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SHAGGING FRIDAY NIGHTS

7:00pm - 10:00pm

Rack and Rolls

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President's Notes



SEPTEMBER 2026



BSC,

What a great month August has been! So much fun was had at our Second Chance Prom, and I loved seeing everyone shine that night. People have already started talking about a Third Chance Prom. It was so beautiful and elegant.

Thanks to our area shag clubs that came and represented—Eno, Greater Triad, and Bass Lake. Also, thanks to Best Western and Grill 584 for a great job. Last but not least, thank you to the wonderful committee that made this party happen. Without you all, this wouldn't have been possible. You did a great job, even getting some of our original members involved. It was wonderful seeing them back and enjoying themselves.

Now, on to September and SOS to finish out our 2026 year! I'm looking forward to seeing everyone for Fun Sunday and Fun Monday. If you haven't purchased your Fun Monday tickets, please see an officer or Board member. We have a few left. Friday, September 4, will be the last night to purchase them.

Also, don't forget our Tea Party on Saturday, September 19, from 4–6 PM at the OD Arcade. Come enjoy your two tickets and spend time with other club members. Pack those bags and travel safely to North Myrtle Beach!

In October, we have our Membership Appreciation Party, so put that on your calendar for October 11. Cornhole sign-up will begin at 2 PM.

Be Blessed Not Stressed

Amber Allen

President, Burlington Shag Club

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BUSINESS MEETING

Minutes

Friday, August 21, 2026 • 6:30 p.m.

Location: Rack N Rolls

Submitted by Andrea Loy for Pat Dunnagan

WELCOME TO
NORTH MYRTLE
BEACH
HOME OF
THE SHAG

MEETING REPORTS



CALL TO ORDER

Amber Allen called the meeting to order.



SECRETARY'S REPORT — ANDREA LOY (FOR PAT DUNNAGAN)

No questions. Motion to approve: Linda Lee, first; Sheila Walker, second. All approved.



TREASURER'S REPORT — MILLIE HATCHER

No questions. Motion to approve: Gerald Scarlett, first; Sheila Walker, second. All approved.



SUNSHINE REPORT — LINDA MCVEY

See newsletter.



BOD — HOWARD HARVELL

The membership party will be held October 10 at Mike Wilson's place. We will have chili beans and wings. Cornhole sign-up is at 2:00 p.m.; play begins at 2:30 p.m. We will eat around 5:00 p.m. A member may bring a guest for \$5.



CRUISE

This is not a shag event. Several members are going on a cruise May 8–15, 2027. A meeting will be held Tuesday, August 25, at Rack N Rolls at 6:30 p.m. The cruise will travel from New York to Bermuda.

OLD BUSINESS

• SOS CARDS — ROBIN RICHARDSON

Cards are still being sold for Fall SOS.

• SUMMER WORKSHOP 2026 — HOWARD HARVELL

A great time was had by all.

• SECOND CHANCE PROM — AMBER ALLEN

The prom will be held at the Best Western on August 28 and 29. Friday Shag Night will be held on the terrace at the Best Western, with DJ Chigger Woods. Dance-only tickets for Saturday night are still available and may be purchased at the door on Saturday. The pool party begins at 11:00 a.m. Saturday and is only available to those staying at the Best Western.

• SOS FREE POUR AND FUN MONDAY TICKETS — AMBER ALLEN

A vote was held to approve \$800 for the free pour; the motion passed. The free pour is Saturday, September 19, at 5:00 p.m. at the O.D. Arcade. Fun Monday tickets are available from board members.

• HALLOWEEN PARTY — VIOLET COLE

The party will be held at Rack N Rolls on October 30. The theme is "Boogie @ the Haunted Mansion." A meeting will be held September 8 at 6:00 p.m. at Rack N Rolls for anyone interested in helping. Ideas are needed for table decorations and more. Watch for the flyer on the website and Facebook; it will be posted soon.

• CHRISTMAS PARTY — LINDA LEE

The party is December 5, with the theme "Winter Wonderland." A volunteer meeting will be held Friday, September 4, at 6:15 p.m., before Shag Night begins at 7:00 p.m.

NEW BUSINESS

• NOMINATIONS — GERALD SCARLETT

At next month's meeting on September 11, nominations will be taken for officers and board members. Before nominating someone, please speak with that person and make sure they are willing to be nominated. Gerald will call everyone nominated to confirm whether they are willing to accept.

• SUMMERFEST 2027 — GERALD SCARLETT

Summerfest will be held in Virginia next year. For more information, visit SummerfestVA.com.

