SHAGLIGHT

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I hope you all had a blessed and thankful Thanksgiving.

November proved to be a busy month with something for everyone. As we had a great turnout for our Halloween party Nov 1st with some of the best costumes, Many of you were at Mooresville Whirlwind weekend and from talking to many of you and seeing a post on Facebook looks like those that went partied hardy. Several visited with me to Brushy Mt Shag club monthly party and a yearly fundraiser. I understand a group went to Statesville's monthly party for a great time as always while few of us went to the Danville Meet the Area Shag Party to represent the WSSC. You cannot forget GTSC Wednesday party, Shagging Sunday at the Elks and the Inn. Plenty of opportunities to meet up with friends and make new ones doing something you like.

December has equal opportunities beginning with our Christmas Party December 6th at the Old Clemmons on Stadium Drive in Clemmons. (same location as our Oldies party) This is a catered dinner with music provided by Lamar Walker. The door opens at 6:30 with dinner served from 7:30 to 8:30. Members that signed up by November 29th get in free. Guests and Members who do not sign up cost are \$15 per person.

GTSC has their party Saturday, December $14^{\rm th}$ at the Elk's Lodge in Greensboro, and if you're not signed up there, Statesville shag club is having their Christmas party the same night at the VFW post 6-11.

Our Sunday Funday will be December 8, 3-6. Come for an afternoon to socialize, eat, drink and be merry with the music by our very own DJ's The Blues Boys. Bring your favorite appetizer or dessert to share. This is a Free event and I hope to see you there.

Shagging at the Inn presented by Darrell will be Dec 8^{th} and 22^{nd} 6-9. Shagging at the Elks meeting December 1^{st} and 15^{th} 6-9.

Thanks to all that have ordered Shag plagues. If you want any before Christmas for gifts get your order in quickly. \$20 on each plaque goes to support the Junior shaggers

Last event of the year, of course, is our New Year's Eve Party. Have you Planned your New Year's Eve? Join us in the ballroom at the Quality Inn Tuesday, December 31st beginning at 8. There will be hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar. Bring your favorite bottle of bubbly to ring in the New Year at midnight. Glasses will be provided. The cost is \$20 per person at the door. This is open to all, so if you have friends, you'd like to share the evening with, bring them too. Room rates for this night only are \$49.95 if you Call Brooks directly 336-740-0030 for a special price when you make room reservations.

The 2019 year is coming to an end as is my second year as my you club president. Most of the time it is not hard because I consider you all my second family. Next month our yearly general meeting to elect new officers ... returning officers. If you are interested in a position as an officer or would like to nominate someone for one of the positions, please reach out to John Lancaster, (336)416-9412 lancasterdc@aol.com. If you are interested in heading up or starting a committee, have any experience that you know would benefit our club please reach out as we begin planning activities for the coming year, 2020.

2020 Mid-Winter SOS will be here right after the holidays, January 16-19. If you haven't made plans to attend, you may want to. This is a nice break after the hustle and bustle of the holidays. Remember to pick up your SOS cards before you go from Mary at the club discounted cost of \$30, as opposed to \$35 at the beach.

Beth Mitchell Charity Mixed Doubles January 11, 2020, Greensboro Holiday Inn at the Airport, doors open @6. Door \$10.

ACSC Summer Workshop Flyer included. This coming summer workshop will be at Pigeon Forge hosted by the Smokey Mountain Shaggers.

Holidays can be a trying time of year for many. We may be enjoying this time, but there are those who may be struggling. Remember those who are alone and invite them out or visit them Check on those who have lost someone close to them or home with an illness. Hearing words of kindness will bring cheer during the holidays, and each Christmas greeting marks another kind gesture. If you are in need do not hesitate to ask for a visit or help. Love to all during these holidays. Spread the cheer. Merry Christmas and wish you happiness and joy.

I appreciate your time and efforts that each of you brings to our club and as always, welcome everyone and asked them to dance.

