Carolina Shag Club Newsletter "For the Love of Shag" April 2022





CSC President's Page

By Steve Woodard, President

Hello CSC Members and Friends!

Welcome to April, I hope everyone is enjoying the Spring weather so far! We have some exciting events scheduled for this month. Our first is this Sunday, April 3rd at The Spinning Jenny in Greer. The board is very excited about having a weekend dance opportunity! We are also planning a special surprise for our Pre-SOS party on the 20th that you won't want to miss.

We have had great Wednesday nights with exceptional turnout through our first couple of weeks at Spare Time! Our trial is going very well. We need to continue to support our club and new venue by showing up and having a great time.

We need to be mindful that Spare Time is hosting us, and we are guests in their establishment. We also need to be patient, courteous, gracious, and show what a fantastic group of people we are. This is a learning process for both our club and the venue. Spare Time provided an expanded menu for us and did a great job serving everyone. We want to establish a good, long-term relationship with the employees and management of this new venue. We encourage you to communicate any suggestions or problems to the Members-at-Large or any Board Member.

Tickets for our annual party, "Meet Me In The Middle" are now on sale. Go to the flyer on Page 15 of this newsletter for the flyer and mail-in form. Or you can purchase tickets online by following the link in the flyer. It's a great party and we hope to see you there.

If you would like to participate on a committee or have any suggestions for the club, please inform me or any of the Board Members. If you have taken pictures at any of the club's events (or other club's events) in the past weeks/months, please share these with Skip Watkins who does a great job with our newsletter. Skip's email is skipwatkins@bellsouth.net

I look forward to seeing y'all on the dance floor soon!

Steve

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Worrell

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We currently have 236 members.

Our Club Links



The Carolina Shag Club online information:

Email us at:

www.carolinashagclub.org thecarolinashagclub@gmail.com

Follow us on acebook at https://www.facebook.com/carolina.shagclub?fref=ts!

Carolina Shag Club now dances each Wednesday night at Spare Time, 822 Congaree Road, Greenville S.C. Music starts about 7:00 p.m.



LOCAL EVENTS

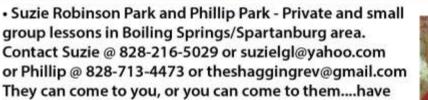


- **April 1 Rutherfordton Shag Club Friday Dance.** Located at One13, 113 West Court Street, Rutherfordton, N.C. The DJ is Becky Wilson. Music is 7:30 10:30 p.m. BYOB and they provide mixers. \$5 for members, \$8 for guests.
- **April 3 Spring Shag Dance Party** Hosted by Carolina Shag Club at the Spinning Jenny, 107 Cannon Street, Greer, S.C. Cover is \$5 for members, \$8 for everyone else. Beginner shag lesson at 2 p.m. and dancing 3:00 6:00 p.m. See the flyer later in this newsletter for details.
- **April 8 Monthly Dance at Bermuda's Clubhouse** @ **Stoney Point Golf Course.** Norman Mills will play your favorite tunes from 7:00 10:00 p.m. Located at 709 Swing About, Greenwood, S.C. Adult beverages and a limited menu is available. Call 864-942-0903 for information and reservations. Cover charge is \$5.
- **April 9 Upstate Shag Club Monthly Member's Dance** at Southport Bar & Grill, 629 Southport Road, Roebuck, S.C. \$5 cover charge for guests; members free. Party snacks and door prizes. DJ starts around 7:00 p.m.
- **April 29 Legal Age Band** featuring Rick & Eleanor Swillen; playing at Amici's, 121 South Pendleton Street, Easley S.C. from 7:00 9:00 p.m. Amici's features brews, pizza, wings, etc.
- May 20 & 21 Greater Greenville Classic CSA Competitive Shag Contest. Hosted at the Spinning Jenny, 107 Cannon Street, Greer, South Carolina. See the flyer later in this newsletter for more information.
- **August 5 & 6 Meet Me in the Middle for a Sand Flea Reunion** The Annual Party hosted by Carolina Shag Club at the Greenville Hilton. A two-day party featuring DJs, dance workshops, prizes, games, dinner, etc. See the flyer on page 15 for more information. **Go online to www.carolinashagclub.org to get tickets and book a room at the hotel**.

