

## R & B Shag Club of Spartanburg



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AUGUST 2010

Association of  
Carolina Shag Clubs



Member Since 1985

American Bop  
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Member Since 2008

### A Message from your President:

**Fun times in the upstate South Carolina shag world. What a great place to be!**

What a weekend we had! **Sparkle City Celebration** was a BIG SUCCESS with about 270 people from 10 states and 21 shag clubs attending. Made many new friends; had lots of laughs—What a blast! Those of you who missed it missed a great party. Mark your calendars for **July 22-24, 2011**, and make plans to attend next year. We will celebrate the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our R&B Shag Club.

Volunteers, THANK YOU! We had 75+ members helping out, and without y'all, this event could not have happened. Everything ran so smoothly. Thank you for your hard work and thanks go to the 8-10 folks who worked all year on the plans and organization.

I've had so many people tell me what a great time they had, and that they'll be back next year. We had great DJs, a Hospitality Suite that topped any I have been to with great food and drinks, a super fun pool party with 100 degree heat that kept everybody in the pool and a duck race that was loads of fun. There were many, many compliments on the excellent shag workshops. The 50/50 drawings and the door prizes were quite popular. The decorations were very attractive.

A BIG Thank You goes to the Marriott—a great venue to have our event with a friendly, efficient staff. Thank you Mark Felbinger for all you did to help us have another successful event.

Our **August Luau Party** will be this **Saturday, Aug 28, 7:30-11:30** at the Shrine Club, so find your Hawaiian shirts and grass skirts and lets hula and shag the night away. This party is also our **Membership Appreciation Party** with a **free supper**. The Shrine Club ladies will be cooking burgers, baked beans, fixings, and chips, so the only thing you need to bring is dessert. We will have 12-15 out-of-town guests from other shag

clubs visiting us, so let's show them our friendly R&B hospitality. **Dick Hamrick** from Shelby will be our DJ and **Charlene Sanders** is in charge of decorations. It promises to be a fun night!

Another fun event this summer was **Tunes on Trade** in Greer with beach bands every Friday night in June and July. We put our dance floor down each time. Thanks go to all those who helped—especially those “foot stomping” ladies.

All summer, Greenville's **Rhythm on the River** has had a beach band every Thursday night and will continue through **September 2**—ending with the **Maurice Williams and the Swinging Medallions**. That's a great show band, and a bunch of us are going, so make plans to join us.

**Wild Wing Café** is going strong with over 125 shaggers every Sunday night. Thank you **Kathy & Steve** for the free 6:00 shag lessons!

The next “**First Saturday at the Marriott**” is September 4. DJ **David O'Quinn** does a great job at each of these gatherings.

**SOS Fall Migration** is Sep 17-26. Phyllis reordered **SOS Cards** and will have them at the Saturday party at the \$30 special rate for shag club members. Our R&B house party will be Thursday the 23<sup>rd</sup> 1-4 pm at the beach house 504 N. Ocean Blvd. (3<sup>rd</sup> house from Avista—ocean side) with free beer and snacks. The **Out-of-Towners Band** will play and our dance floor will be down for shagging. Invite your friends and come join the fun. Last year we had about 300 people, and what a great time we had!!

I love quips. Heard this one on the radio the other day—the subject was patience. “The early bird gets the worm, but the second mouse gets the cheese.”

Live our music; love our dance !

*Chuck Johnson*



AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
01 Glenna Fletcher	01 Doris Horton
03 Rick Henderson	02 Pam Hayes
05 Stacey Fowler	02 Darrell Massey
07 Geraldine Baker	05 Robbie Brunson
08 Becky Harmon	06 Susan Powell
10 Jerry Pearson	07 Ray Belue
12 Ann Peeler	07 Judy Fant
15 Dee Dee Workman	07 Marva Garner
17 JoAnn Kiser	10 homer Miller
17 Randy Shorts	14 Henry Calhoun
20 Danny Holland	14 Billy Waldrep
20 Linda Lybrand	16 Becky Hord
23 Dee Shorts	17 Roby Love
25 Diane Wheeler	20 Susan Blackwell
26 Ralph Burnette	20 Ronnie Lybrand
27 Olide Bucci	21 Dana Shultz
27 Olga Burtette	23 Karen Chandler
27 Chuck Johnson	23 Dennis Doherty
31 Lynn Robbins	25 Wayne Waddell
	28 JoAnn Calhoun
	28 Steve Morgan

