

## R & B Shag Club of Spartanburg



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FEBRUARY 2011

Association of  
Carolina Shag Clubs



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### A Message from your President:

#### SWEETHEARTS PARTY

We love to see our friends, love each other, love a special someone, and most of all, we love to shag. Come out to the Shrine Club **Saturday** night **February 19**, and celebrate the love and friendship we share. We have a new **DJ—Pat Patterson**, who comes to us from Clinton. He's good! He's bringing his wife **Robin** and his friend "Monkey" for a special surprise. If you want to check him out, go to [www.largetime.net](http://www.largetime.net). You can also find him on the Clinton radio station from 4:00-7:00 Mon – Fri and on a Greenwood station. He has a compilation CD out--Patman & Robin.

**Nancy Allen** is hostess/decorator for this party and is bringing her weekend houseguests from around the Upstate and North Carolina. Helping decorate are **Mary Coggins, Ann Blackwell**, and a few more friends. Now that's dedication! Having houseguests and decorating for a shag club party.

Your Board still needs someone to be **Committee Leader for Decorations**. The position takes very little time and good organization skills. No, you don't have to decorate for every party. Hopefully, one of our members will soon volunteer for this easy but important position. Please help your club by calling Phyllis to volunteer. Wouldn't it be sad to walk into a Shrine Club party and see no decorations—just brown table tops. The decorations make it a special occasion and we need your help.

#### SISTER CLUBS

We loved having folks from **Carolina Shag Club** in Greenville and from **Electric City Shag Club** in Anderson and from other area shag clubs at our January party. Many shaggers hold memberships in two or more shag clubs, and that's a good thing. I have belonged to Carolina and R&B for 29 years and to five other shag clubs at various times. **Danny Scott** has been a member of R&B for about 4 years and currently is president of Greenville's Carolina Shag Club.

Several of our R&B members also belong to other clubs: **Carolina, Electric City, Lake Lure, Charlotte, Upstate**, and others. Our **Billy Waldrep** probably holds the record for belonging to the most shag clubs. It's fun to visit with others and have them visit with us.

#### BAND OF OZ

On February 26, the Band of Oz will play for a **Shag Night** at the **Union National Guard Armory** for a benefit for the Union County Health Care Foundation beginning at 6:00 pm. There will be heavy hors d'oeuvres, a cash bar, and a silent auction. Call 864-429-2466 for ticket information. Let's "road trip" to have fun with our many Union members and friends.

#### NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

To promote your business to a large audience and to help defray the costs of our Shag Lines newsletter, consider buying an ad in each month's edition. Once a month it goes to approximately 400 regional folks via PO or email and is on our web site worldwide with an average of 600 unique hits each month. The cost is only \$60 for 12 issues or \$6 a month for the months you select. We print business-card sized ads—one you submit that is camera ready, or we will design one when you feed us the information. Call or email Phyllis at 583-4656 or [drakepg@aol.com](mailto:drakepg@aol.com) for more information.

#### A LOOK BACK AT OUR JANUARY Re-Up PARTY

**LeRhea & Tom Armstrong** did a great job of decorating at the last minute with snowmen borrowed from several members. **John Wilson** kept the dance floor full with his great music. About 80 folks remembered to bring their forms and checks to join or renew their memberships, and as usual, the refreshment table was full of goodies brought by members. It was a happy crowd and lots of fun.

See you at the Shrine Club next Saturday and on the dance floor somewhere.

*Phyllis Drake*

*Happy Birthday!*

**FEBRUARY**

- 03 Jean Dunn
- 03 Joyce Hyatt
- 05 Danny Scott
- 06 Chuck Snipes
- 08 Dan Ellington
- 09 Bob Anderson
- 09 Randy Fulbright
- 10 Sue Bergman
- 11 David Roach
- 11 Bruce Woodfin
- 14 Donna Brehmer
- 14 David O'Quinn
- 17 Jan Jackson
- 18 Jeff Cheney
- 18 Doris Kirby
- 21 Kathy Day
- 22 Lorraine Jones
- 23 Tom LeClair
- 23 Jim Wood
- 24 Tom Rocks
- 26 Dwayne Faulkner
- 26 Sue Jones
- 28 John Bainbridge
- 29 Edward Peeler