Steve & Jill Woodard - Teaching Monday Nights at Spinning Jenny, 107 Cannon St, Greer SC 29651. Call 864-477-0731. Visit www.upstateshaglessons.com or see their flyer toward the end of the newsletter for more information.



• Dede & Jeff Ward - Professional shaggers with 16 years of teaching experience. Members of the Greenville Area Shaggers Hall of Fame and the SC Shaggers Hall of Fame. Teaching Beginner and Beginner II on Thursday nights in Mauldin starting in March. Also teaching private individual classes and private group lessons in your home in the Greenville area. Contact Dede @ 864-238-2960. Email dwardgraph@aol.com





 Susan Welch and Danny Scott - No group lessons right now. For information on private & group lessons upon request in Greenwood, Greenville, and Upstate. Text Danny Scott, 864-354-7780 or Susan Welch, 864-993-6505 or email susantwelch@gmail.com

lesson, we'll travel.



Kae Childs- Private or group shag lessons in Greenville, Columbia, and Charleston. Phone: 843-886-9920 or Email: kchilds10@hotmailcom



Monthly DJ Schedule (subject to changes)



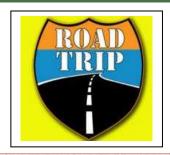
April 6 – Billy Waldrep
April 13 – Norman Mills
April 20 – Buck Crumpton
April 27 – David Graham



Kennis Ash McIlroy	April 1
Mary Ann Skelton	April 1
David Browning	April 2
Carole G-Henderson	April 4
Theodora Bikas	April 7
Kerri Raney	April 10
Becky Coley	April 13
John Bellack	April 14
Gary Livingston	April 15
Jim Morgan	April 15
Sandra Dempsey	April 17
Juli Jacobsen	April 19
Gail Crenshaw	April 20
Richard Hendricks	April 21
Ernie West	April 21
Chris Davis	April 24
Doug Collins	April 27

Donna Rogers	May 10
Bea Martin	May 11
Jeff Ward	May 12
Wayne Hembree	May 13
Freddie Blackburn	May 14
Jean Bowie	May 20
Glenda Argo	May 31

Out of Town Parties and Events:



April 1: April Fool's Day-Old Time Vinyl Party Hosted by "Five Guys & One Girl." Held at American Legion (The Hut), 1301 East Greenville Street, Anderson, S.C. Tickets are \$10; only 120 will be sold.

See the flyer at the end of this newsletter.

April 21-May 1, 2022: Spring Safari at North Myrtle Beach.

June 3-5, 2022: SOUTHERN COMFORT 24 in Columbia, S.C. hosted by Palmetto Shag Club LOCATION: Double Tree by Hilton, 2100 Bush River Rd, Columbia, SC 29210. COST: \$80 per person, Numerous DJ(s). Park and Party, Pro Dance Floor, Hospitality Suite each afternoon with music, dancing, heavy Hors d'oeuvres, open bar, workshops, much more. See the flyer at the end of this newsletter for all the details.

June 23 - 25: Shag Fest 2022 in Jacksonville, Florida. Hosted by: First Coast Shag Club.

Location: Southbank Hotel Jacksonville Riverwalk, 1515 Prudential Drive in Jacksonville, FL 32207. Cost: \$100 prior to May 2nd; \$120 after May 1st. Time: Thursday 6 p.m. to Saturday 11 p.m. DJ(s): John Smith & Buck Crumpton. Details: FCSC's 2nd Park 'n Party; Shag Workshops with Sam & Lisa West; meet and greet; vinyl kickoff party; plated dinner Saturday, black and white theme party: see flyer and print registration form at our website. Hotel: Southbank Hotel Jacksonville Riverwalk 904-396-5100 or book online from our website; standard \$119; river or pool view \$139. Contact: Mona King 904-652-5000 or email MonawKing.5678@gmail.com Web Address:www.FirstCoastShagClub.org/events.html

July 22-23, 2022: Sparkle City Celebration in Spartanburg, S.C. Hosted by R&B Shag Club Sparkle City Party is SOLD OUT !!! For waiting list information, contact Steve Day knsday@charter.net

August 5 & 6: Meet Me In The Middle for a Sand Flea Reunion.

