

# R & B Shag Club of Spartanburg



1981-2017

# Shag Lines

JUNE 2017

Association of  
Carolina Shag Clubs



Member Since 1985

American Bop  
Association



Member Since 2008

**From Your President:** Hello Members:

Thank you to all our members (and the many guests) who attended our May 20th Hippy Dance. For those of you who weren't with us, I must say you missed a great dance with some of the best costumes depicting the "Hippy" generation and some of the best decorations. Of course the food was great, the music provided by our own decorated **Jeff Foster** couldn't have been better, keeping the dance floor full, and just a great time enjoyed by all who came. The hosts and hostesses went all out with decorations and also kept the floor full of dancers with "dance cards" which, by the way, was won by **Mr. Harris**, one of our many guests from the Simpsonville area, who I believe danced with almost every lady there. I believe he was the first gentleman to have his card completely full. We may have the "dance cards" again at our next dance which really got people moving and dancing.

Saturday, June 24th, is our dance for this month with a theme of barbeque. **Brian and Tonya James** will be our hosts for this event and we are asking everyone to bring your barbeque dishes (to include such dishes as barbeque, baked beans, slaw, potato salad, pickles, chips, etc.,) and other snacks to share and also be sure to invite your friends and guests to come. Our DJ will be **David Hadden** from Hendersonville and David always keeps the floor hopping with his music and will, of course, take requests - just let him know.

A Very Big Thank You for all who went early to Saluda on May 27th to help decorate for our annual Shaggin' In Saluda dance honoring our armed forces and also to all those who came to dance and socialize, and a special thanks for those who brought food to sell. We were all overjoyed and overwhelmed with so many cakes, pies, cookies, brownies, and the like, and you will be glad to know that after all expenses were deducted from the sale of baked goods, door sales, etc., we had over \$2,100 to donate to the **Ellen Taylor Foundation for Junior**

**Shaggers.** As we all know, Shaggers are just a special kind of people, always helping when there is a need.

**SPARKLE CITY CELEBRATION!!!** If you haven't made reservations or purchased your tickets, please know that as I type this message there were only **32 tickets left**, and that number may be less by the time you receive this newsletter. **VERY IMPORTANT BOOZE BUGGY INFO:** At this time we do not have nearly enough donations to complete our booze buggy. **David McAlister** will have a table set up in the lobby to accept donations at the party Saturday night. We will accept Booze or Cash donations. PLEASE, remember to bring yours ASAP. You may also get you donation to any office or board member

Our membership stands at 216 as present and you can see Dot Smith, our membership chair at our dance or she usually has some applications when we are out and about. We want each and every member to talk to your friends encouraging them to join us.

Our 50/50 winner at our May dance was Stan Rochester pocketing some \$57. Congrats to Stan!

**SHAGGERS ARE SPECIAL PEOPLE. COME JOIN THE FUN.**

Carolyn Wingate, President

**Dance shoes are needed for Jr. Shaggers.** Please bring your shoe donations to any monthly party. There will be a decorated box available in which to place the shoes. We will make sure they make it to **the Ellen Taylor Foundation Junior Shaggers.**



*Happy Birthday!*

June	July
01 Tony Curreri	02 Dot Smith
03 Fred Pitts	07 Diane Kuykendall
06 Linda Holland	09 Ted Johnson
06 James R Richards	10 Gloria Baker
07 Rick Wilson	11 John Beason
09 Ronald Gurley	11 Melony Fowler
11 Gene Vinson	11 Cyrus Miller
12 John (Soup) Campbell	13 Linda Pritcher
14 Ronnie Blackwell	15 Elisabeth A Smith
16 Phillip Park	16 Roxie Worthy
16 Jim Patterson	20 Jenny McAlister
17 Ann Blackwell	21 Mickey Hammett
17 Skip Watkins	24 Chip Knothe
18 Jesse Taylor	31 Carolyn Wingate
19 Dennis Fleming	
25 BJ Harris	
26 Bill Altman	
28 David Graham	



**Sparkle City Info**  
**VERY IMPORTANT**

**Booze Buggy:** Refer to President's Notes for more info  
We also need volunteers to sign up to sell tickets during the SCC party. We will also have a sign up sheet available (30 minute time slots, Friday & Saturday nights)

Please call **Stacey Fowler** (864-237-0237) to sign up to help with **50/50** during the SCC party (30 minute time slots, Friday & Saturday nights)

As you can see, it will take many volunteers to make SCC a success; it takes us all; Let's do our best to ALL be involved.

