

R & B Shag Club of Spartanburg



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Association of
Carolina Shag Clubs



Member Since 1985

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Association



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From Your Vice President:

Thanks to everyone that made the January party a success. The numbers were not great but, the people were fantastic. **Butch Metcalf** was on top of his game. His music was right on. Our next party will have **John "Soup" Campbell** playing. The theme will be *Mardi Gras*. Please join us for a great party.

We had 73 attending with 13 clubs represented. Also, please contact **Stephanie Harrell** if you would be willing to decorate for a party. She still has some dates available. As I said last month; R&B members step up and help. These decorations make a party complete.

Also, Sparkle City is just around the corner. We will be in need of all kinds of volunteers. If you would be willing to help, get in touch with **Stan Sanders** or myself. We will be calling on you, so, go ahead and volunteer, ok? Members, please don't wait too long to make your room reservations and purchase your SCC tickets. The Marriott made available 125 total rooms for this event and as of Wednesday, February 15, **a little over 50% of those rooms have already been reserved.** That's just 3 months after making them available in November. **Only** 340 tickets will be sold for this event. To show you how big our party has become to other clubs; we have around 60 coming from Beaufort shag Club. So, R&B members buy your tickets now.

Our membership was at 164 at our January board meeting. Membership file was purged at the end of January so, if you have R&B friends who say they have not received the newsletter, please ask them if they renewed their membership. They can go to the R&B website to print out a membership form to mail in or bring to the February party.

I have a few tickets left from South Strand Shag CLUB to win 1 week stay at Fall SOS. This is a 3 bedroom-3 bath ocean front room. If interested get in touch with me.

On a good note, our President, **Carolyn** is recovering at home. Still keep her in your prayers and we hope to see her at our parties in the near future.

I close with thanks to each R&B member for all your support and love to our club. You are the best. This country boy hopes to see a crowd in February to hear "SOUP CAMPBELL" play great music for you to dance to.

Danny Rhodes, Vice President

Recap of January Party:

Terry Kuykendall won \$107 from 50/50

Prayers and Concerns

Steve Day- health concerns and surgery

Lula Jean, granddaughter of **Johnny McCraw**, born January 21st, heart surgery @ MUSC; please remember baby **Lula** and her mom **Amy**, as **Lula** will be at MUSC for the next several weeks.

JoAnn Waddell, recovering from knee surgery.

Please contact **Suzie Robinson-Park**, chairperson of the Humanitarian Committee, if you know of anyone in our club who has lost a loved one, or has any health concerns, so that she can make contact with them. (828) 216-5029.

Good Day R&B Club Members,

Well, six weeks have come and gone and yours truly is still trying very hard to get better so I can get back into full swing after the unfortunate accident. First, I want to thank each of you for all the visits, cards, flowers, candy, phone calls, text messages on the phone and Facebook, etc., etc., etc., BUT most of all my family and I deeply appreciate all the love and prayers extended to us and on our behalf for comfort and healing. These mere words in this newsletter just cannot adequately extend to each of you how much you are loved and how appreciative we all are. I am doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances and of the injuries I sustained and want to assure you that I am working as hard as I can to improve each day and return back to the R&B Shag Club and to the dance of shag and to the best of all best of shag friends/family. In the meantime, thank you **Danny Rhodes** for stepping up and taking charge in my absence and until I return. Please give him and all the other officers and Board Members all the support you can, just as you always have. Until I am able to get back with all of you and enjoy being in your presence, whether it will be talking, listening, watching (or perhaps a dance or two) remember, I miss each and every one of you. While I am recuperating, DANCE ONCE FOR ME.

Your part time president,
Carolyn

Happy Birthday!

February	March
01 Jim Kelly	01 Jeannie Fowler
01 Margaret Moore	01 Morgan White
03 Anne Bomar	02 Ann Fulbright
05 Danny Scott	02 Niles Hanna
06 Jerry Wingo	07 Sandra Blackwell
07 Tonya James	09 John O'Donald
08 Bill Carpenter	13 Jim Munn
10 Dale Ward	15 John Ramantanin
11 JR Brannon	15 Vicki Rhodes
14 Donna Brehmer	18 Virginia Cowart
14 David O'Quinn	21 Chuck Allen
18 Bill Anderson	21 Dot Morgan
20 Janice Parks	25 David McAlister
21 Kathy Day	25 Sandra Henderson
22 John Bowles	29 Celeste Arnone
24 Debra West	29 Lisa Curreri
25 John Stowell	29 Ralph Dinsmore
29 Edward Peeler	31 Terry Bennett
	31 Lisa Stamm



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Shagging Around Spartanburg

- Southport: Monthly Upstate Shag Club Party, 2nd Saturday each month
- 1st Saturday, Southport
- Wild Wings 6:30-10:30, Sunday nights; free lessons 6-6:30
- American Legion (upstairs) Hendersonville, NC, 2nd Saturday and last Thursday monthly
- McGourty's Irish Pub, Tryon, NC 2nd & 4th Wednesday, 6:30
- Carolina Ale House, Greenville, Every Tuesday, 7:00
- Still Water Grill, Greer, 1st & 3rd Thursday Nights, 7-10:30
- The Foul Line Lounge, Thursday Nights, 7-11 PM, (469 E Blackstock Rd., Sptg.)