Hosted by Carolina Shag Club in Greenville, S.C. Go to www.carolinashagclub.org for info.

August 19-21, 2022: Park & Party Annual Shag Extravaganza in Columbia hosted by the Capital City Shag Club. DETAILS TO FOLLOW......Save the Date!

August 25, 26, & 27: Fun Park & Party 29th.

Beach Boogie Party Hosted by the Tampa Bay
Beach Boppers; Location: Sirata, 5300 Gulf Blvd.,
St. Pete Beach, FL 33706, Phone: 1-800-344-5999
or 727-363-5300, www.sirata.com (mention TBBB
Beach Boogie); Cost: \$80 before July 25, 2022 After July 25th. \$90. Click Here for the Flyer and
more information (shagdance.com)

September 15 - 25, 2022: Fall Migration at North Myrtle Beach.

Weekly Shagging beyond Greenville:

Southport Bar & Grill (Roebuck, S.C.) on 1st and 3rd Wednesdays and 1st & 2nd Saturday of each month beginning at 6:00 p.m. Various JDs.

Shakin D'z (Spartanburg, S.C.) on 1st and 3rd Sundays each month beginning at 6:00 p.m. Various DJs.

Looking for Additional Shag Information? Please Visit:

Carolina Shag Club
Electric City Shag Club
R&B Shag Club
Mountain Shag Club
Columbia Shag Club
CSRA Shag Club
Flip Flop Live (music & news)

General Shag Info

www.carolinashagclub.org www.shagginjacks.com www.rbshagclub.org www.mountainshagclub.com www.columbiashagclub.net www.csrashagclub.com/



www.flipfloplive.com

www.shagdance.com or www.shagtour.com

Comic Corner

"You are such a good friend that, if we were on a sinking ship together and there was only one life jacket, I'd miss you so much and talk about you fondly to everybody who asked."

This is my step ladder. I never knew my real ladder."

Some cause happiness wherever they go. Others whenever they go."

"It's not the fall that kills you. It's the sudden stop at the end."

"Feeling pretty proud of myself. The puzzle I bought said 3-5 years, but I finished it in 18 months.

Just burned 2,000 calories. That's the last time I leave brownies in the oven while I nap."

"My boss is going to fire the employee with the worst posture. I have a hunch that it might be me."

Don't trust atoms, they make up everything.

Did you hear about the guy who got hit in the head with a can of soda? He was lucky it was a soft drink.

"I was addicted to the hokey pokey... but thankfully, I turned myself around."

"When I lose the TV controller, it's always hidden in some remote destination."

"Most people are shocked when they find out how bad I am as an electrician."

"My first job was working in an orange juice factory, but I got canned: couldn't concentrate."

"My math teacher called me average. How mean!"

Carolina Shag Club - Finishing Up at Brass Monkey in March.







Pictured Upper Left – Gerald Medford and Ann Garrett (both at center of photo) are in the middle of teaching an intermediate shag step at the Brass Monkey on March 2nd. The club alternates nights between shag steps and a line dance. Both dance workshops are free to attend.

Pictured Upper Right – Buck Crumpton (right), Todd Gettys (center) and Billy Waldrep get together before the start of dancing on March 2nd. Tonight is Billy's time at the DJ booth.

Pictured left – Skip Smith of Easley and Jan Haney (center) of Simpsonville take their turn at selling 50/50 Split-the-Pot tickets on March 2nd. Karen Lewis (right) usually purchases a \$10 string of tickets. Unfortunately for her, luck of the draw has not recently gone her way.

Page photo by Skip Watkins



Becky Wilson pilots the music box on March 9th. Becky has recently been admitted to the Association of Beach and Shag Club DJs.



Dennis Fleming (right) begins his line dance lesson before the music starts on March 9th.



Gail Pang is tonight's volunteer for selling Split-the-Pot tickets to Dan Ellington. Dan was not a winner tonight.