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 Spartanburg, SC 29301                      864-576-7600

**The Fifth Annual Pre-Sos**  
*It's a Shag Thing*  
**Sunday, Sep 12, 5pm - 10 pm**

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Following the recent resignation of the Chief of the Spartanburg Fire Department, Dale Worthy was elected Interim Fire Chief.

Take advantage of these last few opportunities to hear some great beach and shag music outside during the final days of summer.

**LARKIN'S RHYTHM ON THE RIVER-Greenville**  
**Thursdays Gates open at 6:00 – Show starts at 7:00**  
 Aug 26 The Dynamic Breakers \$5  
 Sep 2 The Swinging Medallions \$10

**There's More to R&B Shag Club than Meets the Eye**  
 Yes, we dance a lot, we party a lot, we travel a lot, but we also contribute our time, talent, and monies to many charitable organizations. Our main charity is Mobile Meals, and each year we have donated \$3,000 to help feed those who need a good meal delivered each day. Much of these funds come from the benefit we have co-sponsored each year at Wild Wing Café.  
 Please come out Sunday, September 12, to have a lot of fun and to help your club raise the monies to donate to Mobile Meals again this year.

**Benefit Supporting  
 Mobile Meals  
 &  
 St. Luke's Free Medical Clinic**

**At  
 Wild Wing Café**

**Co-sponsored by  
 R&B Shag Club & Upstate Shag Club**

**Shag to Top Local DJs  
 Free Shag Lesson  
 Special Food & Drink Prices  
 Event T-Shirts  
 Vendors  
 And More**

**\$5 Donation at the Door**

**SMITH'S DRUG STORE NO.2**  
*"Drugs With a Reputation"*  
 441 EAST HENRY STREET  
 SPARTANBURG, SC 29302

Monday--Friday  
 8:30 am – 7:00 pm **Thomas B. Armstrong, Jr, R Ph**  
 Saturday till 5:00 pm  
 Closed Sunday **582-8474**



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 to  
 Shagging Made Fun &  
 Easy*

**KATHY & STEVE DAY**

For additional information, [check the web site shagdance.com](http://checkthewebshagdance.com) and check flyers on Information Table at our parties.

- AUG 19-21 SHAG TRACKS** Choo Choo Shag Club Chattanooga [rmkellar@aol.com](mailto:rmkellar@aol.com) [www.choochooshagclub.com](http://www.choochooshagclub.com)  
**SEP 17-26 SOS Fall Migration** north Myrtle Beach / Ocean Drive **R&B House Party Thu, Sep 23, 1:00-4:00**  
**OCT 22-23 FALL BASH** Mountain Empire Shag Club Terry Etter 423-753-5909 [www.messdance.com](http://www.messdance.com)  
**NOV 10-14 MOVE ACROSS THE RIVER** Cincinnati Bop Club in Ft. Mitchell, KY 513-697-6351  
**NOV 19-20 29<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL COLUMBIA INVITATIONAL** [www.columbiashagclub.net](http://www.columbiashagclub.net)

**SHAGGING AROUND SPARTANBURG**

- Sat, Aug 28, Membership Appreciation (Free) Supper & Hawaiian Luau Party at Spartanburg Shrine Club  
 ★ Sep 4, "First Saturday" at the Marriott 8:00 Till DJ David O'Quinn  
 Sun, Sep 12, "It's a Shag Thing" Benefit for Mobile Meals-Wild Wing Cafe  
 ★ Every Sunday, Wild Wing Café at corner of Main & Church in Spartanburg 6:00-10:30  
 Every Wed + 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat + 4<sup>th</sup> Fri McKibbons Pub at Phoenix Inn 246 Pleasantburg Dr. Greenville