For more info, check the website www.shagdance.com and check flyers on the Information Table at our parties.

**Shag Classes
 Members Who Teach Are**

- Kathy & Steve Day** 864-578-9097-not teaching at this time, due to health concerns.
Robbie Brunson & Tommy Manibusan Tuesday Nights @ Danz Place and Sunday Nights @ Wild Wings
Loretta & John O'Donald 864-489-6371
Cy Miller 828-674-5432
Dennis Fleming 864-292-5802
Phillip (828-713-4473) & **Suzie Robinson-Park** (828-216-5029) (Thursday Night Classes)

Please let us know if any of the above info is incorrect or if others need to be added

Thanks to all the members of R&B Shag Club for all the prayers, cards, food, text, calls & flowers I received during my healing from my By-Pass surgery and the car accident. I've always heard that life can throw you some curves when you least expect it but people & friends like you are the reasons we can survive those curves with the grace of God! Thanks again!

R&B YOU ARE THE BEST, SEE YOU SOON ON THE DANCE FLOOR.....
 Dot Smith
 Membership Chair
 R&B Shag Club

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Past President	Jerry Easler	978-9207

2017 BOARD MEMBERS

LeRhea Armstrong	415-0555
Sandra Blackwell	901-4325
Terry Kuykendall	353-3352
David McAlister	704-904-9391
Stan Sanders	574-7662

2017 COMMITTEE LEADERS

Membership	Dot Smith	843-209-1510
Bylaws	David Blackwell	415-1928
PR & Publicity	Jeff Foster	439-0557
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Decorations	Stephanie Harrell	431-1295
Historian	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
Newsletter	Kathy Blackwell	216-1330
Scrapbooks	Diane Kuykendall	384-5895
Webmaster	David Blackwell	415-1928
Humanitarian	Suzie Robinson-Park	828-216-5029

R&B Board Meetings

You are all invited to attend any Board Meeting. We meet the 1st Monday night of each month @ 6:30 @ downtown YMCA.

Our next meeting is Monday, March 6, 2017

Dance shoes are needed for Jr. Shaggers. Please bring your shoe donations to any monthly party. We will make sure they make it to the Ellen Taylor Foundation Junior Shaggers.



Party February 25
Hosts
Tonya & Brian James

 Theme Mardi Gras 

Hosts are still needed for
April and September
Please contact Stephanie Harrell
If you are interested

Heads Up
May Party Them
Hippie Night



Upcoming Events See R&B website for flyers with more info

Shag Night 2017 W/The Band of Oz, by Union County Health Care Foundation, Union National Guard Armory

2nd Annual Granite City Beach Music & Shag Night, March 11,

15 Day Hawaiian Islands Cruise, March 10-26, American Bop Association

Smokie Mountain Boogie, March 23-25, Smokie Mountain Shaggers

Thursday, July 20, SCC Pre-Party @ The Spartanburg Marriott

Sparkle City Celebration, July 21-23, R&B Shag Club

Spring Safari, April 21-30

Fall Migration, Sept. 15-24

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130 Blackwell Place
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www.rbshagclub.com
www.shagdance.com
www.shagtour.com
www.keepshaggin.net
www.shagcityusa.com

Mark your calendar or clip and save

R&B SHAG CLUB CALENDAR

February 25 DJ John Soup Campbell
March 25 DJ David Graham
April 22 DJ Bill Anderson
May 20 DJ Billy Waldrep
June 24 DJ David Hadden

Each Month @ The 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.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2017

R&B SHAG CLUB

R&B Shag Club Membership Chair
PO Box 3463
Spartanburg, SC 29304

Members and guests must be 21 years or older. Membership offers monthly parties at the Shrine Club and newsletters. **Party Fees:** Members \$5, Guests \$10. **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.

\$20/person
(New & Renew)

We need everyone's help...

Please select:

- Membership**
- Sign-in Desk**
- Decorations**
- Sparkle City Celebration**
- 50/50 Tickets**

Name _____ Sex _____

Address _____ Birth Mo ____ Day ____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____

Mobile # _____ Home Phone # _____

(One form per person)

Newsletter by: Circle E-mail / Mail

Signature _____

Date _____