



The Bugle

Battlefield Boogie Club

CREATE DANCE HISTORY



CREATE A MEMORY

Fredericksburg, Virginia

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President's Letter... Audrey Borja



Oh my, spring is finally showing its color! Winter was cold and seasonal, but I guess we are all ready for our next season. :) Well, first of all as I write my Letter, I am sad to tell you that our friend, Tony Berry passed away in March after serious health issues. We want to pray for Mary his wife at this difficult time. Another good friend, Ricky Clark has been very ill from the aftermath of a fall. Tony and Mary and Ricky and Ted always came to the BBC together. Please pray for Ricky and for

Ted as they are challenged with Ricky's medical needs. I feel sadness when our friends have sorrow and difficulty. So, as we look forward to spring, as I write this, the wind is strong and the breeze is brisk but hang in there, we have bright, sunny days coming! The BBC is in good shape with new members joining each week. We are challenging ourselves to increase our membership over the summer, so contact your friends and bring them out to join us~ SOS is this month in N. Myrtle Beach. Apr. 15-24. Hopefully you have your SOS cards. They are \$30 in advance and \$35 if you get them in Myrtle Beach. This is a fun time with thousands of shaggers coming to town and dancing around the clock. Workshops, a parade, food, friends and more friends and so much dancing will keep you on the go. The beach awaits you too with the calmness of ebb and flow. Hope you plan to go...you can go for the entire time or for as many days as you can. This is such good medicine~ On Apr. 9, the Band of Oz will be at the Eagles Club. See Bill Frostick for tickets. On Apr. 30, the Rappahannock Rotary Club is sponsoring a Beach

Music Blast at the Fairgrounds. They will feature the Drifters, Tams, Ammon's All Stars, and Steve Jarrell and the Sons of the Beach. See me for tickets! Yes, our spring is kicking off in full swing! --The board members will be wearing their badges to let you know who they are. Please greet them and let them know if you have any questions. I so appreciate them! --We are considering inviting our BBC members to advertise their business or other special products in our newsletter. The newsletter will come out each quarter and the advertisement will be \$25 for the quarter. Our newsletter will be linked to our Bugle Call email for quick reference. This proposal is under consideration but if you are interested in advertising, please let me or one of our board members know. So, have a good spring, dance a lot and embrace your strength! The BBC is your club so volunteer, spread the good spirit and help us make our BBC the best club ever~

Let the good times roll~

Audrey



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Virginia Shag Hall of Fame Honorees

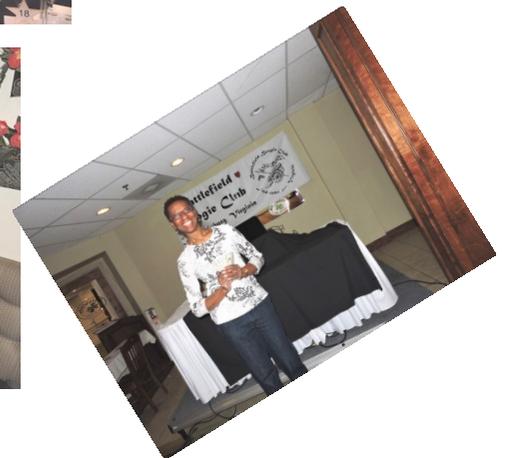


March 25-27 was a fun weekend when the BBC shared time with the Virginia Shag Hall of Fame (VSHOF) event at the Hospitality House. The VSHOF is an annual gathering of shag club representatives throughout the state that celebrates exceptional shaggers that have contributed to the preservation and promotion of the shag. The organization recognizes shag dancers throughout Virginia that have extended themselves in many ways in their dance clubs, personal activities and in work and play to make a difference in the awareness and support of the dance that we all love. The annual inductees to the Hall of Fame are nominated and approved for inclusion by other VSHOF members. It is a year-long process and the nominations must be exceptional in what they have done for the shag community.

Our friend and member Dave Bushey who passed away last year before he could be nominated to the Virginia Shag Hall of Fame, was recognized for his contributions to shag preservation that helped put Virginia shaggers on the map. Dave spearheaded getting a Va. State Proclamation signed by Gov. McAuliffe declaring July 11, 2015 as Va. Shag Day. Now Virginia shaggers have a day dedicated to our dance. Dave's wife, Angie Bushey, spoke on his behalf. Dave was a good friend of the shag world. He loved the dance, beach music, and his wide collection of friends. We will miss him!



