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Notes from our President

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What a way to finish out the month of June but with that fabulous Luau. A great turn out and nothing but positive fun vibes by everyone in attendance and what about that wonderful photo booth. I absolutely loved looking at all the great pictures everyone made. Thanks again to Andrea Loy and Kim Dawson along with their wonderful committee.

Now for us to survive all this hot a humid weather we are having. Enjoy the summer with family and friends. We have a month of down time so enjoy every minute of it. The next big event will be our Junior Shagging event on Aug 3rd. Get all those kids, grandkids, and neighbors to join us for a day of learning to shag and fellowship. I look forward to seeing everyone at our Friday nights and especially on Friday, July 5th. Bring those great goodies to share with your fellow shaggers and wear all your red, white and blue.

Be a Blessing to those you meet!!

Amber Allen, BSC President 2024



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May the Month
ahead be filled
with an
abundance of

MAGNIFICENT
Miracles,

BLISSFUL
Blessings &

SPLENDID
Surprises.

WELCOME
JULY



Calling all members....we want to hear from you! This is your Newsletter, What would be interesting to you? Participation from our Officers, Committee Chairs, Board of Directors is somewhat expected. However, Members, please let me know how I can improve this publication to reflect your interests in activities of BSC, SOS, ACSC.. The cut off for submission for the Newsletter is July 27, 2024. Every publication must be approved by our President to be distributed.

Brenda R. Smith, Shag Rag Editor, 2024

BUSINESS MEETING

June 14, 2024

Amber Allen welcomed everyone and called meeting to order at 6:30 pm

PRESIDENT'S REMARKS -(Amber Allen) requested that everyone to please sign in. Sign in sheets available at each entrance.

SECRETARY'S REPORT – (Debbie Burnham) Everyone was asked if they had an opportunity to read the minutes in the last newsletter and if no questions could we get a motion to accept. Sherry Laughlin made a motion to accept – Janice McSherry 2nd - all approved

TREASURER'S REPORT – (Gerald Scarlett) Shared the balances of the General Account and the Special Account. Explaining the error that was in previous statement and the correction. Janice McSherry had concerns about how the Special Fund account was being used and asked if we could have an additional report on what was being used for events and if we could separate the reimbursements on spreadsheets. Amber answered that she would have Scott Loy(treasurer) to do a separate listing of those funds from the Special Event Account to have a clearer picture for members. Amber Allen noted some money has been spent on Valentine Party and Reverse Raffle for 2025 Motion to accept the Treasurer's Report was made by Kim Dawson and 2nd by Kim Sellars. All approved.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' REPORT –

Buddy Richardson- reviewed the board's recommendations to take \$697 and deposit it into the general fund. Reason was due to membership is down and still looking at \$3500 for Dj's to finish up 2024. Buddy then asked for a motion. Janice McSherry spoke up about the expenses that we are looking at to finish out this year and that this is no other fund raisers to help offset what is needed. Her main question concerning this event which was first presented to the membership was to be a fundraiser for the club so when did it become a charity event? Amber responded that it was to be a fundraiser with 10% to go to the club. Gerald also commented on how the funds was to be dispensed and was in favor of the club receiving a portion from the Reverse Raffle. Janice gave other examples of cost for Hall of Fame and past Presidents being able to come to the Luau and Christmas party that the club is responsible for paying for. Janice then made the suggestion that 50% be given to the club's General Fund and 50% to a single charity, that was her motion. Gerald Scarlett 2nd the motion. Lucy Duvall ask for clarification on the wording on flyers if it is to be a fundraiser or charity event. Kim Dawson added to the conversation that she had asked the same question and it was determined that the Reverse Raffle was a fundraiser. Gerald said going forward it will need specific wording so there will be no questions on how the funds will be allocated. Kim Sellars suggested that the committee make the decision on future charities ahead of time so membership is clear on what is being recommended. Amber called for a vote with 50% to the club and a single charity which was voted on and passed. Each member was given a ballot and The Denise Marie Flaherty Memorial (DMF) will receive from BSC a check for \$4348.00

Old Business

Luau – June 22nd - The Burlington Shrine Club. \$45 a person includes chicken or steak dinner and open bar. Chigger Woods will be the DJ Kim Dawson gave update – meeting June 20th to put baskets together 6 pm at R & R. tickets being sold for the liquor basket. Tickets sold to date 120 All volunteers are welcome.

Junior Shaggers Event – this event will be held at Thataways in Burlington on August 3rd– with the City of Burlington co-sponsoring this event. This will bring kids ages - walking to 21 – together to learn the shag steps. 3pm – 7 pm Hoping to have 50 young adults to participate – please spread the word.

Special Olympics Golf Tournament – October 11th -Indian Valley Golf Course. Cayce Lineberry is the Chairperson – Looking for sponsors now. Still looking for Sponsors would like to have 125. Details on t-shirt and food for participants.