• HALL OF FAME — RONNIE GREGORY

More information will be announced at the September meeting. Please think about someone you would like to nominate who has worked hard for BSC. Names must be submitted by October 1.

• SEPTEMBER BUSINESS MEETING — AMBER ALLEN

Due to SOS, the September meeting will be held Friday, September 11, at 6:30 p.m.

• MEETING ADJOURNED

Gerald Scarlett, first; Brenda Richardson, second.

Get your 2026 SOScards now for \$40. If you wait till you are at the Beach they are \$45.

Contact Robin Richardson
robin.richardson@carolina.com

NEXT MEETING

Friday, September 11, 2026 • 6:30 p.m.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Chair Report



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This year is flying by! With only four months remaining, we still have plenty of exciting events to celebrate.

Beginning in September, Linda Lee will hold the first Christmas Party Committee meeting, and Violet Cole will begin planning with the Halloween Party Committee. The Board of Directors is organizing our Member Appreciation Party at Mike Wilson's home, and Buddy Richardson will hold a committee meeting to plan our New Year's Eve Party at Rack N Rolls on December 31, 2026.

With so much going on, I hope everyone will consider volunteering for one—or all—of these committees. We would love for you to share your ideas and put your creativity to work to help make each celebration the very best it can be.

I am grateful to be a member of the Burlington Shag Club and honored to serve on the Board of Directors. I have spoken with many of you, but if I have missed anyone, I apologize. Please feel free to stop me anytime and share what you like—or dislike—about what is happening in our club.

Our board members will tell you that I do not mind bringing any concern, whether good or bad, before the board for discussion. This is our club, and every member has the right to have their questions answered. Any concerns shared with me will be presented without mentioning names.

I look forward to seeing everyone on Friday nights, dancing and having a great time!

Howard Harvell

Board of Directors Chairperson



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Shag Life Websites

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www.shagdance.com
[www.facebook.com/groups/
burlingtonshagclub](http://www.facebook.com/groups/burlingtonshagclub)



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Meeting Minutes

★ AUGUST 17, 2026 ★

Submitted by Amber Allen

TOGETHER ON
NORTH MYRTLE
BEACH



CALL TO ORDER

Howard Harvell called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM. Pat and Lee were absent.



SECRETARY'S REPORT

Wesley made the motion to approve; Howard seconded. All approved.



TREASURER'S REPORT

Amber made the motion to approve; Ritchie seconded. All approved.

The storage unit increased to \$90 per month under new management. Millie will contact them and try to pay for the year as we have in the past.



BOD CHAIR REPORT

• Membership Cards

Amber will work with Pat to ensure members who want cards receive them. Past Presidents and Hall of Famers will receive cards noting lifetime membership.

• Sponsorship Letter

Mary Ann is seeking vendor donations for the Christmas Party.

• Cruise

This is not a Shag Club event, but Howard would like to hold a meeting. He will confirm the date and announce it at the meeting.



PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The payment app will be set up after the prom. Venmo payments will go directly into savings, then be transferred to the appropriate account. If the app is hacked, the General Account will not be affected.

OLD BUSINESS

• Christmas Party

Linda Lee plans to hold a meeting in September. Watch for an email. Linda will also speak about it at the Business Meeting.

• Membership Appreciation Party

The party will be held at Mike Wilson's Amanda Pointe on Saturday, October 10. Food will include chili beans, chicken wings and fixings. Buddy will confirm the time with Mike; it will be announced at the Business Meeting.

• Free Pour

Saturday, September 19, from 4:00-6:00 PM at the OD Arcade. Members will vote on an \$800 budget.

• Halloween Party

Violet Cole is chairing the party and will call a meeting to begin planning decorations.

• Second Chance Prom

Tickets are on sale. We must sell 60 Dinner/Dance tickets to avoid being charged for the room. See Amber for tickets. An anonymous donor will cover any shortfall if the 60-ticket requirement is not met.

• Summer Workshop

Burlington had great representation. Howard asked whether Burlington should bid to host, but the BOD agreed that we do not have a hotel well suited for the event.

NEW BUSINESS

• Venue

Amber will proceed with booking a venue for the 2027 Reverse Raffle.

• September Business Meeting

The BOD meeting will move to Wednesday, September 9, and the Business Meeting will be held Friday, September 11.

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, September 9, 2026

6:00 PM

Rack N Roll

Adjourned at 7:10 PM





*The Shag is
More than a Dance...
It's a Lifestyle!*



*Notes from the
SOS Board Chair
Ronnie Gregory*



Next SOS Event

September 18-27th Fall Migration

SEPTEMBER 2026 • FALL MIGRATION EDITION

YES, OH YES... SOS 2026 FALL MIGRATION IS ALMOST HERE!