Battlefield Boogie Club, welcomed the Shag Clubs of VA & the Hall of Fame Inductees' to our Thursday night dance to unwind and share time with friends at Fredericksburg's, Shannon's Bar & Grill. The night was a pre-party time with the BBC welcoming 20-30 folks that were attending the weekend event. We had a great time dancing, laughing and proudly sharing our Shannon's venue with them. Friday and Saturday were full of high spirits with buffet dinner on Saturday and great DJ's providing our music both nights in the large ballroom of the Hospitality House. We are proud to participate in this yearly ceremonial and fun party. Our BBC knows how to make folks feel at home. We hope you had a ton of fun on the run...



St. Patrick's Day



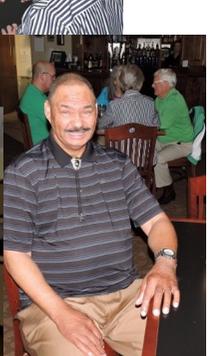
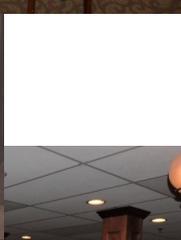
By Darlene Weaver



St. Patty's Day at Shannon's was a sea of green as the BBC turned out to celebrate the holiday all decked out in their greenery. As always, the music at Shannon's was superb. Our own DJ, "Willie T", added a few Irish Tunes to the mix, in honor of the holiday. Everybody is Irish on St. Patrick's Day.

Earlier in the day a little leprechaun stopped by and hid a pot of gold. (some of which were real gold coins) Jewell Pradier found the treasure, using only one clue. Next year the little guy will need to be smarter and make it a little harder to find. Later in the evening, there was a drawing for an "Irish Survival Kit", which was a basket consisting of several bottles of spirits, along with some of the fixings for a traditional corned beef and cabbage dinner. The lucky winner was Wes Kirchner.

Bunny McMorro took home the second drawing which was an "Irish Coffee", coffee mug". Holidays are always more fun when you share them with friends and our BBC friends are the best kind of friends.



SHAGGING ON THE HIGH SEAS:

By Wendy Osborn



Imagine eating great food including lobster, having constant fun in the sun, listening and dancing to The Embers, Rhonda McDaniel and Too Much Sylvia **LIVE** on a cruise ship.....sound like a dream, it's not! Three couples from our club did just that:

Wes & Shirley, Larry & Donna and Mark & Wendy

We took a one week shag cruise called, "Making Waves" aboard the Carnival Valor ship on February 27th - March 5th.

With two days at sea and four ports visited there were more activities than one could attend. We visited Amber Cove in Dominican Republic, St. Thomas, San Juan and Grand Turk.

Even with all the normal fun cruise activities, our "Making Waves" group had private gatherings, dance lessons and of course our own bands and DJ's to play beach music! We may even get to have Wes teach a few new steps to the club.

There are several shag dance cruises that sail each year for your dancing on the seas pleasure! The next 11th annual "Making Waves" cruise for 2017 will take place on Jan 29th and return on Feb 4th. The Embers featuring Craig Woolard has been confirmed and other guest artists are to be announced shortly. It is departing out of Ft. Lauderdale for a 6 night cruise on Carnival – Conquest. Ports are Key West, Grand Cayman and Cozumel with two days at sea.

Look for flyers with more details out soon. ~Wendy 😊



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What's Up!

Dance every Thursday night with the Battlefield Boogie Club at Shannon's Bar and Grille, Central Park, Fredericksburg, Virginia
Lessons start at 7:30 pm—dance until 10:00 pm

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| April 4/9 | Band of Oz Eagles Club, Fredericksburg |
| April 15-24 | SOS Spring Safari—North Myrtle Beach |
| April 23 | Parade on Main St. shagdance.com for more info |
| April 30 | Beach Music Blast, Fredericksburg |
| May 13-14 | Beckley Area, W.Va. Party |

Dance every Wednesday night with the Northern Virginia Shag Club at the Arlington-Fairfax Elks Lodge. 8421 Arlington Blvd. VA 6:30-10:30pm

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In remembrance of our departed club members of the Battlefield Boogie Club.

