

**R & B Shag Club
of Spartanburg**



1981-2015

Shag Lines

JANUARY 2015

Association of
Carolina Shag Clubs



Member Since 1985

American Bop
Association



Member Since 2008

Letter from the President:

Hi, ya'll.. 2015 is here and I'm your new President... Chuck Johnson

Born and raised in Spartanburg.. so that makes me a local ! Spartan High, Spartanburg Jr. & Wofford College; spent my High School & College summers at O.D. dancing at the Pad & Sonny's on the pier in Cherry Grove. Those really were the good old days; problem was I didn't know it at the time !!! Drinking Blue Ribbon beer; and playing with the Spartanburg girls that stayed at the Pokie Dot House located in Ocean Drive; Went to the Beach Club out on highway 17; saw the Hot Nuts, Billy Stewart, Tams, and many more. This was in the early 60's Yes, I just had my 50th class reunion this year. With my little bitty buddy Kim Maynard ; boy did we have fun. That's when I first learned to Shag; 11th grade; put my belt on the door knob of my bedroom (that I shared with my little sister) & did the basic; over & over & over...back then the count was 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8... not the count today 1&2, 3&4, 5,6... why & who changed it !!! It was good just the way it was. It was pretty hard for me to relearn the new count. Our house had NO air conditioning; you talking about sweating

in the summer while I was trying to learn this stupid dance. The only reason I wanted to learn to dance, in the first place, was to dance with the girls. Boy was that a mistake! Anyway, enough of dancing down memory lane.

******Jim Quick is coming to our January Re-up party at the Shrine Club. A GREAT deal for our members @ ONLY \$10. So, come on out to play with about 200 of your fellow shaggers. It will be a good time.**

****** New Year's Eve party at the Marriott was GREAT. Jeff Foster & David O'Quinn kept the floor full all night long & Food was real good. We had 210 that night! Marriott has already booked Jeff & David for next year. So make your plans to be there.**

******Wild Wings on Sunday night dancing is over. It was a long & good run. Sorry to see it end. Hey, Wild Wings, thanks for memories... it was fun!**

Chuck

Happy Birthday! Shaggers

January	February
01 Susan Henderson	05 Danny Scott
02 Stan Rochester	06 Jerry Wingo
03 Susan Hill	07 Tim Kelly
03 Martha Kimmer	07 John Rogers, Jr
04 Robert E. Hill, Jr	08 Bill Carpenter
04 Roy Bishop	08 Kathleen Schenkel
05 Pamela Brown	10 Carl Brown
05 Diann Easler	10 Debbie Spicer
05 Beth Taylor	11 J.R. Brannon
07 Laura Catto	11 Bruce Woodfin
08 Tony Eubanks	14 Donna Brehmer
08 Michael Pedro McGuire	14 David O'Quinn
10 Donna Paulowsky	15 Janice E. Greene
11 Eddie Baker	17 Jan Jackson
11 Russell Burch	18 Wayne Kimmer
11 Terri Wix	18 Marsha Yarborough
16 Danny Rhodes	20 Janice M Parks
17 Steven Boyles	21 Kathy Day
17 Candy Hanna	25 John Stowell
19 Pat Patterson	26 Dwain Faulkner
20 Larry Brehmer	28 John Bainbridge
20 Ann M Landry	28 Jan Oliver
21 Roger Hayes	29 Edward Peeler
23 Fred Wofford	
24 Cathy Brown	
27 Terry Kuykendall	
27 Debra Miller	
28 Ron Taylor	
29 Georgia Vaughn	



If your birthdate is incorrect in the newsletter, or your name is misspelled, please email and let me know. It may be a typo on my part or we may have your information incorrect on our master membership list. khblackwell@windstream.net. Thanks!

