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Sandy Beach Shag Club's Newsletter

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Members of the Month for March 2011

Our members of the month for March are Donna and Randy Bumgarner and Perri Jeanne Hicks! SBSC appreciates all the ways in which you have played an active role in our club. A special table will be set up for you and your friends at our March 26th Party!!

Membership Meeting Dates:

Sunday March 6, 2011 at Friday Friends Restaurant, 6pm! This date is a new date. Please mark this change on your calendar.

The next meeting is April 21, 2011

The Board of Directors Meets following each membership meeting.

Shag Lessons!!

New lessons start March, 24th, 31st, April 7th and 28th, 2011 on Thursdays at the Elks Lodge. The cost of lessons is \$20 per person. Robin and John will be teaching Beginners II and some additional lessons. Please arrive 15 minutes early on March 25th. We will do Lead and Follow Steps on March 24th and April 7th. The ladies will have a class of their own March 31st. We will have open dancing on April 28th. Beginners II starts at 6:30pm and the others start at 7:45pm. Please wear comfortable shoes with slick bottoms if possible. No partner is necessary.

Trash Pickup for SBSC Adopt-A-Highway April 2, 2011

Once again, SBSC volunteers will make our road more beautiful. If you would like to do something that is meaningful for the community and have great camaraderie while doing it, please join us for this most worthwhile event April 2nd. We always meet in the back

parking lot of McDonald's between the store and the BB&T ATM machine. We meet at 10am. The club provides you with an orange vest for your safety and gloves. We usually go to Friday Friends following our pickup for lunch and liquid refreshments. Our rain date

would be April 9th.

For more information contact:

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SBSC Birthdays for March 2011

You are only young once, but you can stay immature indefinitely. –Ogden Nash

Bob Hogan	3/4
Keri (Beth)Brown	3/5
Benett Brittain	3/7
Jim Cates	3/9
Elizabeth Ferguson	3/9
Barbara Hersey	3/9
Perri Jeanne Hicks	3/10
Terri Lockee	3/12
CJ Stancil	3/15
Dawn Rabon	3/17
Scott Rogers	3/17
Clyde Robbins	3/18
Deborah Few	3/19
Steve Holloway	3/19
Regina Reep	3/20
Kenneth Reep	3/23
Julie Robbins	3/24
Susan Whisnant	3/26
Tim Crotts	3/27

President: John Carpenter

VP: Libby Burns

Secretary: Susan Whisnant

Treasurers: Denny/Marie Young

Members-at-large: Andy St. John,

Sanford Clark

Former President: Arlene Coley

*“Ask not what
your Shag Club
can do for you,
but rather what
you can do for
your Shag
Club”*

SBSC HONORARY LIFETIME MEMBER AWARD

The **SBSC Honorary Lifetime Member Award** is a service award. Club members are encouraged to submit a nomination form for this award. The membership then votes on the nominees and the award is given at our annual **Re-Up Party** each year. This Honorary Lifetime member receives free membership to the club for the rest of their life. The nominee should exemplify qualities that distinguish him/her for other **SBSC** members for their service and commitment to **SBSC**. It is the highest honor that can be bestowed upon a member. There will only be one member eligible for this award each year.

Nominations forms are available on the website, at our membership meeting Mar. 6 and at our parties. All nominations must be received no later than April 21. We will vote on that date at our membership meeting.



Party Information

All Parties are held at the Morganton Elks Lodge.

Members \$5 Guests \$7

7:30pm until 11:30pm

Light Snacks, cash bar, and DJ

All in a smoke free environment

For more details contact: johnthomas@hotmail.com

All members are encouraged to donate a snack. Please bring a serving dish too. Sample items are: peanuts, chips/dip, cookies/brownies, Cheetos, pretzels, pickles/olives etc. Also, All members are asked to help with the clean-up at the end of the party by putting trash in the correct recycling bins.

SBSC 2011 Party Dates

3/26/11 DJ Gene Hensley

5/21/11 DJ Kyle Beam

6/11/11 DJ Tommy Samole

8/13/11 DJ Eddie Thompson

10/29/11 DJ Mac Mast

11/19/11 DJ Betty Brown

12/17/11 DJ Johnny B

Summary of the ACSC Winter Workshop in Columbia, SC

Sandy Beach Shag Club has a great moment in Shag History!



On February 26th, 2011, a contingent of Sandy Beach Shag Club Members traveled to Columbia, SC to the Clarion Hotel for the 2011 ACSC Winter Workshop. John Carpenter, Robin Morley, Steve Coley, Arlene Coley, Libby Burns, Carollyn Pruett, Georgia Cates and Jim Cates all were there to represent our club. We also had 2 other distinguished members in Helen Still, Chairman of the S.O.S. Board, and her husband Rodney Still, an Association DJ.

The first order of business was the election of officers. There were 3 Board seats up for elections. The Board seats are staggered so there were 3 this time and there will be 2 the next time elections are held. The winners were Dwayne Baggett, Ronnie Gregory, and Helen Still. Following the elections, it was time to announce the 2011 ACSC Shag Icon Awards. Robin Morley was awarded an Icon Award!!! This is the first Shag Icon for SBSC. Lake Hickory has had two in Ann Sigmon (2003) and Norman Mills (2006). George Schieren (who is a member of SBSC) won the Shag Icon Award with the Boone Shag Club in 2005. Helen Still also is a Shag Icon and won the award in 2008. We now technically have 3 Shag Icons that are members. Robin is the first to be awarded an Icon Award for her service to SBSC!



Our mark on the world is as fleeting as the tide washed sands. But it sure is fun to make your mark

There were some great discussions about how to conduct Club meetings and Robert's Rules of Order. We had a great meeting and it was time to enjoy some party time.

The Columbia Shag Club did a wonderful job of putting on the event and a great time was had by all!

Area Happenings-Check out what is happening around us!

Two great websites for Shag Dance Information: www.shagdance.com and www.shagtour.com

SBSC's March Party

March 26th

DJ Gene Hensley

www.sandybeachshagclub.com

Boone Shag Club

www.booneshagclub.com

Boogie to Boone is scheduled for July 9th at the Broyhill Inn and Conference Center in Boone.

Lake Hickory Shag Club www.lakehickoryshagclub.com

For information for Brushy Mountain Parties, please contact: Edward Mack Hicks
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Brushy Mountain Shag Club:
North Wilkesboro, NC
www.brushymountainshagclub.com

Mark your calendars!!

Summer Deck Parties

**Friday Friends Restaurant -
May 29, June 26, July 17, Sept. 11, Oct. 9 4-8pm**

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Find us on www.sandybeachshagclub.com or on Facebook. Just type Sandy Beach Shag Club in the search box.

Sandy Beach Shag Club is a non-profit social dance club that promotes the Carolina Shag Dance. Our mission is the bringing together people of like minds with the goal to preserve the Carolina Shag Dance and the music to which we dance. We are members of the Association of Carolina Shag Clubs. For any information, go online to www.sandybeachshagclub.com or contact the President, John Carpenter: johnthomas@hotmail.com

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