**MARCH**

- 01 Peggy Edwards
- 02 Ann Fulbright
- 02 John Bull
- 02 Niles Hanna
- 02 Millie Little
- 06 Don Stith
- 06 Carol Woodward
- 07 Brenda Brown
- 08 Brenda Ellington
- 09 Carroll Womack
- 10 Puz Allen
- 10 Dennis Hord
- 13 Jim Munn
- 14 Deborah Smith
- 15 Vicki Rhodes
- 15 Janice Parks
- 16 Karyn Elrod
- 19 Rosemary Bergeron
- 19 Kay Burnett
- 21 Reno Bucci
- 26 Eddie Wheeler
- 28 Pamela Massey
- 29 Celeste Arnone
- 29 Ralph Dinsmore
- 29 Joe Hooker
- 31 Jane Rowland
- 31 Terry Bennett

**CONCERNS**

Please keep these folks in your thoughts and prayers as they work through serious health issues: **Jake Taylor, Bob Anderson, Elizabeth Drake, Bob Lutz** (The guy responsible for starting our shag club), and **Granville Elliott** (One of our favorite DJs in the 80s)

**Marilyn Swords** (DJ Mike Swords wife) fell and broke her hip on February 9, and had surgery at Anderson's AmMed Hospital. She is recuperating at home and would appreciate a card. Her address is 811 Slab Bridge rd, Liberty, SC 29657.

Also remember **Doug Duffie** whose brother Mike died February 5, and **Roxie Worthy** whose mother died January 8.

We received this update on **Jake Taylor's** progress. His fine motor skills are gradually and steadily improving; he's eating well, and worked out at the YMCA for the first time in months. His speech is improving, and he has an appointment with a specialist to seek help on improving his eyesight.

Progress is slow but sure. We're pulling for you, Jake; keep up the good work.

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**MEMBERS MAD MONEY**

At the January party, **Terry Bennett's** name was drawn to win \$75 since the members whose names were drawn at the November and December party were not present to receive their \$25 drawn at each party. Remember that the more parties you attend the better chance you have of winning.

**MEMBERSHIP DUES**

In order to clear up the traffic jam at the check in desk and to help the folks who work the desk avoid errors, we ask that you fill out the **Membership Application Form** on **Page 4**, write your check for \$20 per person, and either bring it to the party desk or mail it to our PO Box address listed on Page 4.

Even though we have many of you on record, please fill out the form because phone numbers and email addresses have changed, or we didn't have them originally. Thanks for helping with this "paper work" task.

**NEW MEMBERS**

Thank you to all members who have rejoined R&B for 2011, and we welcome these new members who have joined November-January. Let's see how many faces we can match with these names at our February party and give them a friendly, hardy R&B welcome. **Pierre Angelac, Ann Allen, Bill Altman, Brad Bays, Debbie Spicer, Susan Clayton, Judi Davis, Jerry Easler, Kim Ellenburg, Brenda & Dan Ellington, Todd Gibbs, Gerald Huber, Dot Morgan, Perry Phillips, Gail Reid, Marilyn & Mike Smith, Shawna & Chuck Snipes, Dianne & Marty Sumner, Jeff Ward, Becky Wall, and Rick Wilson.**

**DAY OF DANCE**

We have an invitation to promote our dance and R&B and to help an organization we have helped before. We need a large group of members to participate in SRMC's Heart Healthy program at **Westgate Mall Saturday, Feb 26, at 12:00 Noon** for about 30 minutes. As a group, we are to give a demonstration dance. **Kathy & Steve** will teach a basic and a simple turn. Then, we are to interact/dance with the participants at the event. Please arrive at Center Court about 20 minutes before we are to perform. A sign-up sheet will be at the February Party. About 25 of our very active members will be in Columbia that Saturday, so we need folks who don't usually volunteer to step up to the plate and participate. **Call Kathy 706-9097** for more information.