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The Exclusive Shag Jewelry Place
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 at Discount Prices on Site
Betty Kirtly & Danny Yarborough
 Reidville Circle Center 1735 Reidville Road Suite 6
 Spartanburg, SC 29301 864-576-7600

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; **John & Loretta O'Donald** in Gaffney 864-489-6371; **Dennis Fleming** 864-292-5802 dfdancing@aol.com ;

Over \$650.00 was raised in December for Camp Kemo from the monthly 50/50 and donations. **Darrell Massey** won the 50/50 and donated it back to the club to be given to Camp Kemo. Thanks **Darrell**

New Party Entry Fees
 Beginning February 2015
 Members \$5.00 each
 Guest: \$10.00
 Other Shag Club Members \$7.00 (membership card is required)

Shagging Around Spartanburg

- 1st & 3rd Fridays, Danz Place
- Shagging on Trade Street (Greer), 2nd Fridays
- Southport: Monthly Upstate Shag Club Party, 2nd Saturday each month

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

PLAN B DESIGNS

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Moore, SC 29369 **Cell 864-431-3946**
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 Saturday till 5:00 pm
 Closed Sunday **582-8474**

2015 OFFICERS

President	Chuck Johnson	574-5528
Vice President	Jerry Easler	978-9207
Secretary	Sandra Blackwell	877-3643
Treasurer	Angela Eubanks	574-7477
Past President	Danny Rhodes	576-5177

2015 BOARD MEMBERS

David Blackwell	415-1928
Jane Clary	472-3693
Tony Eubanks	574-7477
Leslie Rufus	590-7427
Jeff Foter	439-0557

2015 COMMITTEE LEADERS

Membership	Dot Smith	843-209-1510
Bylaws	David Blackwell	415-1928
PR & Publicity	Tom Armstrong	585-7395
Budget & Finance	Angela Eubanks	574-7477
Ways & Means	Carolyn Wingate	576-2070
DJs	Danny Rhodes	576-5177
Decorations		
Historian	Phyllis Drake	583-4656
Newsletter	Kathy Blackwell	216-1330
Scrapbooks	Elaine Sarratt	494-6900
Webmaster	David Blackwell	415-1928
Dance Floor	Chuck Johnson & Danny Rhodes	574-5528 576-5177

GOOD MUSIC

- www.thecarolinabreeze.com - Buck Crumpton, Jim Bowers, Jeff Foster, Terry Hopper, David O'Quinn
- 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
- **Pat Patterson** on 91.9 FM www.largetimenetwork.com
- www.shagcityusa.com & www.yourbeachmusic.com

Upcoming Events

- Smokey Mountain Boogie** -- March 26-28, (Smokey Mountain Shag Club)
- Summer Boogie Blast** -- May 21-24, (Music City Bop Club)
- Boogie on the Riverwalk** -- June 17-21, (Jacksonville Beach Bop Association)
- Sparkle City Celebration** -- July 24-26, (R&B Shag Club)
- Choo Choo Shag Tracks** -- Aug. 13-15, (Choo Choo Shag Club)
- Boogie in the Bluegrass** -- Oct 8-10, (Derby City Bop Club)
- Move Across The River** -- Nov. 11-15, (Cincinnati Bop Club)

www.rbshagclub.org/flvers.html

Prayers and Concerns

Homer (Buddy) Miller as he continues treatments.

Georgia Vaughn, cancer treatments.

Linda Holland in the recent death of her brother.

If you know of concerns of our R&B members, please contact Kathy Blackwell @ khblackwell@windstream.net, so they can be included on our website and in the newsletter.

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Inman, SC 29349

www.rbshagclub.com
www.shagdance.com
www.shagtour.com
www.keepshaggin.net
www.shagcityusa.com

Mail to this Shagger:

Mark your calendar or clip and save

R&B SHAG CLUB CALENDAR

January 24, **Jim Quick**
 February 28, **Buck Crumpton**
 March 28, **Bobby Vaughn**
 April 18, **David Graham**
 May 30, **Billy Waldrep**
 June 27, **Jeff Foster**

Each Month @ TheSHRINE 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



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

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2015

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. **New Membership is \$25 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.

\$25/person (New)
 \$20/person (Renew)

We need everyone's help... Please select one.

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

Name _____ New ___ Renew ___
 Address _____ Home Phone # _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Newsletter by: Circle E-mail / Mail
 E-mail _____ Birth Mo ___ Day ___ Sex ___
 Occupation _____ Mobile # _____
 Spouse _____ New ___ Renew ___
 E-Mail _____ Birth Mo ___ Day ___ Sex ___
 Occupation _____ Mobile # _____
 Signature _____ Spouse _____ Date _____