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Lynn Hart of Taylors, S.C. won the split-the-pot on March 2nd. She took home over \$100 that night. The other half of the pot helps pay for the DJs.







March 12th was the date for Upstate Shag Club's monthly member party. Their theme this month is St. Patrick's Day. Upstate Shag Club gathers several times each month at Southport Bar & Grill in Roebuck, S.C. The second Saturday of each month is their members' party; free for members, \$5 for guests. This party features free snacks, a gift prize drawing and a cash prize drawing for a member who must be present to win.

Pictured upper left is DJ Billy Waldrep dressed out in his St. Patrick's Day outfit.

Pictured upper right are several Carolina Shag Club members who are also Upstate Shag Club members.

Pictured at left is Scott Kerwin, Missy Kerwin (at left) talking with Tracy Gregg (center). Tracy is active in Upstate Shag Club and R&B Shag Club events and has come to several Carolina Shag Club parties and dances.

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"Spare Time" Hosts Carolina Shag Club Starting March 16th



Phillip Park and Suzie Robinson-Park kick off the evening with a free shag class at Spare Time.



John "Soup" Campbell gets the honor of being the first DJ to play at 'Opening Day' at Spare Time.

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This panoramic photo displays the expansive dance floor at Spare Time. The room features a premium wood floor, tables around the dance area and a long bar with walk up bar & food service from bartenders.



Nancy Elmore had on her St. Patrick's Day lucky T-Shirt. Regardless, she did not win the Split-the-Pot. But she did retain her charm all evening.



Tim Davenport of Taylors, S.C. won over \$100 in the Split-the-Pot, the first drawing at CSC's new dance spot. *Photos by Skip Watkins*



Later in the evening, "Soup" gets dancers on the floor on March 16^{th} in Spare Time's bar.

Photo by Rick Wilson





March 23rd at Spare Time

The shag club's second evening of dancing at a new venue.

Pictured upper left – Dickie Brock of Hendersonville, N.C. is the volunteer who helped sell 50/50 Split-the-Pot tickets on March 23rd. His 'assistant' is Susan Kendrick of Greenville, S.C. Susan is the chairperson for Fundraising & Ways and Means. Her fundraising efforts help CSC with paying for our DJs.

Pictured upper right – Members and guests at Spare Time que up at the bar for purchasing food and beverages. Spare Time has some Happy Hour prices until 7:00 p.m.

Pictured left – At 9:00 p.m. the Split-the-Pot drawing was conducted. Marie High won approximately \$140.

Photos by Skip Watkins

Angie's Page (her pics of shaggers at Spare Time for the St. Patty's party).





March 5th – Members of Carolina Shag Club (in front) and R&B Shag Club sit together and enjoy DJ Throwdown at Fat Harold's Beach Club in North Myrtle Beach. The Throwdown is an annual event featuring rotating DJs.

*Photo courtesy of Rick Wilson**







Pictured left & in center – Carolina Shag Club members are shown attending the R&B Shag Club's monthly dance at the Spartanburg Shrine Club.

Pictured right – Dancers enjoy some time on the parquet dance floor and move to the tunes played by Bobby Vaughn.

Photos by Skip Watkins

DJs Friday Night

Vinyl Room

David Graham Jeff Ward Nick Columbus Jim Coley

Main Ballroom

Becky Wilson Norman Mills



DJs Saturday

Combined Ballroom

Becky Wilson

Buck Crumpton

Billy Waldrep

Meet Me in the Middle for A Sand Flea Reunion

Hosted by The Carolina Shag Club

August 5th and 6th

The Hilton Greenville

45 West Orchard Park Drive • Greenville, SC 29615

Room Rate \$119 per night

Rate available through July 3 Use coupon code SHAG

Cancellation up to 48 hours in advance

Click here to make reservations:

https://www.hilton.com/en/attend-my-event/carolinashagmeetinthemiddle/

Hospitality Room Friday and Saturday Saturday Schedule:

Shag Dance Workshops by Pro Dancers • Afternoon Dancing, Games and Prizes Saturday Evening - Dinner Provided • 50/50 Drawing • Chinese Auction