**Reserved Table Info:** There are 10 seats per table. To reserve a table for 10 you must:

- (1) Have completed the SCC form
- (2) Paid your reservation fee
- (3) Include the names of the 10 people who wish to sit together

**This is on a first come, first serve request.** Danny Rhodes has already begun work on the seating arrangements as registrations have come in. Please make your request **directly to Danny Rhodes** at 864-576-5177 or email him at [dannyrhodes5@yahoo.com](mailto:dannyrhodes5@yahoo.com).

**If you are completing your reservation as a couple and last names are different, please include both names to insure reservation and seating are correct.**

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*Shagging Around Spartanburg*

- Southport: Monthly Upstate Shag Club Party, 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday each month
- 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday, Southport
- Wild Wings 6:30-10:30, Sunday nights; free lessons 6-6:30
- American Legion (upstairs) Hendersonville, NC, 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday and last Thursday monthly
- Carolina Ale House, Greenville, Every Tuesday, 7:00
- Still Water Grill, Greer, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday Nights, 7-10:30
- Carolina Shag Club, Every Wednesday, Runaway Grill, 7:30

For more info, check the website [www.shagdance.com](http://www.shagdance.com) and check flyers on the Information Table at our parties.

June 24<sup>th</sup> Party Theme  
**BBQ Night**



Hosts: Tonya & Bryan James  
**Bring a crock pot of BBQ, BBQ chicken, Baked Beans or whatever your favorite dish is for a BBQ.**

**August 23 Party Theme**  
**Black & White Night**  
Hosts: Diann & Jerry Easler

Congratulations to **Kermit & Morgan White** on the arrival of a son, **James Aldon White**, April 19<sup>th</sup>. He weighed 5 lbs. 12 oz and was 18 " long. He is doing well and mom says "such a blessing to all of us".

Congratulations to **Dot Smith** on the arrival of a great granddaughter, **Rylee Elizabeth Buckley**, born April 14<sup>th</sup>.

**PLAN B DESIGNS**

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**222 Cumberland Dr Home 864-587-6833**  
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**cwgshag@aol.com**

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**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
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**R&B Board Meetings**

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

Our next meeting is Monday, July 3, 2017

Congratulations to **Phillip & Suzie Park**, instructors of **Brad & Sarah Lucas**, who won Augusta Road Shag Competition in Greenville, SC, Saturday, June 17. The 1<sup>st</sup> place team instructors received a donation made in their name to Carolina Shag Club's charity, Camp Courage, a camp for children with cancer.

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

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

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

**Meet Me in the Middle a Sand Flea Reunion, August 4-5, Carolina Shag Club**

**Move Across The River, Cincinnati Bop Club, November, 8-12, 2017**

**Fall Migration, Sept. 15-24**

**19<sup>th</sup> Annual Smoky Mountain Boogie, March 22-24, 2018, Smoky Mountain Shaggers, Pigeon Forge, TN**

**Prayers and Concerns:**

**Phillip Park** knee surgery June 19

**Jane Reed** surgery recovery (& great news on surgical results)

**Terry Kuykendall** health concerns

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

**Shag Classes  
Members Who Teach Are**

**Kathy & Steve Day** 864-578-9097

**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) (Wednesday Nights, beginner Class) (Thursday Nights, intermediate Class)

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

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Mark your calendar or clip and save

**R&B SHAG CLUB CALENDAR**

August 26<sup>th</sup> DJ Bobby Vaughn  
September 30<sup>th</sup> DJ Buck Crumpton  
October 29<sup>th</sup> DJ Billy Waldrep  
November 25<sup>th</sup> DJ David O'Quinn  
December 12<sup>th</sup> DJ Norman Mills

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 \_\_\_\_\_