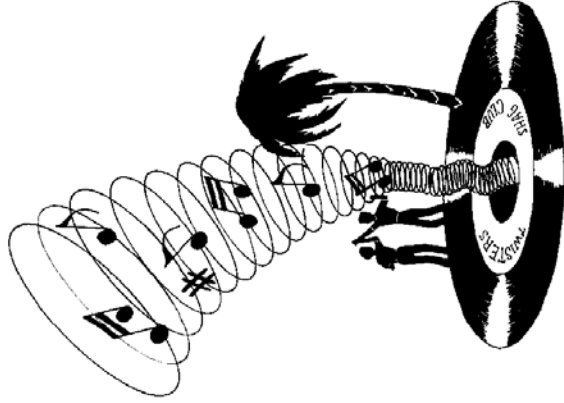


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The President's Letter

Hi Fun Bunch,

I hope this letter finds everyone well and ready to party more. Friday night at Gator's seems to be hopping every week. At the time of this writing, I will be bringing 6 people that don't shag but are looking for a good time on 6/24. Who knows, maybe this will want them to take lessons. Come when you can and bring who you can whenever possible and lets make the night at Gators even bigger.

July is shaping up to be good month for parties. 4th of July party at Gators, Junior SOS at NMB and of course one of the favorite parties of the summer, The Frozen Fantasy! Start concocting you special shooters, drinks and sweets today!

Don't forget about the club meeting on Tuesday, 7/5 at Fat Boys.

As always, live awesome!

Khris

Club Meeting Night

Our monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 5th at Fat Boys Restaurant (I-77, exit 36) in Mooresville. Doors open at 7pm. The business meeting begins at 8:00pm. Melissa Pethel missed a huge treasure chest last month. Don't miss your chance to win!

Dave Hale and Ed Hausbeck have submitted an application to join TSC. Come out and meet them (if you haven't already).

The Treasure Chest should be HUGE this month. Unfortunately (for them) Marvin, Betsy, Nancy, Melissa, and Georgia, have not been present recently when their names were drawn. But their bad luck means someone could really win a big prize this month. Don't miss your opportunity. We're ready to give away about \$300.

Time For The Big Frozen Fantasy Party

Our Frozen Fantasy Party is planned for Saturday, July 23. Mike and Celia have agreed to host this event at their home once again. So start getting your frozen desert recipes ready now.

The party will start at 4 pm, and last until. If you know Mike very well, you know he means “until”.. and “until” doesn’t happen until late at night. (Strange things have been known to take place at this party long after the sun went down!)

Their house is on the lake and they have a nice dock. Swimming, boating, skiing and other water activities are encouraged. Bring your boat if you wish. There is plenty of space to park it.

Clyde Waller will be our DJ. So you can dance on the deck, or just enjoy the tunes. Inside, you can play pool or some arcade games.

At about 5:30 there will be a full meal. (Free for members. \$5 for guests.) Soft drinks and water will be provided. BYOB... or just enjoy some of whatever Frozen Fantasy you choose to bring.

Speaking of the Frozen Fantasies, we hope you will bring your favorite frozen drink, shooter, jello shooter, ice cream, cake or other creation for our contest. Make sure it has a “punch” to it. (Judges like that!) We’ll have several categories, and give away some nice prizes for the best entries in each one. We will have some refrigerator/freezer space for items that need to be kept cool.

By land: From I-77 exit 36, go west on 150 approximately three miles. Turn on McCrary Road. Go to the end of the road and turn right onto Riverwood. Go about ½ mile. The house is on the left at 305 Riverwood. It has white columns. Please pull into the natural area to park. You can also park at 307 Riverwood.

By water: Marker 12, the end of Kiser Island. Go North. At marker 16 look straight ahead. You will see the water tower at 12 o’clock. Go toward 1 o’clock toward MC1 and MC2. McCrary Creek Island on the right. Bear left then right. The dock is two-levels. The house has a sun deck with white railing.

Bring a lawn chair and a cooler of your favorite beverages, too!

