

The Bugle

Battlefield Boogie Club

CREATE DANCE HISTORY



CREATE A MEMORY

Fredericksburg, Virginia

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December 2019

President's Letter... Audrey Borja

Oh my, can the year be coming to an end! It surely has flown by! I guess we would say that 2019 has been eventful for our dance club and for our members. I want to thank our BBC Board for their support, time and overall collective team giving. They are the best. They are so good that they have decided to serve for another year along with yours truly. We will stick together for an even better 2020! As we go into 2020, we want to have a membership campaign with awards to members that bring in new BBC members. So, get your outreach in place and bring in new members for a surprise award.

We will keep it a surprise for now, but it will be a fun expression for your efforts. We have discovered new activities at our dance night led by our star member, Darlene Weaver. She is always planning and coordinating fun activities for us on dance nights with games, riddles, and ways to give prizes and money wins to take home. Thank you Darlene for all that you do for us. It all keeps us guessing and alert.. Actually, some of our celebrations with the parties for the dress up Halloween, St. Patrick's Day, Valentine's Day, and the end of year Christmas Party, have all provided good food, music, dancing and friendship building. We have such a great group of folks that our time together is always rewarding and refreshing. Let's keep it up into 2020!

Our core attractions of the BBC club night out such as our dance lessons, food and drink access, music by the best DJs in the region, and lots of room on the dance floor to try new and old steps have begun to show our footprint at the Fredericksburg Moose Lodge. The staff and the regulars are beginning to know us. It should not be long before they will finally join us and see what fun we have. It is simply hometown folks having a good time! The Moose has been good to us and having been at the Moose a couple of years now, we are going to add the Mooseheart (a residential youth facility for children and teens in need) to our annual charity donations. On

December 11 at our Christmas Party we will present a check to the Moose Administrator for our 2019 donation. Since we dance 2 times a month at the Moose, we have been looking for another place to dance on our off weeks and have been trying out the local AM Seafood Restaurant. It is a nice fall back for us, but we still want to try some other places, so if you have ideas, please let us know. A dance floor of course is a must. As we go into winter, do not forget that SOS Mid-Winter 3-day get away to N. Myrtle Beach, S.C. is coming up January 16-20. We have the SOS cards for sale at \$30 each to get you in the clubs throughout the three SOSs. You can use the card for the Mid-Winter, Spring and Fall SOSs. This is a good deal; they are \$35 if purchased in N. Myrtle Beach. Before closing, I want to let you know that some of our members have heavy hearts with family losses and illnesses. Members, Tony and Pat Maida lost their son suddenly and Larry and Joann Locklair lost their niece after a long illness. A little grandson of Donna and Larry Bivens is seriously ill and they have family and friends pulling for him. Please keep our friends in your thoughts and prayers.

Let the good time roll!



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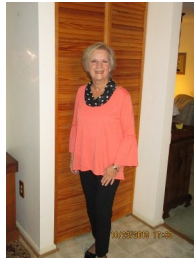
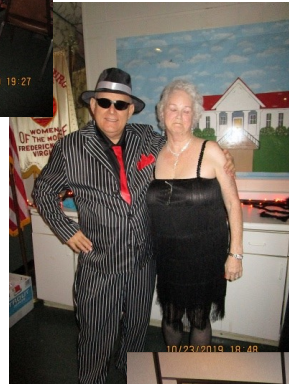


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HALLOWEEN PARTY



SUNSET PARTY



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What's Up!

**Dance 2nd Wednesday and 4th Wednesday of the month with the
Battlefield Boogie Club
Fredericksburg, Virginia
Lessons start at 7:00 pm—dance until 9:30**

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

Watch the Bugle Call for more events coming up
Lots of Parties Going On

11/7	NVSC Christmas Party	Alexandria, Va.
12/11	BBC Christmas Party	Moose Club, Fredericksburg
1/16-		
19/20	2020 SOS Mid-Winter (Get your 2020 SOS Cards)	N. Myrtle Beach, S.C.

BRING IN THE NEW YEAR WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS – UP AND DOWN THE COAST

1/31-		
2/2/20	Shaggers at Heart Boogie on the Bay Sponsor	Williamsburg, Va.
3/5-	DJ Throwdown 29	N. Myrtle Beach, S.
8/20		

Note: Party flyers are at front entrance table Watch Bugle Call for alternate nights to dance!

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Sunshine & Hospitality

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Happy Feet Do Six Steps

December

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

Beginner Steps for December

Dec 11 Basic, Female Turn, Male Turn, Start

Since we meet only twice a month under our new venue, those who would like to take more comprehensive dance basic steps or more advanced lessons, the lessons are available through the dance instructors on a private basis.