Berry, Tony
Bushey, David
Draughon, Oliver
Shepard, Evelyn
Smith, Lance
Townsley, James

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Happy Feet Do Six Steps

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NOTE! Check your BBC weekly email communications for coming events. The dates posted below are proposed dates for dance lessons.

Beginner Steps for April

April	07	Basic, Crossover Basic
	14	Basic, Side to Side Basic
	21	Basic, LINE DANCE
	28	Start, Behind Sailor

Beginner Steps for May

May	05	Basic, Female Turn
	12	Basic, Male Turn
	19	Basic- LINE DANCE
	26	Basic, Start, Triple Basic

June Beginner Steps for June

	02	Basic, Female Turn
	09	Basic, Male Turn
	16	Basic, Line Dance
	23	Basic, Start, Sailor
	30	Basic, Review: Start, Male & Female Turn

Novice Steps for April

April	14	Review: Hug & Open Pivot Teach: Applejack
	28	Review: Applejack - Teach: Stutter Basic

May Novice Steps for May

	12	Review: Pivot - Teach: Behind Sailor, Front Sailor
	26	Review: Applejack -Teach: Crossover Basic from Male & Female Turns

Novice Steps for June

June	09	Review: Pivot - Teach: Applejack
	23	Review: Crossover Basic from Male & Female Turns Teach: Belly Roll
	30	Instructor's Choice



MARCH

Bushor, Dennis	03/05
Andrew, Donna	03/27
Clark, Ted	03/29
Dunning, Judy	03/30
Mason, Arlene	03/30

APRIL

Beeman, John	04/07
Martin, Gary	04/12

MAY

Weaver, Benny	05/04
Locklair, Larry	05/18

JUNE

Jennings, Heather	06/06
McNutt, Caroline	06/10
Gibbs, Ken	06/11
Borja, Don	06/20
Kirchner, Shirley	06/22
Locklair, Joann	06/25



DJ Schedule

CRAIG JENNINGS



APRIL 28

MAY 05, 19

JUNE 16



CRAIG JENNINGS



GUEST DJ – JUNE 30 – BUTCH ADEIMY



BILL FROSTICK

APRIL 07, 21

MAY 26

JUNE 09



BILL FROSTICK



RON LIPPS

APRIL 14

MAY 12

JUNE 02, 23



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CHECK THE WEEKLY BUGLE FOR NEW INFO OR CHANGES



By **Craig Jennings**



The Association of Beach and Shag Club Deejays Presents:

The Top 50 Shag Songs of 2015

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| 1. Marvin Gaye | Charlie Puth and Meghan Trainor |
| 2. Sexual Religion | Rod Stewart |
| 3. Swing It | Lomax |
| 4. Call My Wife | Linsey Alexander |
| 5. Patience | Noel Gourdin |
| 6. Back In The Day Café | Andre Lee |
| 7. Dance Tonight | The Blackwater Rhythm and Blues Band |
| 8. Lady Soul | The Temptations |
| 9. I'm In Heaven When I'm With You | Roy Hamilton |
| 10. Bright | Peter White |
| 11. Share My Love | R. Kelly |
| 12. A Love To Call Mine | Johnnie Taylor |
| 13. #1 Love | Winzell Kelly |
| 14. In This Mess | Snooky Pryor |
| 15. Before The Night Is Through | Gina Sicilia |
| 16. How Do You Stop | James Brown |
| 17. I Can't Think | The Band of Oz |
| 18. Let's Walk | Austin deLone |
| 19. Come Get To This | Marvin Gaye |
| 20. Love Contract | Musiq Soulchild |
| 21. Come Get To This/Steppin' Out Tonight | L.J. Reynolds |
| 22. Sweetness Of Your Love | L.U.S.T. |
| 23. The Walk | Mayer Hawthorne |
| 24. Goodbye Train | Grayson Hugh |
| 25. Still Strokin' | Ms. Jody |
| 26. Who's Rockin' You | Donnie Ray |
| 27. I Used To Cry Mercy Mercy | The Lamplighters |
| 28. Why Don't We Just Dance | Josh Turner |
| 29. Full Of Fire | Boz Scaggs |
| 30. Don't Rush | Kelly Clarkson and Vince Gill |
| 31. Stepped Right Outta My Dream | Too Much Sylvia |
| 32. Black Coffee and Cigarettes | Mighty Mo Rodgers |
| 33. 8-3-1 | Lisa Stansfield |
| 34. Satisfy My Woman | The Entertainers |
| 35. Breakin' News | Benny Turner |
| 36. Getaway Car | Hall and Oates |
| 37. I'll Know (When The Right One Comes Along) | Sonja Grier |
| 38. The Rock | Ms. Jody |
| 39. Hold On To The Blues | Lonnie Givens |
| 40. Movin' and Groovin' | Phil Wilson |
| 41. Down and Dirty Love | Lil' Red and The Tams |
| 42. Love Never Felt So Good | Michael Jackson and Justin Timberlake |
| 43. Blurred Lines | Robin Thicke, Pharrell Williams and T.I. |
| 44. Give Me You | Billy Ward and The Dominoes |
| 45. Uptown Funk | Mark Ronson and Bruno Mars |
| 46. Bobcat Woman | The Four Jacks |
| 47. I Want It All Back | Gary Lowder and Smokin' Hot |
| 48. Cold Beer and Hot Women | Clifford Curry |
| 49. Extra Careful | The Band of Oz |
| 50. Bad Mama Jammer | Nathaniel Kimble |



