



"SHAG TIMES" MASS NEWSLETTER Southern Pines, NC July 2010



Message from the President

We are one social away from our yearly Super Summer Party in August. We have a POOL PARTY back on the agenda this year. Vern Majors has been gracious enough to let us use his pool.

The music for the pool party will be supplied by YOU. There will be six 1/2 hour slots available for **members** to DJ [all equipment will be provided]. This may be a really good idea or a really bad idea. We'll see. If you are interested, send me an e mail. The only catch is that you will be required to supply an item for the silent auction to reserve your DJ spot.

Our fundraiser this year is to benefit two charities: Special Olympics of Moore County and the Food Bank of the Sandhills.

The only tickets to sell are admission and 50/50 raffle. Our primary money maker is going to be a **silent auction**. We need participation from all of our members to gather/provide items for the auction and volunteer to help with: the door, selling 50/50 tickets, coordinating the meal, decorating, etc. The success of this event & MASS depends on **YOU**.

We will have admission and 50/50 tickets available at our next social, so come on and get involved. If every member purchases one admission and brings one friend we will have a very successful event.

The ACSC workshop is July 9th & 10th and it's close to home. FASA has worked

hard to put this workshop together and it promises to be an action packed weekend. Check the flyer for location, events and times. We don't get this opportunity to have a workshop this close to home very often, so take advantage of it.

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Ben Thomas may be home in time to attend the August Social and Venetia Batten is recuperating well from her knee surgery.

See you July 17th at the Elks Club downstairs for another great MASS social.

Gary

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MASS Committees /

Our By-laws state that we have seven standing committees. These committees form the cornerstone of MASS by doing the work that allows all of us to “indulge in activities that promote the shag dance and its music.” (ARTICLE I: SECTION 2.) We will be looking for volunteers to serve on these committees in the coming weeks. Please think about how you could help us “promote the shag dance and its music” by serving on one of these committees. Just a little effort from a lot of people is all we need to have a great year.

By-Laws Committee: Sam Dreher. Shall maintain the by-laws in a current state to insure the proper operation of MASS.

Social Committee: Shall plan, organize and assure implementation of all social functions.

Communications/Newsletter Committee: Shall contact members by phone or mail regarding club meetings and functions.

Membership Committee: Jo Garber. Shall actively seek and recruit new members for MASS and help sponsoring members with applications for any prospective member they wish to help join MASS.

Ways and Means Committee: Shall plan, organize and assure implementation of fund-raising and charitable events.

Welfare Committee: Jane Garcia. Correspond with members or family in cases of sickness or death.

Audit Committee: Shall conduct an annual review of MASS records and expenditures.

Nominating Committee: A special committee appointed to select candidates for office and run the annual election of officers.

Call to Membership.

We need members to fill in some of the committee positions, the most important committees are Social, Communications, Membership and Ways And Means.

Without members in these committees proper function of the club will be difficult. Please step up and help keep the club strong in difficult times.

Gary

MASS Board Members

President - Gary Garber - 910.692.4144
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Vice President - Jo Garber - 910.692.4144

Past President - Roger Racster 910-673-2547

Secretary - Brenda Thomas - 910.944.3181

Treasurer - Mollie Wilson 910-944-9595

Sgt-At-Arms - Bill Shockley 910-944-4294

Board Members at Large:

Bob Taylor 910-295-2410

Ben Thomas 910-944-3181

Sister Shag Club's Social Meetings

Sandhills Area Club 2nd Saturday
Rockingham

Sanford Area 3rd Friday
Sandford

Lake Tillery Club 4th Saturday
Lake Tillery

Carolina Shaggers 1st Friday
Lumberton

Fayetteville Area Shag Club 3rd
Saturday

Send in Your Story



Have you made a road trip lately?
Or have some news?

How about just an opinion or suggestion you would like to share with your fellow MASS Shag dancers.

Send it in to Gary at:

moreshaggers@gmail.com

and share you News, Observations, Experience and Opinions, we need and welcome your input.