DECEMBER

MCMORROW, MARY (BUNNY) 12/08

PANTALEONE, MAUREEN 12/10

LIPPS, RON 12/13

CROCKER, MELINDA 12/15

BROWN, CARROL 12/22

COLWELL, GEORGE 12/30



In Myrtle Beach, shag dancing is as big of a draw now for tourists and locals alike as it was in the 1930s and '40s. Generations of dancers continue the traditional steps that many believe were born here in the strands of the Carolinas. The dance is commonly referred to as the Carolina Shag, and in South Carolina's culture its roots run deeper than those on a palmetto tree.

THE CAROLINA SHAG

By Jacquelyn Eurice

As the official "State Dance" of South Carolina, the shag is a relatively simple dance though it can be altered to present a very complex choreography. In its simplest form, it consists of a shuffle that is performed in eight-beats. Dancers count their movements "one-and-two; three-and-four; five, six" with "and" being a distinct step. Veteran dancers regularly embellish these steps with twirls, twists and other whimsical movements as they gracefully swirl around the floor—usually hand-in-hand.

Music choice is an important element for the shag just as it is with any other dance. "Beach music" is the soul of shag dancing. Many describe it as a lifestyle—the type of music that conjures up images of the ocean, driving in a convertible, and relaxing on sunny days. Beach music is derived from R&B hits from the '40s and '50s and many local radio stations are dedicated to this genre. Serious shaggers will refer novices to standards such as "Summertime's Calling Me" by The Catalinas, or "Carolina Girls" performed by Chairmen of the Board. The Tams, Temptations, and Isley Brothers have also had hits that are popular with shaggers. Now other music genres such as country and rock are lending their sounds to create the backbone beat for the dance. Most other dances simply move to the beat that was recorded, but for the shag, DJs will speed up or slow down a track to the requisite 120 beats per minute.

Myrtle Beach is home to a number of shag clubs and shaggers from across the U.S. who come here to compete in dance-offs. Go ahead and give it a whirl. And who knows? You may soon be back to the Grand Strand for your new love of shagging. ✨



the Basics

Courtesy of
GoShagging.com
and Mike Rink

The basic shag is counted: "One-And-Two, Three-And-Four, Five, Six." Each word represents a step. Imagine six blocks on the floor the length of your foot, then follow these directions. The male steps are represented below. The female steps are exactly the opposite.

On the "ONE" count, start by moving the LEFT foot forward.	Count: ONE	L	R
On the "AND" count, move the RIGHT foot forward.	Count: AND	L	R
On the "TWO" count, move the LEFT foot back.	Count: TWO	L	R
On the "THREE" count, move the RIGHT foot all the way back and behind your left foot.	Count: THREE	L	R
The "AND" count is a weight shift to the LEFT foot.	Count: AND	L	R
The "FOUR" count is a weight shift to the RIGHT foot.	Count: FOUR	L	R
The "FIVE" count is a step back with the LEFT foot.	Count: FIVE	L	R
The "SIX" count is a step up with the RIGHT foot.	Count: SIX	L	R

Photo: Myrtle Beach Area Convention and Visitors Bureau

DJ Schedule

CRAIG JENNINGS



DECEMBER 11



CRAIG JENNINGS



DICKY ESTES



DECEMBER 5



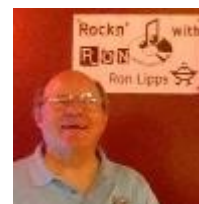
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RON LIPPS



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CHECK THE WEEKLY BUGLE FOR ANY CHANGES IN SCHEDULES



By **Craig Jennings**



The Beach Music Top 40

Carolina Beach Music, Shag, West Coast Swing, Bop, November 23, 2019 Push, Whip, Popcorn, Northern Soul, Jump Blues....