Dedicated to the memory of Charlie Byrd (Carawan)
and The Charlie Byrd Beach Blast



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LOGO ITEMS

BBC logo items are on sale every Tuesday night and through e-mail. Don Borja can be reached through his e-mail (ledgestonemanor@aol.com) and Dennis Bushor on Thursday nights. They are our BBC member representatives for logo sales. Please support your club while getting quality merchandise at reasonable prices. We recently added shoe bags to our inventory. So, if you don't have these items, check them out and plan to get one of each.

Shoe Bags- *We are now*
Shirts – *Taking*
Hats - *Orders...*
Huggies-
Bags - \$ 30.00

Weather Emergencies!

Watch your e-mails for weather emergency notices.

We try to be cautious in coming out to dance. Lets think safety! Thank You!

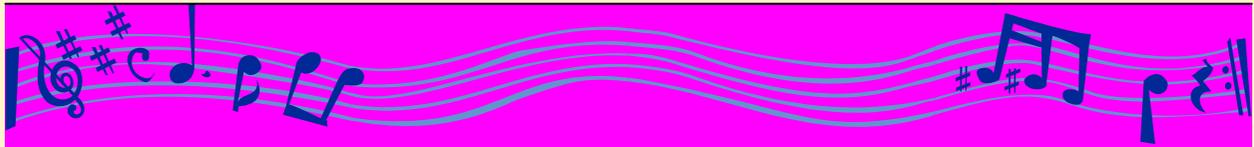
DVD's

Want to practice and perfect those basic dance steps? See Wes or Audrey to purchase Beginner DVD's for just \$10.00.

BBC NEWSLETTER- CAN YOU HELP?



If you have computer skills and would like to help the BBC to compile and produce the BBC Bugle newsletter, please contact a board member listed in the newsletter. We have a staff that has carried the responsibility of the newsletter for 5 years, and we would like for someone else to have the opportunity to experience this fun filled activity. We look forward to hearing from you.



**We extend a warm welcome
to new BBC members!**



Gibbs, Ken



Howe, David



Jones, Veronica



Wilde, Jane



McNutt, Caroline

Battlefield



Boogie Club

DANCE



to

Beach Music

Swing

OLD TIME
ROCK 'N'
ROLL

Blues

Carolina Shag

Shannon's Bar & Grill

2801 Plank Road

Fredericksburg, VA 22401

540-786-8321

Thursday Night 7:30-10:00 pm Free Dance Lessons

7:30 pm - 10:00 pm

Check our website www.battlefieldboogieclub.com

For more Information: 703-401-5050



Rappahannock Rotary
**Beach
Music Blast**

Fredericksburg Fairgrounds

April 30, 2016

11 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Featuring

- Charlie Thomas and the Drifters
- The Tams ● Ammon's All Stars
- Steve Jarrell and the Sons of the Beach

Beach Chairs and Suntan Lotion are Welcomed!!!

\$30 per person - No Coolers



fredericksburgmusicblast.com

Contact Audrey Borja for Tickets: 703-401-5050