

## R & B Shag Club of Spartanburg



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MARCH 2012

Association of  
Carolina Shag Clubs



Member Since 1985

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Member Since 2008

### A Message from your President:

#### February Party Recap

Well you just never know what can happen at one of our monthly parties and the February party was a good example. DJ **Pat Patterson** and his talented **Monkey** were in rare form as they entertained and played great music all night. Its great to see the floor full of dancers having such a good time. Thanks once again to the members who brought appetizers and desserts for partiers to enjoy. **Dot Smith, Chuck Johnson, Floyd and Janis Ross along with Charlene Sanders** did a great job decorating and setting up. Special thanks to **Betty Kirtley** and **B&D Jewelers** for the generous donation of 2 gift certificates valued at \$50.00 each for the club to use to enhance the 50/50. Congratulations to **Jack Mabry** who won \$126.00, **Gay Moody** and **Ann Peeler** for winning the certificates provided by **Betty** and **B&D Jewelers**.

#### ACSC Winter Work Shop

**Chuck Johnson** and **Dot Smith** represented R&B at this year's ACSC February meeting at Hilton Head and **Dot** presented a thorough report of the ACSC activities to the Board at March meeting. Thanks **Dot** and **Chuck!**

#### March Board Meeting

The Board voted to change the date for our October party when it was discovered we had conflict of dates with the M.E.S.S. Fall Bash and since 50 to 60 of our members have already gotten tickets for this year's event. We moved our date from the 20<sup>th</sup> to Friday, October 26<sup>th</sup>. Please change that date on the back of your membership cards.

#### Scrap Book

Have you checked out the R&B Scrap Books lately? Jo **Ann Waddell** does an amazing job of assembling and updating the scrap books. Next party find the scrap books on the table just past the sign in table and see for yourself and maybe even see yourself in one of the books.

#### Spring SOS

If you'd like a chance to win \$7,500.00 at SOS "Fun Monday" get your ticket now. We will have raffle tickets at the March party if you're interested and remember you do not have to be present at SOS to win. Also, R&B will have a parade float entry in the SOS parade this year. **Jerry Easler** is our Float Chairman and he has assembled a crew to work on this, so I know it will be very impressive.

#### March Party

With daylight savings time now behind us and the first day of spring right around the corner, its time to party! **Mike Swords**, another great DJ, will be with us on March 23. This is a Friday so don't work too hard the 23<sup>rd</sup> and leave work early if you have to in order to join us at 7:30 when the fun begins.

See you at the Dance!

**Edward Peeler**

#### Learn the State Dance

R&B is hosting a "Learn Our State Dance - The Shag" Night (OPEN TO THE PUBLIC)

FREE SHAG LESSONS @ the Spartanburg Shrine Club, Friday, May 11, 2012

Instructions 7- 9pm by **Steve & Kathy Day** ..Pro-Level dancers...KNOWN ALL OVER THE SOUTHEAST FOR TEACHING THE SHAG....

**David O'Quinn** will be our DJ..he plays great shag music Practice 9-11pm.. We are asking all our members to come out and help.

The last time we did this we had over 400 people to show up.. it was crazy !!!

We are putting ads in the paper... plus the Stroller column...Pass the Word!!!

Should be a wild night !!!!! See you there...

**Chuck Johnson**

#### Membership News

Our R&B membership total for 2012 is 207 with 21 new members.. what a great start!! So come on out to the March 23<sup>rd</sup> party and bring a friend.. laugh, dance & meet new friends..What a great way to spend the evening..dancing to our own beach music ..

**Mike Swords**, an Anderson boy, is our DJ this month .. he is one of our favorites!!

## Happy Birthday!

March	April
01 Peggy Edwards	01 Jane Reed
02 Ann Fulbright	09 Jo Ann Waddell
02 Millie Gillispie	12 Jim Boxerman
06 Carol Woodward	12 Kacie Sims
07 Sandra Blackwell	13 Trudi Sarratt
07 Brenda Brown	13 Kati Woodfin
09 John O'Donald	14 Sheron Damani
09 Carroll Womack	15 Sarah Alexander
10 Puz Allen	18 David Blackwell
10 Frances Hammett	18 Ellen Gramling
13 Jim Munn	19 John Gramling
15 Roger Page	20 Betty Pritchett
15 Vicki Rhodes	26 Pierre Angelac
23 Pam Davis	26 Lloyd Ganns
29 Ralph Dinsmore	26 Betty Kirtley
31 Terry Bennett	28 Loretta O'Donald
	29 Jan Ward

### 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 Kathy # 472-6459 or [khblackwell@windstream.net](mailto:khblackwell@windstream.net) for more information.

### CONCERNS

**Ray Belue (Percy)** had open heart surgery March 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Sympathies are extended to **Ralph Dinsmore** in the recent death of his mother, Bobbie Dinsmore.

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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Shaggers,

Wow! What a great group of fun-loving, caring people you are. When I first took shag lessons, our shag class was invited to visit one of the R&B shag club monthly parties. **Char** and I went and shortly thereafter, we also went to a shag workshop held at the Arts Center. **Tom and LeRhea**, along with **Floyd and Janis**, were persistent for us to come back and join the club. We did and, boy, are we glad we did. We have made so many close and wonderful friends through shagging. We are so grateful to the shag world and I encourage you to attend the parties. Enjoy the great music, socialize, and keep the dance floor full! I'll be looking for YOU on the dance floor at our next party!

**Stan Sanders**

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

- Smokie Mountain Boogie March 15-17 2012
- Central Savannah River Area Shagin' in CandyLand March 16-18, 2012
- Capital City Shag Extravaganza III March 30-April 1, 2012
- First Coast Shag Club, Shaggin on the St. Johns Too, July 13-15, 2012
- Sparkle City Celebration July 27-29, 2012
- Choo Choo Shag Tracks XVIII August 16-18, 2012
- 1<sup>st</sup> Annual SOS at Sea Cruise October 7-14, 2012
- MESS Fall Bash 2012: October 19 & 20, 2012

[www.rbshagclub.org/flyers.html](http://www.rbshagclub.org/flyers.html)

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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.

- APR 20-29** SPRING SAFARI SOS Ocean Drive in NMB  
**JUL 13-15** ACSC/SOS Summer Workshop Hosted by First Coast Shag Club in Jacksonville, FL  
**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

**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.
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**BOARD MEETINGS**

**Members are cordially invited to attend** the Board meetings on the first Monday of each month. The next meeting is **Monday, April 2, 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. 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](mailto:khblackwell@windstream.net); 472-6459; 216-1330.

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Mark your calendar or clip and save

**R&B SHAG CLUB CALENDAR**

**Friday, March 23**

**7:30-11:30**

**DJ Mike Swords**

**@ The Shrine Club**

Sat, Apr 21, DJ David Graham

Sat, May 19, DJ Buck Crumpton

Sat, Jun 30, DJ Skip Lancaster

**Fri-Sun, Jul 27-29 Sparkle City Celebration**

**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:**

If you do not re-up your membership by the end of February, this will be your final newsletter.



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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