Tickets \$80.00 Before July 3 and \$90 After Tables of 10 \$800 + \$20 Table Reservation

Click here to buy tickets and/or to reserve a table.

https://fs26.formsite.com/JAWCN64/5s8nmobfyr/index.html

Or visit Carolinashagclub.org to buy tickets and reserve tables

Contacts: Skip Watkins 864-314-6236/skipwatkins@bellsouth.net
Dan Ellington 864-546-8139/ncde67@gmail.com

NOTE: if the links are not active, visit the Carolina Shag Club website and use the links found there. Go to:

www.carolinashagclub.org

Use these forms to purchase Meet Me In The Middle Tickets/Tables by mail.

Meet Me In The Midd	le August 5-6 2	2022	
Tickets Purchased before July 3 deadline \$80.00. Reservation Form – Make Checks 1	NE.	F%	r \$90.00
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Meet Me In The Middle August 5-6 2022 Tickets Purchased before July 3 deadline \$80.00. Tickets purchased July 3 and after \$90.00 Reservation Form - Make Checks Payable to Carolina Shag Club Name (s)_____ Address Street City State Zip Email____ #Tickets purchase before July 3rd_____x \$80 = _____ Contacts: Skip Watkins: 864-314-6236 # Tickets purchased July 3rd and after _____x \$90 = ____ skipwatkins@bellsouth.net Reserve tables with purchase of all 10 seats plus \$20.00 Dan Ellington: 864-546-8139 # of Reserved tables _____x \$820.00 = _____ ncde67@gmail.com Mail Registration To: Skip Watkins - 201 Cedar Lane - Clemson, SC 29631

No Refunds



Competitive Shag Association's "Charity Tour Contest"



Save the Date!



The Competitive Shag Association's "Charity Tour Contest" will be at The Spinning Jenny in Greer, S.C. the weekend of May 20-21, 2022. This will be a weekend where competitors come from all around the southeast to compete.

This is a sanctioned contest with five "levels" of competition; Newcomer, Amateur, Novice, Senior Pro, and Pro. judges will judge each level. New competitors are always welcome, so let us know if you want to participate.

This is a fun upstate event that includes social dancing in between contests so be sure to reserve your table early! Tables sold out at the last competition!

The Spinning Jenny will be selling your favorite beverage and will supply a food truck. Great music, Dancing, Food, and Friends!

See Flyer on the next page for more details.

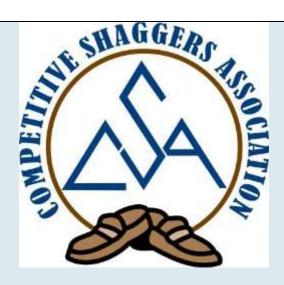






The Greater Greenville Classic is Hosting a CSA Competitive Contest ine Like A Star Hall of Fame DJ Butch Metcalf there: Spinning Jenny, 107 Cannon St., Greer, SC When: May 20 & 21, 2022 Available: Food Truck and Full Bar **SCHEDULE** Friday Cover \$ 15 Saturday Cover \$ 15 6 pm Doors Open 7 pm Novice Division 7 pm Doors Open 8 pm Senior Pro Div. 8 pm Newcomers Division 9 pm Amateur Division 9 pm Pro Division **RESERVED SEATING WEEKEND PASS \$ 25** Contact: susantwelch@gmail.com For Table and Seat Reservations Hotel: -- Hampton By Hilton 112 N Main St. Greer, SC Cost \$ 119.00 Phone: 864-519-0100 vations must be made on or before 4/29/2022

Calendar Year 2022 CSA Contest Schedule



2022 CSA Charity Tour Contest Schedule

Charleston Shag Classic	.January 21-22
Atlantic Beach Shag Club	.March 25-26
Hardwood at Fat Harold's	April 8-9

*** Greenville Shag Classic......May 20-21 ***

Sugarfoot Shag Club.....June 11 (one day event)

Lynn'sJuly 22-23

Eno Beach.....August 12-13

Fat Harold's.....Sept. 2-3

Shag Shack.....Oct. 15 (one day event)



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If you have questions concerning the board meetings, please contact the CSC President or one of the Executive Board Members (shown on the first page of the newsletter).

