Carolina Shag Club Newsletter "For the Love of Shag" January 2021



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CSC President's Page By Susan Blackwell

Hello Everyone:

The Board joins me in wishing everyone a Happy New Year. 2020 has certainly been a year to remember. Ann Allen and the board did a tremendous job in an exceedingly difficult and challenging year. We thank them for all their hard work!

The Board is now working on the 2021 calendar in hopes that we will be able to return to somewhat of a normal schedule in the next few months. We will keep you updated when the schedule is finalized. If you would like to participate on a committee or have any suggestions for the club, please inform me or one of the Executive Board Members. If you have taken pictures at any of the club's events in the last few months, please share these with Skip Watkins who does a great job with our newsletter. Skip's email is <u>skipwatkins@bellsouth.net</u>

As for some good news: We will resume dancing at the Brass Monkey on Wednesday January 13, 2021. Come out and enjoy food, beverages, and dancing. As always, please remember to continue the necessary safety precautions and social distancing concerning Covid-19.

Stay safe and hope to see you on the dance floor soon!

Susan

Executive Board Members:

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Our Club Links

The Carolina Shag Club online information: Email us at:



www.carolinashagclub.org thecarolinashagclub@gmail.com

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

Carolina Shag Club dances on Wednesday nights at Brass Monkey, 723 Congaree Road, Greenville S.C.





<u>For January 2021 – There are no events planned at this time. Events will be announced</u> <u>and published when scheduled.</u>

Additional information on parties and events can be found at:

www.shagdance.com

www.fastdancers.com

Monthly DJ Schedule for Brass Monkey (subject to changes)



- Jan. 6 no dancing
- Jan 13 David Graham
- Jan. 20 Todd Gettys
- Jan. 27 Buck Crumpton



Kathy Snyder	2-Jan
Deb Perdue	3-Jan
John Fowler	3-Jan
Preston Argo	3-Jan
Rick Swillen	3-Jan
Steve Woodard	7-Jan
Mary Reeves	9-Jan
Joe Gregory	10-Jan
Cooter Douglas	13-Jan
Sandy Brown	13-Jan
Gail Reid	18-Jan
Jim Lollis	19-Jan

Rick Satterfield	19-Jan
Bob Guzzardo	20-Jan
Jane Lawrence	20-Jan
Rusty Cabaniss	23-Jan
Myra Gallagher	24-Jan
Nancy Brockman	25-Jan
Ron Youngblood	25-Jan
Tony George	26-Jan
Mickey Dobins	27-Jan
Toni Brady	27-Jan
Jim Kondos	29-Jan
Roxanne Smith	30-Jan

Out of Town Parties and Events:



For your safety and well-being, the SOS Board announces that the Mid-Winter/2021 Winter Workshop IS CANCELED.

You can view this announcement and other upcoming SOS information at www.shagdance.com

Feb. 13 - 21, 2021; 16th Annual Shagging on the Seas on the Carnival BREEZE.

A Southern Caribbean Cruise. DJ is Buck Crumpton. Prices begin at \$895 per person. Cruise planners: Sherrill & Joe Brown 864-473-1433

<u>March 18 – 21, 2021: 10th Annual East</u>

<u>Coast Shag Classic;</u> hosted by Hope Abounds Cancer Network. Held at the Holiday Inn Resort in Wrightsville Beach, N.C. Visit <u>www.hopeabounds.org</u> for more information.

March 26th for 12 hours; Shag

Extravaganza XI 2021. Hosted by Capital City Shag Club at Embassy Suites by Hilton Columbia Greystone. This event is listed as FREE on their Facebook page. March 29 thru April 2, 2021; Making Waves Anniversary Vacation held at Ocean Drive Beach & Golf Resort in North Myrtle Beach. 15th Annual Making Waves Anniversary Vacation with the Embers featuring Craig Woolard By All About Travel Tours and Riptide Radio. Stay 4 Nights in Ocean Drive. Private Parties with the Band and DJ. Special Events to be included that you will not want to miss. Events must be booked with All About Travel Tours to attend private events.