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

- FEB 25-27 **ACSC/SOS Winter Workshop** Columbia Shag Club [pwheeler@ed.sc.gov](mailto:pwheeler@ed.sc.gov) [www.columbiashagclub.net](http://www.columbiashagclub.net)
- MAR 3-5 **DJ THROW DOWN** Ocean Drive Spanish Galleon on the Horseshoe
- MAR 25-26 **CAPITAL CITY SHAG EXTRAVANGANZA II**-Capital City Shag Club **Columbia** [mkisel@sc.rr.com](mailto:mkisel@sc.rr.com)
- APR 8-17 **SPRING SAFARI SOS** Ocean Drive in NMB
- JUL 8-10 **ACSC/SOS Summer Workshop** CSRA Shag Club Augusta, GA [www.csrashag.com](http://www.csrashag.com)
- SEP 16-25 **FALL MIGRATION SOS** Ocean Drive in NMB

**SHAGGING AROUND SPARTANBURG**

- **Wed, Feb 16, McKibbon's Pub in Phoenix Inn** 246 Pleasantburg Dr, Greenville 8:00 **DJ Billy Waldrep**
  - **Fri, Feb 18, Greenville Shrine Club** 119 Beverly Rd, Greenville 8:00 Till--**\$7.50 per person**  
**Out-of-Towners Band, Shag Attack Band, Reflections Band, and DJ Pat Patterson**  
 7:00 Serving Hamburger or Hot Dog, French Fries, & Slaw **\$6 per plate**
  - **Fri, Feb 18, Holiday Inn, Augusta Rd, Greenville** 8:00 Till **DJ Terry Hopper**
  - ★ **Sat, Feb 19, R&B Shag Club's Sweethearts Party** Spartanburg Shrine Club 7:30-11:30
  - **Sat, Feb 26, Day of Dance at Westgate Mall** 12:00 Noon till 12:30
- ★ **Every Sunday, Wild Wing Café** at corner of Main & Church in Spartanburg **6:00-10:30**
- ★ **Sat, March 5, "First Saturday" at the Marriott** 8:00 Till **DJ David O'Quinn**
  - **Sat, March 19, "Return to the Roadhouse Blues" 7:00 Till DELBERT McCLINTON**

**Benefit for the Children's Security Blanket at Spartanburg Memorial Auditorium Arena \$35 Admission**

**2011 OFFICERS**

President	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
Vice President	Edward Peeler	576-8606
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Past President	Chuck Johnson	415-7249

**2011 BOARD MEMBERS**

Tom Armstrong	585-7395
Judi Davis	472-8666
David Graham	587-6833
Diann Higgins	578-9604
Stan Sanders	574-7662

**2011 COMMITTEE LEADERS**

Membership	Dot Smith	843-209-1510
Bylaws	Edward Peeler	576-8606
PR & Publicity	Tom Armstrong	585-7395
Budget & Finance	Henry Calhoun	579-2997
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Decorations	<b>Open—Member Needed</b>	
Historian	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
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Newsletter	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
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Webmaster	David Blackwell	472-6459
Dance Floor	Chuck Johnson & Danny Rhodes	574-5528 / 576-5177
Mad Money	Olga Burtnett	576-8591

**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)

**BOARD MEETINGS**

**Members are cordially invited to attend** the Board meetings on the second Monday of each month. The next meeting is **Monday, March 14, 7:00 pm** in 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 calendar or clip and save

**R&B SHAG CLUB CALENDAR**

**Saturday, Feb 19**

**DJ Pat Patterson**

**Sweethearts Party**

**7:30-11:30**

**@ The Shrine Club**

Fri, Mar 18, DJ Terry Hopper

Sat, Apr 30, DJ David Graham

Sat, May 28, DJ Mike Swords

Sat, Jun 25, DJ Skip Lancaster

**Fri-Sun, Jul 22-24, Sparkle City Celebration**

Sat, Aug 27, DJ Dick Hamrick

Fri, Sep 30, DJ Jack Moore

Sat, Oct 29, DJ Chris Aiken

Sat, Nov 19, DJ David O'Quinn

Sat, Dec 17, DJ Mike Swords

**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:**

**February Hostess / Decorator**  
**Nancy Allen**

Membership dues are **\$20 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 when they give their addresses at the sign-in table.

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

## R&B Shag Club of Spartanburg

## Membership Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

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

Cell Phone His \_\_\_\_\_ Hers \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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