CSC Board Meeting-March 8, 2022

I. Call to Order

President Steve Woodard called the meeting to order at 6:35 PM. Also in attendance were Gwyn Smith, Ann Allen, Donnie Cranfill, Mary Ellen Worrell, Phillip Park, Jill Woodard, Syble Hendricks, Brenda Ellington, Suzie Robinson-Park, Becky Wilson, Skip Watkins, Karen Lewis, Susan Kendrick, Dan Ellington, and Rick Wilson.

II. Approval of Minutes

The Minutes for February 8, 2022 were emailed to all board of directors and committee chairpersons prior to the meeting. Ann Allen made the motion to approve the minutes. Phillip Park seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

III. Treasurer Wayne Hembree was not in attendance, and no report was available.

IV. Old Business

- The Christmas Party is set for the Embassy Suites as reported in February. Wayne Hembree will get the deposit of \$1250 to the hotel.
- Several board members showed up on February 12th to clean out the storage unit. Storage shelving and new bins need to be purchased. Donnie Cranfill made the motion for the club to fund the materials needed. Phillip Park seconded the motion, and the motion carried. When the shelving is installed, the items we wish to keep will be returned to the unit. Date TBD.
- Gwyn Smith reported that she took all the picture albums and framed pictures in the storage unit home with her to evaluate the condition of the pictures. She asked Jim Coley to help with looking at all pictures and photo albums. There were 75 pictures albums that Ann Fulbright had put together from many club events and created albums to store the memories. These are in good shape. Gwyn, Jim, and Ann all agreed that 75 albums were a lot to keep. Gwyn has suggested to the board that we sell some of the albums to current members for \$5 each to help with costs for our club. Photo albums not sold will be returned to the storage unit.

There were many other albums of pictures of all sizes that were no longer current to our club members. Gwyn and Jim pulled all pictures that would be important to current and past club members. They are sending pictures to past members via mail and hand delivering many pictures to current club members.

Going forward for the year, the board is asking you to send good pictures that you take this year to a board member. We hope to make an annual photo book for 2020.

• Phillip Park had reported in February that the ACSC encouraged all clubs to participate in the SOS Spring Safari parade in April. There are a few members that are willing to drive their convertibles in the parade, but Donnie Cranfill and Phillip Park both reported that our club will not have a float in the parade

V. New Business

- President Steve Woodard and Dan Ellington are working together to bridge the gap for our club to leave the Brass Monkey and go to Spare Time (both on Congaree Rd.) for weekly Wednesday dance nights. We are thankful for the last two years at the Brass Monkey, but we would like to try Spare Time. Spare Time will give us four weeks trial time at their location. Our DJ's will still play each Wednesday. Steve will stay in touch with the Brass Monkey, and Dan will work to create a smooth transition with Spare Time. Steve and Dan are asking our cooperation by being courteous to Spare Time employees and bartenders. Also, furniture will be arranged by employees only.
- As reported in the February minutes, Brenda Ellington had asked The Commerce Club for a quote to host not only a 2022 Christmas party for our club but also a spring party. The Christmas quote was more than we wanted to pay, and the quote for a spring party in April is quite high also (\$1970.98). We would need 100 members to attend.
- Steve and Jill Woodard teach dance lessons on Monday nights at the Spinning Jenny at 107 Cannon St. in Greer. The owners of the Spinning Jenny are hosting bands on some Sunday afternoons. Steve and Jill spoke with the owners and asked if our club could go there for our April 3rd party. They are willing for us to come. Each person will need to pay a \$5.00 entry fee. The Logistics band will be playing! We encourage everyone to come out.
- Spring SOS begins April 20th. The board has approved a pre-SOS party on April 6 with a beach theme and beach attire. Special gift cards for Spare Time and two (2) 2022 SOS cards will be the prizes for the party! CSC DJ scheduler Becky Wilson asked for two (2) DJ's for this night. Board member Mary Ellen Worrell made the motion to approve two DJ's for the event. Phillip Park seconded the motion, and the motion passed.
- Suzie Robinson-Park reported that she received a memo stating that American Bop Association —which we pay a yearly fee to in order for our DJ's to play at our dance nights and parties, is changing their name to just American Bop.