843-281-0480

Oct. 27 Thru Nov 1, 2021; Jim Quick & Coastline – "Landfall with Coastline".

Join us at Wyndham Grand Clearwater Beach on the Gulf Coast of Florida.

Sign Up to go with Jim Quick & Coastline and DJ Mike Worley

Must Book Package with All About Travel Tours to attend our private events with the Band and DJ

Visit Website for More Information <u>https://jimquick.com/florida</u>

More parties may be shown in later newsletters, space permitting.

Covid-19 restrictions are causing clubs to reconsider their party schedules. Interested participants are urged to check with club websites for the latest information on cancellations.

You can visit the SOS website at <u>www.shagdance.com</u> and click on the "Club Parties" link for more information on parties.

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



<u>Comic Corner – One Liners for Everyone</u>

·Having plans sounds like a good idea until you put on clothes to leave the house.

·It's weird being the same age as old people.

·Life is like a helicopter. I don't know how to operate a helicopter.

·Chocolate is God's way of telling us he likes us a little bit chubby.

·It's probably my age that tricks people into thinking I'm an adult.

- •Marriage Counselor: "Your wife says you never buy her flowers. Is that true?" Him: "To be honest, I never knew she sold flowers."
- \cdot My wife asked me to take her to one of those restaurants where they make the food right in front of you. So, I took her to Subway and that's how the fight started.
- ·I don't think the therapist is supposed to say "Wow," that many times in your first session but here we are...
- ·I see people about my age mountain climbing; I feel good getting my leg through my underwear without losing my balance.
- •We can all agree that in 2015 not a single person got the answer correct to, "Where do you see yourself 5 years from now?"

<u>Comic Corner – More One Liners</u>

- ·So, if a cow doesn't produce milk, is it a milk dud or an udder failure?
- ·If you can't think of a word say, "I forgot the English word for it." That way people will think you're bilingual instead of an idiot. (I have used this more times than I like to admit!!)
- ·I'm at a place in my life where errands are starting to count as going out.
- ·Coronacoaster-Noun: The ups and downs of a pandemic.
- •One day you're loving your bubble, doing work outs, baking banana bread and going for long walks and the next you're crying, drinking gin for breakfast and missing people you don't even like.
- ·I'm at that age where my mind still thinks I'm 29, my humor suggests I'm 12, while my body mostly keeps asking if I'm sure I'm not dead yet.
- •Don't be worried about your smartphone or TV spying on you. Your vacuum cleaner has been collecting dirt on you for years.
- ·I'm getting tired of being part of a major historical event.
- ·I don't always go the extra mile, but when I do it's because I missed my exit.
- •How many of us have looked around our family reunion and thought, "Well aren't we just two clowns short of a circus?"
- •At what point can we just start using 2020 as profanity? As in: "That's a load of 2020." or "What in the 2020." or "abso-2020-lutely."
- ·You don't realize how old you are until you sit on the floor and then try to get back up.
- \cdot We all get heavier as we get older, because there's a lot more information in our heads. That's my story and I'm sticking to it.
- •This is the day dogs have been waiting for. They realize their owners can't leave the house and they get them 24/7. Dogs are rejoicing everywhere. Cats are contemplating suicide.
- \cdot If you are trying to impress me with your vehicle it better be a food truck.

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Photo highlights of CSC members enjoying the Christmas Party on December 12, 2020



Carolina Shag Club held their annual Christmas Party at Embassy Suites Hotel in Greenville on December 12th. The crowd was smaller than in previous years and is attributed to the Covid-19 concerns by several people who would normally have attended. Regardless, there were about 160 attending.



Billy Waldrep (pictured left) was the DJ for this year's Christmas Party. Billy regularly appears at club parties and events across the region. He's been a DJ for several decades.

Pictured right is a poinsettia plant, one of several that decorate the Christmas parties. During the party these are given to attendees either by a raffle, contest or other game.

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Carolina Shag Club Board Meetings

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

No minutes are available at this time.