

## Palmetto Shag Club Newsletter www.palmettoshagclub.com June 2015



Home of Southern Comfort

## Letter from Our President

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Southern Comfort... ALL I CAN SAY IS WOW!!!!!!! I just can't believe how everyone came together to make this party such a success. YOU ALL HAVE MY MANY THANKS!!!!

The work started on Thursday morning. When Barbara Guard and Brenda Price showed up and started making the ballroom look fabulous with decorations. They had help from Janice Thomas, Sara Skenes and Trent Hooper. I will tell you that everyone was impressed with how beautiful it looked.

Our floor guys showed up at 2:30 with our new dance floor on our trailer, with Troy Dixon leading the charge, it only took them 50 minutes to get that new wonderful floor down.

Then Friday morning, it was time to get the Chinese Auction set up. Janice Thomas, Barbara Guard and Brenda Price took all of the donations from Club Members and Businesses and made them pop. The Chinese Auction was a hit and the best money maker that we have had in recent years. The people who won items on Saturday night were all smiles. So again...WOW!!!!

Then a little later on Friday morning it was time to set up the Hospitality Suite. The food and desserts were wonderful as well as all the drinks that were served. The hospitality suite was set up by Linda and Billy Fanning, Jim and Vickie Kane and Bill and Shay Smith. Boy did they make it special and of course we had our own Dee Dee running the bar and DJ Billy Fanning (aka your Vice President) spinning the tunes. The hospitality suite was a huge hit with our out-oftowners.

The DJ's in the ballroom kept our new floor full. We were pleased to have Billy Fanning, Skip Mallios, Gene Sistare, Rodney Still and Ed Timberlake keeping the music rocking for us all weekend long. We even had a performance by Harmonica John. We received rave reviews on the new dance floor and the DJ's kept it full the whole time. And of course each evening we had our Split Pot crews working the crowd. I do believe that some folks come just to see who will visit us for split pot. Friday was a wide assortment of characters and then on Saturday we were visited by four Genie's. So I am sure everyone made their wishes known.

The Dance Lessons on Saturday were full and many folks picked up a couple of new steps or a line dance. The floor was full for both lessons.

This year, we were able to bring the pool party back and everyone who attended had a great time. Both Skip Mallios and Gene Sistare kept the pool rocking. Several folks brought shooters to share and the hotel provided complimentary beer and wine.

I would like to say a special thanks to my cochair and husband, who has worked tirelessly and been by my side constantly making sure that Southern Comfort XVIII would be a super success. I would also like to thank the staff of the Double Tree hotel who went out of their way to make everyone feel welcome and they were there anytime we needed to make an adjustment.

WHAT'S NEXT....BUS TRIP, Lynn's June 20th. The price is still just \$20 per person. We only have 5 seats left, so call and send your money in quickly. We will start loading at 5:00pm in Columbia, with departure at 5:30pm, then onto our quick stop in Blythwood for the rest of the gang. Lynn's has agreed to wave the cover charge and provide us with appetizers... and we know it will be a great time. We will take the first 50 to sign up on the bus. If you are driving up separately make sure that I know, so we can get you in with us and have your cover charge waved.

Hope to see you all on the Dance Floor Soon!

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### Thank you to all of our volunteers!!!! YOU made Southern Comfort XVIII a success!!



#### Your Co-Chairs for the event. Cecil & Susan Martin





8 of our men put down and took up our NEW PROFESSIONAL DANCE FLOOR.... AND IT WAS DOWN IN 50 minutes... Boy what a difference... and we got nothing but rave reviews! Thanks Guys!!!

Troy Dixon Billy Fanning Trent Hopper Jim Kane Cecil Martin Ted Price Bob Prather Dan Seibert



6 of our members decorated the Ballroom to make it pop! It really gave Southern Comfort a special party atmosphere!

Barbara Guard Brenda Price Janice Thomas Sara Skenes Trent Hopper Susan Martin





14 of our members made the Hospitality Suite a Super Success! The Food was wonderful, the desserts a delight, the beverages cold and plentiful and the music rocked.....

Billy & Linda Fanning Jim & Vickie Kane Bill & Shay Smith Cecil & Susan Martin Margaret Cromer Sue Patterson Jackie Nichols David Stout Tom O'Neal Bartender Dee Dee Durham





13 of our members entertained the crowd while they collected Split Pot Funds!