Do Not Miss This Party

Hey Fun Bunch, are you gearing up for the Frozen Fantasy party on July 23rd? It's a blast and you don't want to miss it. The Frozen Fantasy party gets bigger and better each year... just like the saying, "we all get better with age". WOW!!!! That means quite a few of us have a lot to look forward to. ☺

It's a time to relax with your friends, enjoy the lake, listen to music, dance the night away outside on the deck, and most of all ... experience your frozen fantasy drink or dessert.

Someone ask me how did this party get started? I had to think way back to see how good my memory was, so here goes. Around 1997 or 1998 a group of us got together planning all our parties for the year. Since we were having a summer party we started talking about getting the members involved with the party. We decided to ask everyone to bring a frozen drink or dessert (because it was always hot that time of year) and have a contest to see who could make the best treat. Someone yelled out, "A Frozen Fantasy Party". Well it was on, and it still going strong.

It's so easy. Bring your entry and we will place it in a cooler for you. One thing we ask that you don't do is put your name of the dessert. Leave the identity a secret until the contest is over. Let's be creative this year and take some time to think of a drink, shooter, dessert or other items that is fairly new. Or make up your own item and name.

It is fun to watch the judges taste all of the goodies. Then, once the contest is over, it will be your turn to taste all the items brought by your fellow members.

I will see each of you on the 23rd.

The Energizer Bunny (Kathy)



CELEBRATING OUR TWENTY-FIRST ANNIVERSARY

THE FALL CYCLONE PARTY

* The Carolina Beach Music Awards "Event Of The Year" Winner *

Hosted By Twister's Shag Club On November 4-6, 2011

At The Old Mooresville Skating Rink (Huge Hardwood Floor)

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Sunday: Back By Popular Demand * The Fantastic Shakers * Plus We Will Also Feature
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VIP's From The Beach Lounges, The ACSC And SOS Will Be Bartending At Various Times!

★ THIS IS THE PARTY BARGAIN OF THE YEAR ★

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FREE non-stop adult beverages all three days **FREE** huge buffet Saturday 5:30-7:00pm

FREE munchies, plus nightly pastries & coffee **FREE** full, hot breakfast Sunday morning

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Party Hours: Friday 7pm-1am Saturday 10am-1am (Workshops at 10:30am, 11:00 and 12:15) Sunday 9am-2pm

For accurate, updated information about this party, go to www.GoShagging.com

If you have a question not answered on our web site E-mail Cyclone21@GoShagging.com or call 704-892-9044.

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NOTE 1: To get a room in our block (at these discounts) or a shuttle pass you must PHONE the hotels at these numbers and mention "Twisters" or "The Fall Cyclone Party" or "the shag party".

NOTE 2: As with other "special events", any reservation cancelled less than 14 DAYS in advance will result in a one-night charge.

NOTE 3: For regular updates on hotel room (or party ticket) availability, please visit www.GoShagging.com

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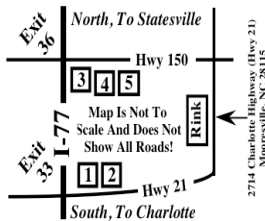
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2011 Fall Cyclone Flyer Now Available

The much-anticipated plans for the 2011 Fall Cyclone are now available... and they will create a lot of excitement in the shag community. This will be the 21st anniversary of our award winning event, and we're going to make sure it is our best party, ever.

Recently, an email was sent to all the 2010 attendees and the existing shag club presidents to ask for their feedback about our event. We've used that input to tweak our event, and give us some ideas that we will use this year to make our event even better.

Long-time TSC members will notice some subtle differences in what we will be offering this year. There will be more changes that become obvious at the actual event. It's all an effort to continue making our party *THE* shag club event of the year.

We expect to have even more VIP guests this year, including some familiar faces to help tend our bar! In fact, we're going to let them serve their favorite shooters. We might even have a contest to see who make the best ones.