Upcoming MASS Function & Events of Interest

REMEMBER **FASA - 2010 ACSC Summer Workshop**

Mass 2010 Calendar Dates

February	18-Thu	Board Meeting	Elks Club	7pm
	20-Sat	Social, DJ Terry Medlin	Elks Club	8pm
March	18-Thu	Board Meeting	Elks Club	7pm
	20-Sat	Social, DJ Ron Russ	Elks Club	8pm
April	16-25	Spring Safari - Yet to be determined		
May	13-Thu	Board Meeting	Elks Club	7pm
	15-Sat	Area Party, DJ Billy Cook	Foxfire	8pm
June	17-Thu	Board Meeting	Elks Club	7pm
	19-Sat	Social, DJ David Sessoms	Elks Club	8pm
July	17-Thu	Board Meeting	Elks Club	7pm
	19-Sat	Social	Elks Club	8pm
Aug	19-Thu	Board Meeting	Elks Club	7pm
	21-Sat	Social	Elks Club	8pm
September	17-26	Fall Migration - Yet To Be Determined		
October	14-Thu	Board Meeting	Elks Club	7pm
	16-Sat	Social	Elks Club	8pm
November	19-Fri	Social Village Fillin Station		8pm
December	16-Thu	Board Meeting	Elks Club	7 pm
	18-Sat	Christmas Party	Elks Club	7pm

Other Calendar Dates

July 13-18 – Junior SOS, North Myrtil Beach

Aug 9th – 11th FASA will host the 2010 ACSC Summer Workshop, flyer

September 17-26 SOS Fall Migration, North Myrtil Beach



Our Condolences

Please remember the following in your thoughts:

- Our condolences to the Bobby Wheeler and Family
- Ben Thomas

Please contact Jane Garcia @910.295.1780 or email ladyjane@nc.rr.com)
if you know of anyone that is ill or has experienced a lost of family or friends.

Club Special Announcements

Bud Hunter and Nanci Donald

New Studio, Carolina Shag, The address is 1832 NC 5 Hwy, located at the corner of Linden Road and NC 5 (south of Food Lion Shopping Center). The building is on the West side of NC 5-white cottage with black shutters and a Tomato Red door. Our schedule: Shag Lessons on Tuesday at 6:30 Level 1; 7:30 Level 2; 8:30 Level 3 Line Dancing on Wednesday and Thursday nites at 6:30pm and Shag Level ! at 7:30 and Shag level 2 at 8:30.

Call 910-690-9176 for more information.

Dance shoes for ladies available and Brass Boot dance shoes for men.

Paul and Candy are giving free beginner shag tutoring at the Fillin Station on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

Sandy Forsythe And Tom Donaghy

CSA Dancer teach Thursday in Sandford

Call 919 - 776 - 9059 for details

Happy Birthday



3rd David "Butch" Adeimy
5th Robbie Farrell
6th Francheska Aaron
6th Paul Sowell
7th Bob Miller
8th Bob Taylor
12th Roger Racster
19th Dottie Kirk



Photo Album

**Visit MASS
Website
Photos Page**

**Send in your snap shots
and share your
foto good times.**



MOORE AREA SHAG SOCIETY



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
(MUST BE 21 YEARS OLD)

Name: _____ Spouse: _____
Birthday: Month _____ Day _____ Birthday: Month _____ Day _____
Mailing Address: _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
E-Mail Address _____
Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

CHECK ONE: New Member _____ Renewal _____

The More Area Shag Club is a non-profit / volunteer club. Each member is encouraged to help serve on a committee. Please indicate your preference. Thanks!!!

By-laws _____ Social _____ Door & Hospitality _____
Historian _____ Publicity _____ Membership _____
Special Events _____ Other _____ Special Talents _____

Indicate if you are interested in learning: _____ Basic Shag _____ Int./Advanced Shag

Dues are \$20.00 per person each year (May 1st - April 31st). Members must be 21 years old at the time their application is submitted. A couple may use the same application form. Memberships are to be renewed each fiscal year. Funds are used for social events, club activities, community service and publications. Officers and committee members all work as volunteers and are not compensated for their time.

Please make check payable to **M.A.S.S.** and mail to:
Moore Area Shag Society
P O Box 992
Southern Pines, NC 28388

By signing this form and accepting membership in the Moore Area Shag Society, I agree to allow my name, phone number and birthday to be published in a roster available to MASS members.

SIGNATURE _____ Date _____
New Member/s Only (needs to complete below this line).

Name: _____
Sponsoring Members Signature _____
(You must be a MASS member to sponsor a new member).