Fun Monday Tickets – will be for sale after the Luau.

New Business

Red White and Blue Night – Friday, July 5th. Come dressed in your favorite Red White and Blue outfit.

Membership Appreciation Party – October 5th at Parr and Davis Warehouse. Buddy talked about doing Boston Butts with all the fixings. Our own cooking crew will be doing the hard work. Will have a DJ and a special wine tasting and other activities.

Janice McSherry asked to speak about the Special Fund Event Account, Account was set up to cover the Valentine Dance to maintain a balance of 10,000. And why was this account being used to fund other events. Amber said additional research would be needed before her questions could be answered, but a reminder to everyone that for several years we did not do this event

Next meeting is Friday, July 19th at 6:30 pm

The meeting was adjourned by Amber at 7:09pm.

July *Happy Birthday*

Charles	Lindley	7/1
Robin	Richardson	7/1
Karla	Young	7/4
Barbara	Melton	7/8
Cindy	Allen	7/9
Marty	Hancock	7/9
Sharon	Russ	7/15
Cindy	Redd	7/16
Jondeen	Terry	7/16
Darnell	Hamby	7/18
Jimmy	McCubbins	7/18
Martin	Noger	7/18
Doug	Keaton	7/19
Janice	McSherry	7/19
Kurt	Lankford	7/21
Brent	Lloyd	7/22
Kathleen	Miller	7/22
Butch	Dawson	7/23
Amy	Harvell	7/23
Howard	Harvell	7/23
Floyd	Jolly	7/26
Tracy	Pennington	7/26
Kristi	Booker	7/27
Sherry	Laughlin	7/29

PREMIERE WEEK JULY 16-21, 2024 • NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC

2024 • THEY THOUGHT IT WOULD DIE. BUT SHAG IS THE DANCE THAT WILL LIVE FOREVER!

SHAG

SHAG. IT'S THE NAME OF THE DANCE THAT LED TO THE PARTY THAT'S KNOWN AS THE GREATEST WEEK OF THE SUMMER!

JULY 16 - 21, 2024

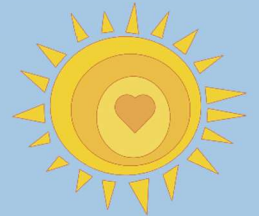
JUNIOR SHAGS

www.juniorshaggers.com



Be careful while traveling during the Holiday and keep your pets safe.
Happy Independence Day!

SUNSHINE NEWS



Good News:

Butch Dawson has completed cataract surgery in both eyes.

Karla Young's family in Texas have all recovered from their illnesses and are doing well.

Prayer Needs:

Buddy and Robin Richardson's newborn grandson will be having heart surgery on Monday July 1. Please pray for him and complete healing

"These things I have spoken to you, that My joy may remain in you, and that your joy may be full" John 15:11 NKJV

Lucy DuVall
Sunshine Chair

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We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who attended the 2024 Burlington Shag Club Luau! There were 142 tickets allocated and we appreciate everyone who joined us. It appeared that everyone had a fantastic time. An event like this cannot happen without the commitment from Burlington Shag Club members! We are deeply grateful for all the incredible volunteers who made this event a success - your efforts were invaluable. Special thanks to all who purchased tickets, donated items for the Chinese auction and the hospitality basket and additionally donated your time to help with the incredible decorations in transforming the space into our tropical paradise. A special thank you to the Burlington Shrine Club for the service of a delicious dinner and great drinks. We would also like to thank Remember When Photo Booth, and DJ Chigger Woods for adding fun and excitement to the night. Thank you once again for supporting the Burlington Shag Club!

With gratitude, Kim Dawson and Andrea Loy
Luau Committee Chairman







Just in time for Summer Fun



Carolina Shag Dance Lessons

Instructors Jack and Darlene Oakley

Thursdays (6:30pm) July 11, 18, 25

\$30 per person includes all beginner lessons and 2024 membership to the Burlington Shag Club

Registration begins at 6 pm

Lessons include the

- The Basic
- Starter step
- Male and Female Turn
- Belly Roll

Lessons 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm



No partner required

Burlington Shag Club Friday Shag Nights start at 7 pm with the best Beach Music DJs. Join us and practice your new steps. No cover charge! Only requirement is to have a great time!

Email questions to DarleneJOakley@gmail.com

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

www.burlingtonshagclub.com



JUNIOR SHAGGERS



★ **SUMMER** ★
SEND-OFF

1 & 2 3 & 4 5 6

Saturday
AUG 3rd
3-7pm

Thataways
Burlington

1331 Overbrook Rd,
Burlington, NC 27215

- Doorprizes
- Beginner Shag Workshop
- Intermediate Shag Workshop
- Snacks and Refreshments
- Exhibition by Competitive Junior Shaggers.
- The Junior Shag Dance Team Dancing for Dollars and more...



