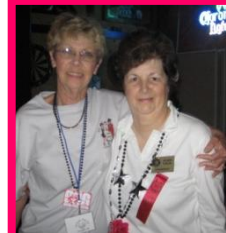


And Have A Good Time...



Oh My....The Parade Party!!!

I think we can start by saying that everyone had a large time, all 100 of us who were there. This was an opportunity for all of our members to celebrate our win in the SOS Parade, not just those who participated on the float. As evidenced by the pictures, there were lots of happy faces and good times among our family of shaggers. I just don't know how it could get any better. The Pirate's Cove was ready for us with unlimited beer and specialty drinks. With great music and special songs, we all partied, danced, and shared lots of hugs. Thank you to all the float members, to our sponsors, to everyone who bought t-shirts, and to all of you who lined the streets cheering for us. We could not have been so successful without the support of all of you. ET



Burlington Shag Club - Membership Application

Membership runs from January through December
Annual Dues: \$15 per person (After January 31st, dues are \$20)

Name _____
 Address _____
 City, State, Zip _____
 Home Phone _____ Mobile _____
 Employer (his) _____ work phone _____
 Employer (hers) _____ work phone _____
 Email (his) _____
 Email (hers) _____
 Birthday (his) _____ (hers) _____

Would you like to receive the Shag Rag by email? _____
 If yes, print email address to use _____

Check _____
 Cash _____
 New _____
 Renewal _____

Signature _____
 Date _____

Make check payable to and mail to:
 Burlington Shag Club, P. O. Box 1174, Burlington, NC 27216

 Club Use Only

Date Issued _____ Date _____
 Secretary's signature _____

Calendar of Events

May 7, 2010 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Bob Graves

May 14, 2010 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Gerry Holland

May 15, 2010 - Eno Beach Shag Club "Area Shag Club Party"... see details inside newsletter

May 21, 2010 - Monthly Business Meeting 8:00 p.m. & Birthday Night - DJ - Roy Childress

May 28, 2010 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Walker Gutfrie

June 4, 2010 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Chigger Woods

June 11, 2010 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ - Bobby Snyder

June 12, 2010 - Burlington Shag Club "Area" Party - Luau - DJs David Tuttle & Mike Harding

June 18, 2010 - Monthly Business Meeting 8:00 p.m. & Birthday Night - DJ - Jerry Burrage

June 25, 2010 - Shag Night at Master's - DJ Rick Turner

July 9-11, 2010 - ACSC Summer Workshop, Fayetteville, NC ... see flyer inside newsletter

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