We'll be sharing a lot more of our plans in the near future. For now, we need every TSC member to help begin our promotions. At the July meeting we'll be preparing individual flyer mailings, and flyer packages to sent to all shag clubs. We'll also have plenty of extra flyers you can take with to other shag events to share.

Most importantly, we need you to help share emails and make Facebook posts about our event. Tell everyone you know about the party and how much fun it will be. We need to get the word out to as many people as possible, as soon as we can, so everyone has a chance to get a ticket before we sell out.

Beginning in August, we'll start looking ahead to party work slots and what each individual member can do that weekend to help make the 2011 Cyclone the best shag party ever held.

Excitement is building. You will have more fun than you can imagine. Got questions? See our 2011 chairman (Mike Rink).

What's Happening In The Shag World
(GoShagging.com Has More Items And Details)

July 5: Twister's Shag Club meeting at Fat Boys. Social starts at 7pm. The business meeting will start at 8pm.

July 8-10: ACSC Summer Workshop hosted by The CSRA Shag Club. DJs Jim Agee, John Smith, Murl Augustine, John Wilson and Jack Moore. \$60 thru 6/20, then \$70. (803) 278-2249.

July 12-17: Junior SOS at North Myrtle Beach.

July 22-24: Sparkle City Celebration hosted by R&B Shag Club of Spartanburg. \$65. DJs David Graham, David O'Quinn, Jack Moore, Mike Swords, Billy Waldrep. 864-583-4656 or drakepg@aol.com or www.rbshagclub.com

July 23: Nation's Capital Beach Party Blast hosted by Northern Virginia Shag Club. \$60-\$65 after June 30). DJ Craig Jennings. suey@theaeap.com or 703-573-6870 or www.nvshag.org.

July 23: TSC's Frozen Fantasy Party. Details in this issue.

July 29-31: Shaggin' on the Santee hosted by Orangeburg Area Shag Club. \$65. DJs Furman Dominick, Jim Bowers, and Jessie Griffin. 803-387-5570 or www.theoasc.com.

Aug 5, 6: Sand Flea Reunion hosted by Carolina Shag Club. \$45-\$50. DJs John Wilson, Billy Waldrep, Jack Moore, JoAnne Johnson, Nick Columbus, David Graham & John Campbell. 864-915-9851 or jrcoley@charter.net or www.carolinashagclub.com

Aug 6: Flashback hosted by Charlotte Shag Club. \$35. DJs Eddie Teeter, Tim Boggs. 704/510-1743 or mbrantley1@carolina.rr.com.

Aug 18-20: Shag Tracks hosted by Choo Choo Shag Club. \$60. DJs: Tottie Brown, Jesse Griffin, David Sessoms, Mike Hall, Ken Hughes. 423-334-2882 or www.choochooshagclub.com.

Aug 20: Vinyl Party at the Junkyard. Details to be announced.

Aug 27: Mountain Beach Boogie hosted by Mountain Shag Club. DJs Buck Crumpton and Mike Swords. 828-298-9382 or petersonpd@aol.com or www.mountainshagclub.com

Sept 16-25: Fall SOS at North Myrtle Beach.

Oct 8: Cotton Pickin Chicken Pickin hosted by Gaston Shaggers. \$15. DJs Eddie Teeter And Eddie Anderson. BYOB. Set-Ups provided. 704-865-7404 clcloninger@yahoo.com.

Oct 14-16: Geechee Blast hosted by Charleston Shag Club. \$65. DJs: Walter Upchurch, Betty Brown, Dick Hamrick and Tootie Brown. BYOB. 4 delicious meals. 843-572-9994 or elupchurch@comcast.net or www.charlestonshagclub.com.

Oct 29: TSC and two other clubs will host a Halloween Party at Lynn's in Charlotte. More details to be announced, soon.

Nov 4-6: The 21st Annual Fall Cyclone Party. Information is in this issue and in much more detail on www.goshagging.com. Get your tickets now for the shag club "event of the year".

Dec 31: New Year's Eve Party hosted by Twister's Shag Club.