VI. Committee Reports/Comments

• **Jill Woodard, Membership Chairman**, reported that we currently have 234 members. We only had 244 members at the end of 2021. Jill also reported that she needs a new

Pay Anywhere Card Reader. She estimates the cost to be \$20.00. Ann Allen made the motion to approve the buying of the card reader. Phillip Park seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

- **Meet Me in the Middle Chairman Dan Ellington** reported that he is having a committee meeting on March 10th. He expects the price of the weekend ticket to increase at least \$5.00 this year. The committee will also decide on DJ's, lessons, buffet items, and schedules for the weekend.
- Ways and Means Chairman Susan Kendrick said the average club income for split-the-pot raffles is \$175.
- **DJ Chairman Becky Wilson** reported DJ's are scheduled for the near future. DJ's receive \$150 to play.

- CSC Newsletter is ready to go out via Email. Thank you Skip Watkins for all you do!!
- **Steve Woodard** reported that Facebook members are up to 2275.
- **Benevolent Chairman Karen Lewis** reported that she mailed a sympathy card to CSC member Glenda Argo due to the loss of her mother Doris Hollingsworth.

VII. Close of Meeting

Phillip Park made the motion to close the meeting. Donnie Cranfill seconded the motion, and the meeting closed.

Submitted by Gwyn Smith, Secretary

Carolina Shag Club 2022 Membership

Dear Current and Past CSC Members:

2022 is here! The CSC board is already working hard to organize dancing and events for the year. We solely rely on membership dues to make this happen! Along with fun, we also must take care of business. This includes storage space, website, insurance, DJ's, music rights and much more. Please consider supporting our club this year. We want to make paying your membership as easy as possible. Below is a reminder of ways you can join the club.

We highly recommend and prefer you pay your membership online this year! There are two ways to pay online.

1. Click on this link, fill out the form and make your payment:

https://membership-dues-for-2022.cheddarup.com/

2. Go to www.carolinashagclub.org and go to the membership page under 'About Us' heading. There will be a link to the online form.

If you wish to pay by check or cash here are the options:

- 1. Fill out the downloadable form from the Carolina Shag Club website and mail it to the address listed on the form.
- 2. Pay in person by bringing exact cash or a check and a completed membership form to the Brass Monkey on Wednesday nights. We **CANNOT** guarantee someone will be available every week to take your membership; that is why we recommend you pay online.

Your membership is appreciated and matters. Thank you for being a part of the Club!

Sincerely,

Jill Woodard

2022 Membership Chair

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Monday Nights at Spinning Jenny

107 Cannon St. Green SC 29687 spinning jennygreer.com

\$60/couple for the month \$35/individual for the month— \$10/person per individual class (not available for Beginner) Beginner class may be taken a second month for FREE

Beginner @ 6

4 week class starting the first Monday of the month. Class covers the basic, female turn, male turn and the start. Must attend first class to learn basic footwork.

Class focuses on the fundamental steps of the dance along with teaching proper technique

Beginner 2 @ 6:45 Intermediate @ 7:15

Class will focus on combining fundamental steps, turns and footwork. Class is challenging but achievable after completing beginner 2.

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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 22-23, 2022 Early Bird Party July 21

GREAT DJs

David O'Quinn Billy Waldrep John Smith Bobby Vaughn Larry Simmons



SPECIAL GUESTS: Charlie and Jackie We know how to host a great party!

SHAG WORKSHOP Charlie Womble & Jackie McGee

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APRIL FOOLS DAY OLD TIME VINYL PARTY

Friday, April 1st 6PM-Until \$10 admission

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at the

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1301 East Greenville Street Anderson, SC

presented by

FIVE GUYS & ONE GIRL

Bobby Vaughn, Terry Hopper, Buck Crumpton, Mike Swords, Norman Mills & Lisa Caveny

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