Janice Bartell Jeanne Clavel Brenda Dixon Troy Dixon Jenny Fletcher John Fletcher Rhetta Griffin Paula Malone Kendall McLeod Tommy O'Brien Sheri O'Brien Bob Prather Ellie Sidenberg



2 of our members made sure that there would be lots of Photographs of every event. Check out the Website to see them all. They are already up!



#### **Gene Baughman**



#### **Trent Hopper**







37 of our members helped with Registration, the Door and the Dinner Line to make sure that all of our guests were checked in and welcomed.



Ken Akin Gene Bellis Jack Bryant Jeanne Clavel Laverne Cook Legree Dyson Billy Fanning Linda Fanning Dennis Gehr Rhetta Griffin Ann Humphries Dan Humphries Mike Hurley Susan Martin Cecil Martin Terry McKinnon Bill Moody Connie Moody Jackie Nichols Tom O'Neal Bob Patterson Sue Patterson Sue Patterson Novelene Powell Ann Roberge Ellie Sidenberg Helen Still

Rodney Still David Stout Gerry Stricklin Ron Stricklin Jennie Swygert Mark Swygert Bruce Taylor David Taylor Lisa Taylor Karen Way Rick Williams



CHINESE AUCTION

#### THANK YOU!!



Thanks to everyone who donated items for the Chinese Auction during Southern Comfort. What a great response... 84 items were donated by PSC members and businesses! A special thanks to Barbara Guard and Brenda Price who so generously volunteered their time to assist with soliciting donations, getting items to the venue, setting up the display and adding the WOW! factor, and selling tickets both days. Thanks also to Gerry Stricklin for her help with the end of the auction. Here is the list of members and businesses who so generously donated items!

Again, thanks, thanks, thanks! Janice Thomas, Auction Chair

Janice Bartell Bedazzled Jewelry Pam Bussert Catch 22 Corner Pocket Judy Dawson Brenda & Troy Dixon/The Metal Works, Inc.

Cora Ellis Linda & Billy Fanning Barbara Guard Elsie Hornsby Pat & Bobby Johnson Jim & Vickie Kane Low Country Shaggers Susan & Cecil Martin Connie & Bill Moody Ann Osborne Palmetto Shag Club Peggy Pauley Phelps Jewelers Brenda Price Ellie Sidenberg Shoe Center Sara Skenes Southern First Bank Gerry Stricklin Janice Thomas Texas Roadhouse Tony's Pizza Shelbia Trotter Wings & Ale

A Huge Thank You to Janice Thomas who made the Chinese Auction come together!!!! THANKS SO VERY MUCH!!!! Susan Martin, President

# Southern Comfort XVIII fun continues!



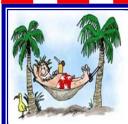
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ACSC 2016 Summer Workshop Southern Comfort XIX Park & Party Double Tree by Hilton July 8–10, 2016

Save the Date. Next year we will be combining the ACSC 2016 Summer Workshop with Southern Comfort XIX. It will be held on July 8 –10, 2016 so save that date for a wonderful party.

We will allow Reserved Tables as we have for Southern Comfort in the past. So save the date for a Southern Comfort in July next year.

We will provide details as they are developed, but expect this to be an extra special Southern Comfort.

#### SAVE THE DATE AUGUST 1, 2015 PSC RE-UP PARTY

**Coming Next Month...** 

Carolina Beach Music Awards

Could there be a way to get our Shag Music and our Dance recognized in the Grammy Awards? Wouldn't that be great!

Next month we will give you some information about an organization called the CBMA or the Carolina Beach Music Academy. Some of you may have heard them called the CAMMY's. We will show you how you can become part of the movement in next month's newsletter.

2015 SOS Cards Now Available

Cecil & Susan Martin have SOS Cards for \$30 each which is a \$5 savings for our members. If you need a card call 803-609-8170 or email rcecilmartin@gmail.com or susan.martin956@gmail.com PSC Shag Notes Keeping you Informed Shag Notes are emailed to our members weekly and/or as necessary to the email addresses you provide on your membership application. If you are not receiving Shag Notes or want to provide information for the publication contact:

Novelene Powell at: npowell09@aol.com



## Where We Shag



The Corner Pocket Shaggin' at the Pocket 489 Piney Grove Road, at I-26 (803) 731-0403 Every Friday—7:00pm