Upcoming Birthdays

Wayland Massengill	07/01	Marsha Tomlin	08/06
Bruce Tinsley	07/08	Dean Melton	08/13
Donna Kelly	07/10	Brenda Weisner	08/15
Marcia Long	07/11	Martha Baker	08/22
Eddie Teeter	07/12	Dave Hale	08/22
Barbara Goyne	07/16	David Kelly	08/25
Jimmy Melton	07/24	Janice Musgrove	08/28
Dick Bigham	07/26	Ken Culpepper	08/30
Dean Yancey	07/30	Kim Riley	08/30
		Roger Trexler	08/31

Happy Birthday To The Love Of My Life; Jimmy!

Love, Dean

Happy Birthday Marcia!

You're one year closer to me than you were last month. Just wait till that next even number rolls around!

Love, Greg

Donna,

On July 10th it will be 10 months since the day we said "I do". On your birthday I want you to know how happy you have made me and that I would do it all over again! So Happy Birthday Donna! I love you with all my heart!

David

Happy Birthday Dick!

Here's to a Happy Birthday! A day full of laughter & sun!
Here's to a year that is healthy. Here's to a year full of fun!
I wish you great joy, that brightens all sorrow'
I wish you peace, that calm's all life's strife.
To enjoy life today & also tomorrow,
AND I hope I'm INCLUDED in your active life!

Kathy

The Oldies Party

By Dean Melton

If you didn't get chance to go on the bus trip to Winston-Salem you really missed a great time. We had a bus with lots of air conditioning this year. Yeah! Of course there were plenty of drinks being passed around on the ride to keep us cool, too.

Once we got to the party we had our very own Twister's table so we could all be together. We make much more noise as a group. So I'm not sure WSSC thought that one through before we arrived.

The music was good. I even got to see our President doing a line dance. If you didn't make this trip make plans to be on the next one. You won't regret it. It is always a good time.

Tear This Out And Win A Prize

Answer the following questions. Then, tear out this page and bring it to the July meeting. Get the most correct and you could win!

1. How many yearly Fall Cyclones have there already been?
2. Name three 2011 Fall Cyclone DJ's.
3. Name two TSC members (past or present) have been awarded the Shagging Icon Award by the ACSC and SOS.
4. Name three TSC past presidents?
5. What is the goal of every TSC member to promote too others.
6. Who hand writes all the birthday cards that go out to members?
7. What is the name of TSC's current "home"?
8. Where did Twisters Shag Club get its name?
9. What is official nickname of TSC's members?
10. What event did TSC start at SOS? (We have them every SOS.)
11. Name four lounges that participate in SOS at the beach?
12. What does SOS stand for?
13. Name three shag steps.
14. Name two line dances.
15. What is the name of your favorite shooter drink?
16. What is the name of the first Monday of Fall SOS?
17. Name three ACSC board members.
18. What well-known DJ was known for his red hat?
19. Who is our official "Meet and Greet" chairperson.
20. What are the names of our current, Tuesday shag instructors?

The Oldies Party

By Charles Orange

Tell me that you spent the night dancing with Elvis, sailors, carhops, a farmer in bibs (that we didn't need to see) and a whole host of lovely ladies in poodle skirts and I will tell you that you spent the evening at the Winston-Salem Shag Club's Oldies Party. The evening started off with the prompt arrival of our party bus loaded down with snacks, sodas and all the beverages you could hold. (Believe me. Khris tried.) We didn't go five miles until Wilma and Tommy Laws tried to cleanse out our intestinal tracts with their cinnamon liquor. I felt the burn all the way down to my belly button. Dean and Jimmy tried to cool things down with their version of a tootsie roll.

Before we knew it we were pulling up to the Oldies party. Walking into the gym and listening to the music, you could honestly feel that you were at a sock hop... only the teenagers were a little bit older! The party started with a spread of food that would make K&W Cafeteria jealous.