Hosted by:

Burlington Shag Club

Event DJ:

Rob Lassiter



FREE TO ALL JUNIORS

Did You Know?

The Charitable Foundation (aka Charitable Trust) The Charitable Trust is a 501c3 organization that receives its funding from proceeds of the Fun Monday event held each year at Fall SOS. What ever is left over from the cost of putting on Fun Monday goes into the Charitable account of the Charitable Trust.

The Shag Clubs of ACSC are main sources of selling the Fun Monday tickets at \$10 per ticket. There is a drawing during Fun Monday with the 2024 grand prize being \$5,000. Second place receives \$1,000, third place \$500, and fourth and fifth place \$250. Other tickets can be purchased on the streets during the event. There have been some clubs that do not or will not sell these tickets. There are a number of great ways for our ACSC clubs to be successful with this important project! The Charitable Trust for this most current meeting held during Spring SOS voted to give \$12,000 in \$2,000 amounts to 6 great organizations. These are the Hall of Fame Foundation, SOS Care, Special Olympics, Junior Shag Association, Horry County Rescue, and the Tunnels To Towers organization. It is of great significance that following the deaths of 4 police officers in Charlotte, that Tunnels To Towers announced that they would be paying off the mortgages of the surviving families of these slain officers. We hope to make more donations, with some of them being via the application process that we are going to do a better job of making available through the SOS website.

Updates to the website will be coming soon! It is important to understand that not only do these Fun Monday tickets provide fantastic entertainment on the first Monday of Fall Migration, but also the chance to win a sizable monetary prize, and to help contribute a sizable donation to worthy charities on local and national levels. Many of our Shag Clubs are wonderful about donations to charities, and this is another way for them to meet their goals. We need the kindness of all the ACSC Shag Clubs to support this effort. Once the Fun Monday costs are paid, the substantial remaining balance will be used for the charities. Shag Clubs, individuals, and corporate entities can sponsor Fun Monday at specific levels of donations, which can be a tax deduction for those entities. The levels are \$250, \$500, \$750, \$1,000, and more if interested. This information can be found at Shagdance.com under the Fun Monday link with all the details. The Board of the Charitable Trust will be making a document to assist you in successful ways to sell Fun Monday tickets. The ideas will come from the most successful clubs who sell Fun Monday tickets. We will choose ideas from both big and small clubs. We look forward to assisting your efforts in any way that we can! John Carpenter- Charitable Trust Board Member

Important websites

www.burlingtonshagclub.com

www.shagdance.com

www.facebook.com/groups/burlingtonshagclub

SOS Fun Monday

September 16, 2024

12 PM TO 5:30 PM, Main Street OD



The Swingin' Medallions



East Coast Party Band



Rivermist



**MC
Ray
Scott**

**SOS Fun Monday
SPONSORS:**
SOUTHERN THREADS ON MAIN

SOS Fun Monday DRAWING:

1st Ticket Drawn \$5,000 ~ 2nd Ticket \$1,000
3rd Ticket \$500 ~ 4th Ticket \$250 ~ 5th Ticket \$250

ATTENTION: ACSC SHAG CLUBS

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED FOR THE SALE OF FUN MONDAY TICKETS. THE TICKET SALES COVERS THE EXPENSES OF HAVING THE GREAT BANDS FOR YOUR ENTERTAINMENT AND ALSO FOR THE DRAWING OF THE GRAND PRIZE OF \$5000. IN ADDITION TO HELPING WITH THE COST, ANY LEFT OVER FUNDS GOES TO THE SOS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION WHERE THE FUNDS ARE GIVEN TO CHARITIES. THANKS FOR ALL OF THE SUPPORT!



Membership Application

Annual Dates: January 1 - 31 ~ \$25/person February 1 - December 31 ~ \$30/person

YEAR _____

NAME (HIS) _____ (HERS) _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____

CELLPHONE (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 FUNDRAISING

CHECKS # _____ 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 _____

BSC Calendar of Events

July 5:	Shag night from 7:00 - 10:00 pm	DJ:	Rob Lassiter
July 12:	Shag night from 7:00 - 10:00 pm	DJ:	John Williford
July 19:	Business Meeting Night & from 7:00 - 10:00 PM	DJ:	Kitty Earles
July 26:	Shag night from 7:00 - 10:00 pm	DJ:	L J McDade
Aug 2:	Shag night from 7:00 - 10:00 pm	DJ:	Rockin' Ron Russ
Aug 3:	Summer Send-Off - Junior Shaggers at Thataways. CLICK HERE for the FLYER and more information	DJ:	Rob Lassiter

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



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

We Create Music
ASCAP **BMI** **SESAC**



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