Jillian's in the Vista Groove Shack – 7:00PM (803) 779-7789 Every <u>Thursday – 7:00pm</u> Butch Davidson

## Happy Birthday!!!

3 Elizabeth Clarkson Shay Smith

June

- 6 Renée' Roby
- 14 Patricia Cafaro
- 15 Sheri O'Brien
- 16 Jimmy Lorick
- 20 Donna Nash
- 21 Joann Barr
- 22 David Taylor
- 24 Gerry Stricklin
- 25 Margaret Young
- 26 Tom Gaines
- **Bob Patterson** 29 Wade Sightler
- 30 Carolyn Creasman

2 Bob Davis 5 Greg Moore

July

- 7 Bill Moody 15 Nancy Hilliard 16 Jackie Nichols
- 22 Ron Stricklin 27 Laverne Cook
  - **Terry McKinnon**
  - 28 Rickie Chavis
  - **30 Margaret Cromer Skip Mallios**

#### **Other Shag Events Coming Up**

ACSC Summer Workshop — July 10-12, 2015 Hosted by the Northern Virginia Shag Club in Fairfax, VA

Junior SOS — July 14-19, 2015 North Myrtle Beach

Shagging on the Santee, Santee, S.C. Sponsored by the Orangeburg Shag Club July 23-26, 2015 Flyer Attached

Sparkle City Celebration, Spartanburg, S.C. July 24—26, 2015 Flyer Attached

SOS at Sea III—October 11–18 2015 Flyer Attached



#### 2015 *ISC* Calendar — Save the Dates

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> > **Re-up Party** Woodmen of the World August 1, 2015 DJ Mike Harding

SOS Fall Migration - September 18-27, 2015 Ice Tea Party—September 26, 2015 North Myrtle Beach

> Party at the Pocket **DJ Marathon** October 24, 2015

Thankmus Party Woodmen of the World November 21, 2015 **DJ Billy Fanning** 

**New Year's Eve Park & Party** December 31, 2015 **Double Tree by Hilton** DJ's Skip Mallios & Gene Sistare

#### **Dance Instructors**

Dan & Ann Humphries - 803-609-6361 or humphriesdan@aol.com

Garrett Humphries - 803-269-SHAG or scshagger@msn.com

Michael Norris - 803-740-5230 or michaelandleann1@mac.com

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Immed Past Pres. Cecil Martin Webmaster Phone: (803) 542-6517 Email: rcecilmartin@gmail.com

#### 2015 Palmetto Shag Club Committee's

Email: janice8@hotmail.com

Shag Notes: Novelene Powell Membership: Ann Roberge Financial Review: Rodney Still Decorations: Barbara Guard & Brenda Price Food & Parade Chair: Linda Fanning Bar: Jim and Vickie Kane Desserts: Bill and Shay Smith Photographers: Gene Baughman, Trent Hopper

By-Laws Committee Patty Lovett, Chair Johnsie Douglas Connie Moody Jennie Swygert David Taylor

# 17 Steve Cox 18 Jennie Swygert 21 Helen Kearney



City, State, Zip:\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:

Number of Teletts:\_\_\_\_\_

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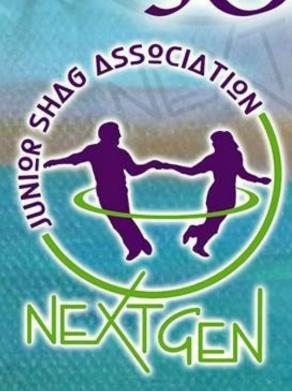
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email

Tickets are \$79 until June 18, 2015; \$90 thereafter

## The future of Shag Dancing lies in the hearts and feet of our Juniors!

# **JUNIOR** July 15-20, 2014



Check the website for early registration

## **COCEAN DRIVE**

Proudly hosted by Ocean Drive Beach & Golf Resort North Myrtle Beach, SC find us on Facebook

www.juniorshaggers.com

July 23-26 Quality Inn & Suites, Santee S.C. No 1 Day Tickets - Cut Off At 150 People

agging On The Santee

Thurs: 1PM **Early Checkin** Pre Party 7PM Until **DJ- John Fletcher** 

Fri: 1PM

**Music By The Pool - Hospitality** 

4:30-5:30

**Pool Party** Silent Auction **Booze Cooler Raffle** Bring your Chairs, tent, & Favorite Beverage No Glass Containers Sat Night Dinner In in pool area **Dancing In The Ball Room** 