Shaggers, get ready — the biggest, happiest, most dance-filled week of the year is rolling in September 18–27, and SOS has packed all ten days with nonstop fun, music, friends, and memories waiting to happen.

We kick things off with the legendary Burlington Shag Club Tea Party on Saturday, September 19 at the Arcade — a tradition where longtime members and new members come together to celebrate the dance we love and the friendships that make it special.

Then comes Fun Sunday, September 20, from 1–4 PM, spilling out onto the street and parking lot beside the Arcade. Bring your chairs early, settle in, and let Jim Quick & Coastline crank up the energy.

And just when you think it can't get better... Fun Monday hits Main Street like a tidal wave of music and excitement! Set up your chairs early in front of Harold's and Ducks and get ready for an incredible lineup: North Tower, The Tams, and the always unforgettable Swingin' Medallions. Don't forget to grab your Fun Monday tickets from Buddy and Robin at the BSC Club or at the beach — you've got five chances to win big:

- 1st: \$5,000
- 2nd: \$1,000
- 3rd: \$500
- 4th & 5th: \$250

All proceeds support SOS charities, so your fun goes right back into helping others.

And that's just the beginning. Keep an eye on the SOS App and Website for the full schedule — dance contests, lessons, club parties, your favorite DJs, and plenty of surprises that always pop up during Fall Migration. Don't miss the 10 AM ACSC Meeting on Saturday, September 26 at the Spanish Galleon. Club representatives should attend.

If you haven't grabbed your SOS Card, now's the time. You don't want to be standing outside the fun looking in.

Bonus: On the second Saturday, the City of North Myrtle Beach is hosting a Main Street Party — another chance to dance, mingle, and soak up the beach vibe.

So, dust off those shaggin' shoes, grab your friends, and get ready to party your way through Fall Migration 2026.

Ronnie Gregory

BSC Member & SOS Board Chairman



SUNSHINE NEWS

• Gail Stuckey

Please keep Gail in prayer as he deals with health issues.

• Richie Askew

Prayers as he recovers from a muscle injury in his leg. His boot and crutches just don't help when he wants to dance!

• The Jollys

It has been good to see the Jollys back on the dance floor. Please continue to keep them in prayer.

• Lorna Lankford

Please continue praying for Lorna as she continues recovering.



Please keep all in your thoughts and prayers.

God is good.

A SPECIAL PRAYER FOR BRIDGER MUNN

Jack and Darlene Oakley's 17-month-old grandson, Bridger Munn, is traveling from Seattle to St. Petersburg, Florida, for surgery on his trachea on September 2. Jack and Darlene will be in Florida for several weeks to help care for Bridger's older brother while his parents are at the hospital. Please pray for a successful surgery and recovery, and safe travels for everyone.

Please contact Linda McVey with Sunshine News • 336-214-3167 • lhmvey1129@gmail.com

★ September Birthdays ★

Bettie McDade	9/1
Buddy Richardson	9/3
Susie Comer	9/4
Mary Shelton	9/5
Rick Burnham	9/6
Mike Wilson	9/6
Jackie Farmer	9/13
Gerald Scarlett	9/14
Ronnie Gregory	9/15
Kay Jones	9/15
Richard Sheckells	9/20
Candy Brooks	9/21
Violet Cole	9/22
Robert Searcy	9/22
Jimmy Tillman	9/22
James Ball	9/23
Mike Chamelin	9/29
Brenda Greenberg	9/29
Amber Allen	9/30

★ Hall of Fame Nominations ★

Ronnie and Mary Gregory are the 2026 Hall of Fame chairpersons. HOF committee members will be selected per by-laws Section VIII-H, Paragraph 2. Be thinking about whom you would like to nominate. Forms are available at www.burlingtonshagclub.com.

Please address all requirements in Section VIII-H, Paragraph 6. Forms must be turned in by October 1, 2026. The nominees and winner will be announced at the November Business Meeting. The 2026 HOF inductee will be honored at the Christmas Party.

Selection of Club Officers and Board of Directors – Nominations and Election

Gerald Scarlett and Sherry Laughlin are chairpersons for the Nomination Committee for the 2027 Officers and Board of Directors. Nominations will be solicited and forms distributed at the September Business Meeting. The committee will contact nominees for acceptance.

Accepted nominees must be present at the October Business Meeting to verbally accept; see the by-laws for absentee acceptance. The election will be held by secret ballot, with results announced at the November Business Meeting. The 2027 Officers and Board of Directors will be installed at the Christmas Party.