**GOOD MUSIC**

- ➡ **Beach Bob with Kathy Cole** at **103.3** from 2:00-6:00 or [beachboboldies.com](http://beachboboldies.com). To request your favorite tune, email [beachbob@wolt\\_fm.com](mailto:beachbob@wolt_fm.com)
- ➡ Tune your computer in to [beachshag.com](http://beachshag.com) to hear **Fessa John Hook's** radio show of great music and shag news.
- ➡ Check out [grandstrandradionetwork.com](http://grandstrandradionetwork.com), and you can get **94.9 The Surf** at [949thesurf.com](http://949thesurf.com).
- ➡ **Beach, Boogie, & Blues** on **WQOL 95.9** with **Buck Crumpton** on Saturday, 9:00--- Noon [shagdjbuck@aol.com](mailto:shagdjbuck@aol.com)

2010 OFFICERS		
President	Chuck Johnson	415-7249
Vice President	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
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Laura Catto		576-6666
David Blackwell		472-6459
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Jerry Steifle		587-1180
Carolyn Wingate		576-2070
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Membership	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
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Newsletter	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
Scrapbooks	JoAnn Waddell	476-2001
Webmaster	David Blackwell	472-6459
Dance Floor	Chuck Johnson & Danny Rhodes	574-5528 576-5177

**BOARD MEETINGS**

**Members are cordially invited to attend** the Board meetings on the second Monday of each month. The next meeting is **Monday, September 13, 7:00 pm** in the Library. **The Board welcomes your input.**

**SHAG CLASSES**

Club members teaching shag are **Kathy & Steve Day** 578-9097 or 472-5162 or 457-4244, **JoAnn & Wayne Waddell** 476-2001, **Cy Miller** 828-674-5432 **Kae Childs** 843-886-0020

**NEWSLETTER**

Please send me information by the second Wednesday of the month. Please share trips you have taken, major events in your lives, and other info that will interest our shaggin' friends. [drakepg@aol.com](mailto:drakepg@aol.com) or 864-583-4656 Thanks, *Phyllis*

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Mark your calendars or clip and save

R&B SHAG CLUB CALENDAR  
2010

Saturday, August 28

DJ Dick Hamrick

Hawaiian Luau

&

Membership Appreciation  
Party

@ The Shrine Club

Sat, Sep 18 - 29<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party

Fri, Oct 29 – Halloween Party

Sat, Nov 19 – Carolina/Clenson Party

Fri, Dec 18 – Christmas Party

Each Month In SHRINE CLUB

1450 Fernwood-Glendale Rd

Spartanburg, SC 29307

Turn off East Main St/Hwy 29

Between Rite Aid & Hillcrest Mall

Go 2 blocks

Shrine Club is on the left

Mail to this Shagger:

August Hostess Decorator  
Charlene Sanders

Membership dues are \$15 per person for the calendar year Jan--Dec. Members and guests must be 21 years or older. Members will receive a monthly newsletter with information about club parties, special events, our members, and other shag clubs' events. Party fees for member are \$4 per person for each party. Non-member / guest fees are \$8 per person for each party. Guests will receive 2 newsletters per year.

To join, mail this application with your check to the R&B Shag Club of Spartanburg address.

## R&B Shag Club of Spartanburg

## Membership Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdays His mo \_\_\_\_\_ da \_\_\_\_\_ Hers mo \_\_\_\_\_ da \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone His \_\_\_\_\_ Hers \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail (Club business only) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

New \_\_\_\_\_ Renewal \_\_\_\_\_

I would be happy to help with  
**(PLEASE Check one or more.)**

- Decorations
- Membership / Sign-in Desk
- Music / Entertainment
- Newsletter
- Refreshments
- Sparkle City Celebration