Sat: 12PM **Our Famous Pool Party DJ** - The Furm Beer & Pizza 12:30 - 2:00

**The Restaurant** 

7PM Until **DJ - Jim Bowers** 

Sat: 10AM Dance Work Shop

With

**Tommy & Sheri** 

Fri. Night 8PM **Dancing In The** Ball Room **DJ - Buck Crumpton** 

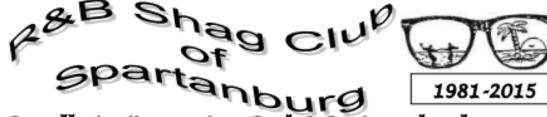
Sun Breakfast For Hotel Guest

Tickets - Non Refundable: \$65 per/person Before July 1 2015 \$75 per/person after July 1 Shagging On The Santee Room Rates \$65(King/Double) \$88 Suites Return Application Below For Ea Person Attending With Payment To: OASC The Quality Inn & Suites (803-854-2121) Requires Ticket Conformation numbers From The OASC For Reservations, Mail Application To: Furman Dominick 2438 Patriot Rd Manning SC 29102 803-478-2678

Name Spouse/Guest: Address: Email Telephone\_ NO ASMAN ANA AND AND AN AND A

#### Nominated for Cammy Award for Shag Club Event of the Year





Proudly invites you to a Park & Party weekend

## SPARKLE CITY CELEBRATION

Dance, Music, Food, Beverages, & a Large Wooden Dance Floor in a Smoke-Free Ballroom in the Elegant Marriott Hotel at Renaissance Park

> 299 North Church Street, Spartanburg, SC 29306 Convenient to I-85 and I-26 Highways

#### JULY 24 - 26, 2015

4 GREAT DJs

David O'Quinn Billy Waldrep Jeff Foster Bobby Vaughn



SHAG WORKSHOPS

R&B Shag Club's own

Kathy & Steve Day

ACTIVITIES Early Bird Party Jul 23 Free Dance Workshops Pool Party—Duck Race Great Hospitality Suite Dance Fri & Sat Nights Split the Pot Vendors HOST HOTEL The Marriott At Renaissance Park <u>RESERVATIONS</u> Ask for \$99 Shag Club Rates Cut-off Date: July 15 864-596-1211

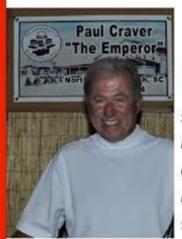
BEVERAGES Cash Bar with Reasonable Prices & Free Pours FOOD Two Large Delicious Meals & Breakfast in Hospitality Suite

We know how to host a great party I

Reserve rooms at host hotel <u>www.rbshagclub.org/rooms</u> or 864-596-1211 Information: 864-583-4656 drakepg@aol.com or www.rbshagclub.com

Weekend Ticket - \$70 until July 10 \$75 after July 10 One-Day Ticket \$45 Specify Day		
You must be 21 or older to attend. Tickets will be held at the door. Confirmation by Email or SASE		
Please Print Clearly.		
NAME (S)	Number of Tickets Needed	Amt. Enclosed \$
ADDRESS	CITY	_STZIP
Email	PHONE ()	
Primary Dance Club Affiliation		
Make checks payable to R&B Shag Club. Mail to PO Box 3463, Spartanburg, SC 29304		
Only 300 tickets will be sold. Tickets are non-refundable, but are transferable.		

## **2015 Royal Caribbean Independence of the Seas** Departing Ft. Lauderdale, visiting San Juan, Phillipsburg (St. Martin/St.



Maarten), Basseterre (St. Kitts) Paul Graver: DI and Intertainer will provide the music for our dancing pleasure

Standard Interior: \$552.05 Interior Promenade: \$582.05 Oceanview (Deck 2): \$682.05

Balcony: \$1222.05

Superior Balcony: \$1367.05

All prices Include Taxes and Fees ! Only \$250 PP Deposit guarantees your Cabin



## To book go to www.SOSatSea.com or call Michael Graham with Cruise Planners: 843-732-2582

Your days aboard ship can be spent enjoying all this ship has to offer and on the days we are in port enjoy the islands to the fullest. We will dance every night on sea days inside a nice club with Paul Craver, DJ/entertainer for our dancing pleasure. Join us for a fantastic cruise aboard with many of your friends.



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