Merry Christmas

All the best from the Prez! Janet Mason



WSSC is a proud member of:





Business News

The **Winston-Salem Shag Club** was formed December 1990 as a non-profit corporation and is a member of the Association of the Carolina Shag Clubs. Our goal is to promote and to preserve the heritage of beach music and shagging'. We also strive to inform members of activities in the local club, along with those of regional clubs. WSSC meets regularly on Friday (8 pm—midnight) at the Quality Inn & Suites at Hanes Mall. Non-members and out-of—town guests are cordially invited to join us anytime to shag and socialize.

The WSSC newsletter is published for its members. For change of address contact Mary Carson. The newsletter will be published every month. All articles for the next publication need to be presented by the 20th of each month.

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Treasurers' Report

Cash Balance 10/1/2019	\$13,403
Income	
Door	\$1,243
Annual ACSC Club Check	\$400
Check for Winning Club Ticket	\$100
Total Income	\$1,743
Total	\$15,146

Expenses	
DJ's	(600)
2 SOS Cards for Oldies Party Prize	(60)
Fun Sunday Bartender Fee	(50)
Donation to Junior Shaggers	(100)
New Tires for Dance Floor Trailer	(272)
Total Expenses	(1,082)
Ending Balance 10/31/2019	\$14,064

WINSTON SALEM SHAG CLUB

Welcomes all our NEW Members









Please visit the new WSSC website at <u>www.winstonsalemshagclub.com</u>
The new site is growing full of information, pictures, upcoming events, etc.

Janet Mason is the administrator – 336-403-6411

UPCOMING DJS DECEMBER



12/6 - Lamar Walker (WSSC Christmas Party)

12/13 - Butch Metcalf

12/20 - Chigger Woods

12/27 - Roger Holcomb

12/31 - Ed Timberlake (WSSC NYE Party)





UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec 31 New Year's Eve Party
Jan 16-20 Midwinter SOS at NMB

For area parties – check out www.shagtour.com

www.keepshaggin.com

NOTES FROM THE EDITOR

Bringing your own beer, wine, or liquor is not permitted.

Quality Inn & Suites' ABC License can be revoked and the

WSSC would have to relocate. All members need to monitor
the situation since WSSC has the most to lose!!!

PLEASE REMEMBER

Each of us needs to remember to tip or say "thank you" to those who serve us. Let's remember to show our appreciation for their service. Thank you



We are a very friendly club – be sure to welcome

PEOPLE TO REMEMBER In our thoughts & prayers:

Wanda Martin – Passing of brother Bucky Martin Donny Hutchins – Passing of sister-in-law Gunda Parsons – Recovering from knee surgery Peggy Shelton – Recent Illness

If you know of a club member that is sick, in the hospital or suffers a loss, please notify Wanda Wooten at (home) 764-1514 or email at jwooten7@triad.rr.com

Susie Beaver Dance Company "Studio of Shaggers"!

Susie offers Private, group & workshops In her Studio or in your home.

336-841-SHAG

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Please remember if you arrive early to the club you still need to pay the nominal \$4 member door charge.

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Cornett	Steve	12/1
Campbell	Pam	12/5
Harpe	Sylvia	12/7
Pate	Dean	12/11
Wooten	Wanda	12/12
Fitzgerald	Colleen	12/12
Chambers	Vicki	12/13
Hillenbrand	Bart	12/18
Hicks	Gene	12/20
Metcalf	Butch	12/21
Casey	Mark	12/22
Goff	Glenda	12/24
Scharff	Cheryl	12/28
Edwards	Julie	12/29
Everhart	Wayne	12/30
Boone	Derrick	12/30

SHAG LESSONS

WITH VICKIE CHAMBERS

Village Inn Conf. Center-Clemmons

Tuesdays

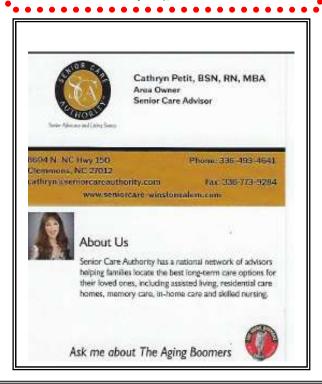
Beginners (7pm); Intermediate

(7:45pm);

Advanced (8:30pm) - 4 week sessions

Call 336-989-0156 for more

information





LEARN THE CAROLINA SHAG

With

DARRELL GAITHER

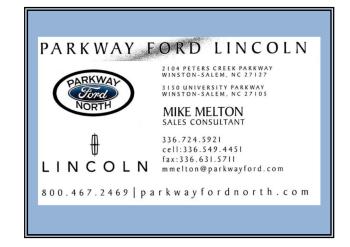
15 years teaching experience/CSA/SPA competitive dancers

Private Lessons Only by appointment

Group lessons at the Quality Inn in Winston-Tuesday nights teaching with Ashley Lauer-New classes begin 1st Tues.of each month. Beginner (6:30); Intermediate (7:20); Advanced (8:10) – Juniors and adults – no partner required.