After several hours of dancing, door prizes, and special presentations from two dance groups and a local cub scouts group, the party wound down and we loaded back on the bus headed back home. Another push was made to hold more beverages.

As first timers, Vickie and myself had a great time. For those of you who stayed at home watching NCIS reruns, Gibbs needs to hit you on the back of the head. For those of you that went, we will see you again next year. And yes, it was "Walter's fault".

**Attention TSC Members:
We will have some space saved for
your article in the next issue!**

Whether it's long or short, we want to hear from you.

Fun On Fridays At Gators

If you haven't been to Gators lately, you have missed some improvements (not to mention a LOT of fun). Don't forget our weekly drawing. Someone who attends each Friday is guaranteed to win. There is also a cumulative drawing (like our Treasure Chest) that grows each week if it isn't won. In fact, we've given away a few \$50 prizes lately.

Come on out and join us this week... and invite a friend, too! Here's the upcoming DJ current schedule:

July 1: DJ Frank Price

July 8: DJ Farrell Watts

July 15: DJ Clyde Waller

July 22: DJ Butch Metcalf

July 29: DJ Mike Rink

Save The Date

As we go to press, we are working on another golf outing. Folks had so much fun at our recent outing, we've been asked to do it again. So we will! This time, it may be just golf. It may be golf and food (again). Or, it may be golf and food and a wine tasting!

So much is going on we haven't had been able to finalize plans before this issue. So keep this date in mind: Saturday, July 30.

If things don't work out for that date, we may try to do something on August 13th and/or August 27th. Of course, since you are a conscientious member, you've got your TSC Club Calendar handy and you already knew about these dates. Right???

Fun Monday Tickets

See Mike Rink to get your raffle tickets. These tickets fund the Fun Sunday/Monday events at SOS and help a local children's charity, too. A mere \$10-\$20 investment could win you \$50-\$7500. We only have 100 tickets to sell. Please help us get these sold ASAP.

More About The Oldies Party

By Khris Sloop

Guess what? The bus had air conditioning that worked this time. Definitely made the ride more comfortable. Shots flowed on the bus and at the party. Winston's party was a good one as usual and if you went hungry it was your fault.

Winston had there own dance troop dressed as sailors coming into port then dancing with their lady friends in sync. Another skit was done to the Ray Charles tune, "Hit the Road Jack" with four ladies tap dancing and showing their "boyfriends" the door.

They also gave away another Tub "o" liquor in a drawing. Last year it was a wagon that Mike and Peggy are still trying to drink their way through. Twister's was feeling pretty good on the bus trip back, and all made it home safe. Another great bus trip!

A 2009 SOS Memory

By Kathy Strantz

If y'all recall, the beach was being "restored"! I spent half of the morning rescuing folks from the sand and the other half being rescued! The sand was like quicksand! I was tired, hot, sandy and sweaty. I got on the elevator and pressed the button. The door opened and I walked down the hall, entered the condo. A bedroom opened and I was greeted by the sweetest lady... still in her nightie. I liked her immediately (she was shorter/chubbier than I). I just knew we'd be BFFs!!

I say hello! I am now in the middle of the kitchen demanding to know, "Where's George? 'He's not here. Well where is he?" (He's always on the couch reading the paper in front of the TV!) Still smiling and with a very sweet voice, she asked me what condo I was looking for? "701", I said. "This is 601", she responded.

I tried my best to apologize and leave as quickly as possible! Just another senior/SOS moment.

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Karen Callahan shagbasc@suddenlink.net 304-763-4549 www.becklevshagclub.com

Sleep Inn, Exit 125 B-I-64E, Beaver, 304-255-4222 Room Rates ~~\$69.00~~ per night. Mention Beckley Area Shag Club when you make your reservation. Shuttle service every 15 minutes to and from the Hangar Friday & Saturday nights! Call Microtel Inn & Suites for rates, 1001 S Eisenhower Drive, E Beckley WV 304-255-2200 Exit 124 (5 miles from Hangar) 100% non-smoking for rates. Shuttle will service both Sleep Inn & Microtel.

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