*Congratulations Frankie and Cayce!
Burlington Shag Club's Second Chance
Prom King and Queen*

SOS FUN SUNDAY

September 20, 2026

1PM to 4PM

1st Ave., Beside the OD Arcade



MC

Ray Scott



Raffle tickets will be sold for the Drawing on Fun Monday

1st Ticket Drawn \$5,000 ~ 2nd Ticket \$1000

3rd Ticket \$500 ~ 4th Ticket \$250 ~ 5th Ticket \$250

SPONSORS FOR FUN SUNDAY

OD ARCADE MGA TRAVEL

SHAG LIFE

INTERNATIONAL CAFE

NO COOLERS PERMITTED

SOS Fun Monday

September 21, 2026

12 PM TO 5:30 PM, Main Street OD



The Swingin' Medallions

60th Anniversary of "Double Shot"



The Tams



North Tower



MC
Ray Scott

SOS Fun Monday
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Fun Monday Drawing:

1st Ticket Drawn \$5,000 ~ 2nd Ticket \$1,000

3rd Ticket \$500 ~ 4th Ticket \$250 ~ 5th Ticket \$250

★ BURLINGTON SHAG CLUB ★

Friday Shag Night

Bringing You the Best in Beach, Boogie & Blues!



DJ LINEUP

FALL 2026

SEPTEMBER

- 4 – Furman Dominick
- 11 – LJ McDade
- 18 – NO DJ – SOS
- 25 – NO DJ – SOS

OCTOBER

- 2 – Rob Lassiter
- 9 – Brent Lloyd
- 16 – Kenny Loftis
- 23 – Jerry Hill / Cayce Lineberry
- 30 – HALLOWEEN PARTY – Steve Carter

NOVEMBER

- 6 – LJ McDade
- 13 – Bill Moore
- 20 – George Dunn
- 27 – Ron Russ

*No Cover
Charge!*

7PM – 10PM



RACK N ROLLS

1243 PLAZA DRIVE • BURLINGTON, NC

Burlington Shag Club Tea Party

2026 SOS Fall Migration

Saturday, September 19, 2026

Location: OD Arcade

Time: 4 – 6 PM

All BSC Members new and old

Register at the table for your armband and two drink tickets.

Good friends, great music, and a toast to our club!



Contact Ronnie and Mary Gregory at 336-213-7054 for any questions

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OCTOBER 30, 2026

7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

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Christmas Party

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5TH, 2026

6:00 PM – 10:30 PM



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OR



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SATURDAY
OCTOBER 10,
2026



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8:00AM



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1ST, 2ND, 3RD
PLACES



ENTRY FEE
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NATIONAL SHAG DANCE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Presents the

CHAMPIONS MIXED DOUBLES

Saturday September 19th 6pm-8pm

OD Pavilion

This contest is being held to raise money for the Beth Mitchell Memorial Scholarship. Some of the best dancers from past National Shag Dance Championships Contests will be taking the floor in a mixed doubles contest. Please pass this along to all your members. Checks and/or Cash can be brought to the contest. Checks need to be made out to Beth Mitchell Memorial Scholarship!

Beth was a Non-Pro Winner in the Nationals and then was killed 1 week later in a tornado in her hometown. This scholarship has helped numerous college kids that dance and compete, to afford their way through school. Please help with this wonderful cause.

Thank you for your help!!

If anyone wants to mail a check, it can be sent to:

Beth Mitchell Memorial Scholarship
4809 Cottonwood Dr.
Myrtle Beach, SC 29588



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OCTOBER 24, 2026

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VOCAL ARTIST

Mark Black



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★
SILENT
AUCTION

TICKETS

TO PRE-PURCHASE TICKETS
CONTACT:

★ TOBITHA STEWART - 704-202-9655

★ GENE & NANCY - 919-215-6875

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Membership Application

Annual Dues

January 1 - 31 ~ \$25/person

February 1 - December 31 ~ \$30/person

YEAR _____

NAME (HIS) _____ (HERS) _____

ADDRESS _____

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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 ☐

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TOTAL PAID \$ _____

MEMBER'S SIGNATURE _____

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Burlington, NC 27216

CLUB USE ONLY

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

Calendar of Events

Sept 4

Shag night from 7:00 - 10:00 pm DJ: *Furman Dominick*

Sept 11

Shag night from 7:00 - 10:00 pm DJ: *LJ McDade*

Sept 18

No DJ — SOS

Sept 25

No DJ — SOS

Newsletter Deadline for the October issue
is September 25th.

Please email any items you want to be considered
for publication to

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September 2026