1st.Thursday –teaching at Copper Still Taproom in Thomasville –Beginners 6:30; Intermediate 7:20

336-682-3266 gaither@mindspring.com



S.O.S Radio is now on TuneIn and you can stream it on Alexa or Google Home by saying "Play Sound of the Strand on TunIn radio" we are on Facebook and twitter @soundofstrand.....

SOS DATES 2020

Mid-Winter 2020 Jan 16-29
Spring SOS 2020 Apr 16 –
Apr 25
Summer Workshop 2020 July 10-12
Fall SOS 2020 Sep 17 - 26



Mickey & Penny Hull Shag Lessons Monday, Wednesday and Thursdays

Monday is Beginners: 7:30pm and Intermediates: 6:00pm – home studio

Wednesday is Private Lessons Only (call for time)

Thursday is Beginners: - 6:00pm and Intermediates: 6:45pm

\$10 per person

Dancing with a DJ – 7:30pm details & directions on Group

Call for details & directions on Group/Private Lessons

336-403-5873 or Email: thull@triad.rr.com

<u>Shagger's Room Rates</u> The Quality Inn & Suites has special room rates (\$69.95) for shaggers that are available on Friday nights and party weekends **ONLY**. **Thank you** Quality Inn for all your support of our club. 336-765-6670



Upcoming Shag Events

Sunday, Dec 1 6:00 – 9:00 pm: Dancing at the Elks \$5 (Elks Lodge Griffith Road Winston Salem)

DJ

Sunday, Dec 8 3:00 – 6:00 pm: SUNDAY FUNDAY – FREE! Quality Inn Winston Salem DJ "The Blues Boys" Bring a snack to share

Sunday, Dec 8 6:30 – 9:30 pm: Dancing at the Quality Inn \$5 DJ

Sunday, Dec 15 6:00 – 9:00 pm: Dancing at the Elks \$5

Sunday, Dec 22 6:00 – 9:00 pm: Dancing at the Quality Inn D.J



WSSC NEW YEAR'S EVE PART'
Tuesday, December 31, 2019
Quality Inn & Suites Ballroom
8:00 pm
Hors d'oeuvres & Dancing
\$20/person



Shag Plaque Fundraiser

We have been given the opportunity to have made to order Shag Plaques In three designs. You can personalize with your name as MASON, initials JMJ or a word as in SHAG. This is a fundraiser opportunity for the WSSC. Juan Pino, one of our club members, has graciously offered to make these for us. There are three designs, two with shaggers and one Jukebox. Made to order with a primer at a cost of \$48.00. With the primer you can paint the plaque whatever color you wish. If you prefer it painted in a black or white by Juan, that can be done at an additional cost of \$10Delivery will be waived if you pick the finished product up at the club. If you want it shipped or delivered that extra cost will be \$15. This is a wonderful opportunity for our club and members. I have a sample available to view and taking orders. Checks should be made out to Winston Salem shag club and of course, cash is always accepted. If you are interested in the many other patterns Juan has available, you can order directly from Juan cost beginning at \$58.







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If you are interested in ordering, please see me at the club, email me or call. Janet Mason masonjanet1976@gmail.com 336-403-6433

WSSC New Membership	/ Renewal Appli	cation/ Addi	ress Change
Name		Occupation _	
Email			
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Name		Occupation _	
Email			
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New Membership	dues are \$25.00 per		Cash
Sponsored by			•
If you	don't have a sponsor	, leave this blank.	
Effective 2019 Renewal I	Membership dues ar	e \$25.00 per year d	ue in Jan-March.
Renewals are \$30 after M	March, Check	Cash New N	Membershins \$30