

R & B Shag Club of Spartanburg



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AUGUST 2012

Association of
Carolina Shag Clubs



Member Since 1985

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Member Since 2008

A Message from your President:

Once again hey fellow Shaggers, can you believe the summer is slipping by so fast? Fall is already knocking on the door and I don't know about you but I am ready, cooler weather, football games, motorcycle rides to mountains, SOS, just to name a few reasons I look forward to this time of year. I'm sure you have some reasons of your own as well to embrace this special season.

Sparkle City Celebration 2012 has now come and gone and just like anticipating Christmas when I was a child it seemed as if it would never get here and then it's over and I would start looking forward to the next year, such is the case here. R&B members can be very proud of themselves for pulling off another great event. I am so appreciative of everyone's efforts to make it all go so well, thanks all!

I said last month additional details would be forthcoming about R&B 2013 re-up party and the Band of Oz playing for us. I have asked **Chuck Johnson** and **Danny Rhodes** to be Co-Chairs for this and they have met and are working on details and they will be calling on some of you to help as well. I expect they will have all the major details worked out in a few weeks and we will certainly be getting information out to all our members.

August 25 R&B Monthly Party. This should be interesting, different, and FUN. In a world where there seems to be a lot of gray areas we are getting back to a simple "Black and White" theme for the upcoming August Party. **Jerry and Diann Easler** will be the hosts and will decorate all Black and White and they would like for everyone to simply dress either black or white for the party. Also the snacks and desserts can be black and white as well, and DJ **Dick Hamrick** might even have some music that would go along with the theme "Meet me with your black drawers on" comes to mind as one, maybe you can think of some others. We will also have some SOS "Fun Monday" raffle tickets available for this year's \$7,500 drawing at SOS.

See you at the Dance! **Edward Peeler**

FALL SOS PARTY

The Fall SOS party will tentatively be on Thursday 9/20/2012 at the OD Beach Resort from 2-4 pm. This will be a joint party with three of our sister clubs (R&B, Upstate, Electric City in Anderson, and the Carolina Shag Club in Greenville). The clubs will be providing the Dee Jays, drinks and light finger food. Efforts are being made to try to make the drinks and food last as long as possible. If you are planning on attending I would suggest you try to arrive at the start of the party. If not still plan to attend as there will a large crowd and a good time! If you plan on bringing a guest, the fee will be \$10.00 per person and if you are arriving late, you may want to check on the availability of drinks and food before your guest pays the fee. As always with a limited budget there is a chance the drinks and food will be gone before the party is over. This is great fellowship and a great party that gives us a chance to make new friends and also visit with old friends from these clubs. I look forward to seeing you at the party!

Stan Sanders

Sparkle City Celebration 2012 Recap

The figures and the praises are coming in for Sparkle City 2012. It was another great party with over 300 attending. What about the Thursday night pre-party? Wow! Marlene from Jacksonville said, "It's like walking into Duck's at SOS." Thanks to Molly Nelson and all the staff at the Marriott for a great effort. Thanks also to all the R&B members who spend part of their party time making the whole party a success. From the opening hospitality shooters to the last dance, it did "Sparkle." The SCC committee has already met and discussed things we like and things we need to improve on for next year. Everyone's input is welcome. Thanks again for a great party.

SCC Committee

"Life's short. Let's shag!" **Tom Armstrong**

Special Thanks

We want to give a special thanks to all those who helped with the Hospitality Room during SCC. Many of you gave time away from the party in order to meet and greet, serve drinks and food, set up and clean up, cook food and to just be all around great hosts to our members and guests. We won't mention names because we would likely leave someone out and we certainly don't want to do that. But please know that we sincerely appreciate all you did to help make the Hospitality Room a great success. Also, thanks to our spouses who supported us in this effort.

Diann Easler and Kathy Blackwell, Co-Chairs



August	September
01 Glenna Fletcher	02 Pam Hayes
03 Rick Henderson	02 Kim McDowell
05 Stacey Fowler	06 Susan Powell
06 Jeff Foster	07 Ray Belue
06 Buddy Sims	07 Judy Fant
08 Kelly Sonig	10 Homer Miller
10 Jerry Pearson	13 Percie Belue
12 Ann Peeler	14 Billy Waldrup
15 Deedie Workman	16 Becky Elliott
16 Brad Bays	17 Maria Hgenshorst
17 Randy Shorts	17 Roby Love
20 Danny Holland	18 Julie Cline
20 Linda Lybrand	20 Susan Blackwell
20 Ken Morgan	20 Angela Eubanks
22 John Carpenter	20 Ronnie Lybrand
23 Dee Shorts	23 Doug Blackwell
24 Skip Lancaster	25 Wayne Waddell
26 Carolyn Watkins	
27 Chuck Johnson	
27 Olga Munn	
29 Robert Reed	
31 Lynn Robbins	

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Please refer to the web site for flyers & details about these upcoming Parties:

- Shaggin' by the River, Mid Ohio Valley Shaggers, July 28, 2012
- Choo Choo Shag Tracks XVIII August 16-18, 2012
- Mid-Ohio Boogie Bash, August 16-19, 2012
- Junior Shag Day, August 18, 2012
- 1st Annual SOS at Sea Cruise October 7-14, 2012
- Boogie in the Blue Grass, Derby City Bop; October 11-13, 2012
- MESS Fall Bash 2012: October 19 & 20, 2012
- January 19-26 8th Annual Dancin' on the High Seas, w/American Bob Association

www.rbshagclub.org/flyers.html

August Party
Black & White Theme
 Dress in all black & white, bring a snack and join us for a great time with friends.
 Hosts: **Diann & Jerry Easler**

Shaggers needed for Panther Half-time show with Chairman of the Board
 Sunday, September 16 in Charlotte
 Must be there to practice by 8:30 AM
 Must wear Carolina blue shirt with black pants
 Will dance for two songs
 Tickets and lunch provided
 Must find own parking
If interested, call Loretta O'Donald at 489-6371 ASAP

If anyone has SOS tickets they do not need for Fall Migration 2012, please call 316-5606

We want to thank you all for the prayers, calls, visits, and cards, during dad's illness and death.
Jerry & Diann Easler

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CONCERNS

- Please remember:
- Pam Land's** family in her recent death
 - Stan Rochester** recovering from recent heart surgery
 - Bruce & Katie Woodfin's** son who is recovering from a serious car accident
 - Jan McCallister** recent surgery @ MUSC
 - Jerry Easler** and family in the recent death of his father

When you know of someone who has a death in the family or who has health issues, call **Janis Ross (463-4745)** who will pass the information along to Shag Club members.

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 Gift Wrap
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For information, check the web site www.shagdance.com and check flyers on Information Table at our parties.

SEP 14-23 FALL MIGRATION SOS Ocean Drive in NMB

SHAGGING AROUND SPARTANBURG

★ Sunday, Wild Wing Café at corner of Main & Church in Spartanburg 6:00-10:30

2012 OFFICERS		
President	Edward Peeler	576-8606
Vice President	Stan Sanders	574-7662
Secretary	Linda Holland	476-8681
Treasurer	Leslie Rufus	590-7427
Past President	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
2012 BOARD MEMBERS		
Terry Bennett		576-4711
Diann Easler		578-5744
Danny Rhodes		576-5177
Stan Rochester		871-0907
Dale Worthy		474-3965
2012 COMMITTEE LEADERS		
Membership	Chuck Johnson	574-5528
Bylaws	Joyce Smith	431-4922
PR & Publicity	Tom Armstrong	585-7395
Budget & Finance	Leslie Rufus	590-7427
Ways & Means	Carolyn Wingate	576-2070
DJs	Danny Rhodes	576-5177
Decorations	Laurie Rochester	238-6783
Historian	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
Newsletter	Kathy Blackwell	472-6459
Scrapbooks	JoAnn Waddell	476-2001
Webmaster	David Blackwell	472-6459
Dance Floor	Chuck Johnson & Danny Rhodes	574-5528 576-5177

GOOD MUSIC

- **Beach Bob with Kathy Cole** at 103.3 from 2:00-6:00 www.beachboboldies.com. To request your favorite tune, email beachbob@wolt_fm.com
- Tune your computer in to beachshag.com to hear **Fessa John Hook's** radio show of great music and shag news.
- You can get **94.9 The Surf** at 949thesurf.com.
- **Beach, Boogie, & Blues** on **WQUL 95.9** with **Buck Crumpton** Sat., 9:00 – Noon www.coolq959.com shagdjbuck@aol.com
- **Pat Patterson** on www.largetimenetwork.com
- www.shagcityusa.com & www.yourbeachmusic.com

BOARD MEETINGS

Members are cordially invited to attend the Board meetings on the first Monday of each month. The next meeting is **Monday, September 10, 6:30 PM** in the Spartanburg County Public 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 any information you have for the newsletter by September 12. Please share trips you have taken, major events in your lives, and other info that will interest our shaggin' friends. Send to khblackwell@windstream.net; 472-6459; 216-1330.

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Mark your calendar or clip and save

R&B SHAG CLUB CALENDAR

Saturday, August 25, 2012

7:30-11:30

DJ Dick Hamrick

@ The Shrine Club

September 29, Saturday, DJ Jeff Foster

October 26, Friday, Halloween Party:

DJ John Wilson

November 17, Saturday, Carolina/Clemson

Warm-Up: DJ David O'Quinn

December 22, Saturday, Christmas Party

DJ Buck Crumpton

Each Month In SHRINE CLUB

1450 Fernwood-Glendale Road

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:



Scan this QR code with your smart phone to go to our web site.

2012 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION \$20/person

R&B SHAG CLUB

Chuck Johnson, Membership Chair

114 Driftway Place

Spartanburg, SC 29301

Members and guests must be 21 years or older. Membership offers monthly parties at the Shrine Club and newsletters. **Party Fees:** Members \$4, Guests \$8.

Membership is \$20 per person and is valid January – December 31.

Make checks payable to: R&B Shag Club and mail to the address above or bring to the next party.

We need everyone's help...

Please select one.

- Membership**
- Sign-in Desk**
- Decorations**
- Sparkle City Celebration**

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Occupation _____ Mobile # _____

Spouse _____ New ___ Renew ___ Want a Name Badge? (\$6) _____

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Signature _____ Spouse _____ Date _____