No. of weeks	Last week	This week	Title	BPM (LP or CD)	Year	Record Co. & #	No. of weeks	Last week	This week	Title	BPM (LP or CD)	Year	Record Co. & #
23	7	1	I'LL NEVER LET YOU GO		2019		21	2	21	COME BACK TO ME		2019	
			BLACKWATER BAND f. DOUG WINSTEAD	Carolina Moon		JKL				SCOTT, BILLY		Forevermore	
5	26	2	GYPSYWOMAN				9	RE	22	FANNY BROWN		2019	
			SANTANA, CARLOS							BIG TIME			
23	13	3	DAY DRINKIN'		2019		23	10	23	DANCE WITH ME		2019	
			EMBERS f. CRAIG WOOLARD w/ Matt Thomas	I Count the Tears	Patman & Robin					STRICKLAND, RICK	I Count the Tears	Patman & Robin	
58	RE	4	I AIN'T LEAVIN' MISSISSIPPI		2018		36	8	24	RIDE WITH ME			
			HAMMER, JAYE	Carolina Shine	KHP 1158					SMITH, SUGAR RAYE			
26	1	5	WHERE THE POOR BOYS DANCE		2019		9	9	25	DOORKNOS AND A MOP		2018	
			MCDANIEL, RHONDA	Playing With My Friends	KHP 1161					HOLIDAY BAND	Backs Against the Wall	KHP 1152	
44	17	6	I COUNT THE TEARS		2019		30	11	26	BEYOND THE SEA		2019	
			JONES, DANA & Bruce Caldwell Project	I Count the Tears	Patman & Robin					CATALINAS f. JOHNNY BARKER			
19	4	7	HELP ME RHONDA		2019		20	19	27	YOU KEEP TELLING ME YES		2019	
			JARDIN, AL & STEVE MILLER	A Postcard from California						SHAG DOCTORZ	I Count the Tears	Patman & Robin	
9	6	8	EXTRAORDINARY		2019		13	22	28	SUGAR BOO		2019	
			SWINDELL, ANDY	Take A Ride With Me	KHP					HUDSON, LESA	I Count the Tears	Patman & Robin	
31	25	9	HEAVEN MUST BE MISSING AN ANGEL		2009		21	28	29	GOT TO BE YOU		2017	
			TOWER OF POWER	Great American Soulbook						DR. VICTOR & RASTA REBELS			
38	3	10	MY BABY JUST LOVES TO SHAG		2019		2	38	30	CALL ME I JUST WANTED YOU TO KNOW		2020	
			LUETJEN, CORY & TRAVELING BLUES BAND							FEATURE ATTRACTION BAND f. Gregg Browder	Cape Fear Beach Sessions CFS Vol 1		
29	15	11	I CAN'T GO FOR THAT		2019		5	RE	31	SHOW ME		2019	
			ENTERTAINERS	Playing With My Friends	KHP 1161					WOOD, DOYLE & TERRI GORE	Daxwood		
17	12	12	MR. SMITH		2019		21	27	32	PLEASE DON'T WALK AWAY		2018	
			MCCLINTON, DELBERT & THE SELF MADE MEN							BROKEN HEARTS INC.	Kimberlite 002		
18	5	13	LAUGHTER IN THE RAIN		2019		17	29	33	BLACK VELVET + 6.8		2007	
			CATALINAS f. ANGELA							MYLES, ALANNAH	Black Velvet	Backroom Sound	
26	14	14	WE AIN'T LEAVIN' CAROLINA		2019		20	RE	34	YOU DON'T SAY		2019	
			TOO MUCH SYLVIA							WILSON, PHIL	Playing With My Friends	KHP 1161	
13	16	15	LET ME BREAK IT DOWN		2019		21	RE	35	CHANCES		2018	
			REV. BUBBA D. LIVERANCE & CHIPS	Chicks Dig Me						BACKSTREET BOYS			
69	21	16	LITTLE MISS NIGHT AND DAY		2018		8	RE	36	SOUTHBOUND		2018	
			SCAGGS, BOZ	Out of the Blues	Concord					UNDERWOOD, CARRIE	Cry Pretty	Capitol Nashville	
28	24	17	PLAYING WITH MY FRIENDS		2019		23	RE	37	LEFT WITH A BROKEN HEART		2018	
			CAROLINA COAST BAND f. RICKY GODFREY	Playing With My Friends	KHP 1161					DELL, WM & WEE JAMS	I Lost My Love in the Big City	SGW 030	
3	36	18	STAYING WITH ME		2019		33	RE	38	LOVE MAKES THE WORLD GO ROUND		2018	
			DURHAM, JIMBO OF SHAG ATTACK							THOMPSON, RUSSELL JR.	Between Love Songs	Forevermore 4622	
17	20	19	NO GETTING OVER ME		2019		8	23	39	QUEEN OF THE DANCE FLOOR		2019	
			BARRY DUKE							SMITH, SUGAR RAYE			
4	35	20	SLOW, STEADY GROOVE		2019		25	RE	40	SATISFIED		2019	
			CAT 5							SOULPAK			

Fast Dance Spotlight

IF YOU NEED SOME LOVIN'	BIG JOE & THE DYNAFLOWS f. MOOKIE BRILL
PRIDE AND JOY	BIG TIME
ROCK ME BABY	BRACE, LAMAR
HARD TO SAY GOODBYE	BROWN, GARY
AIN'T NO FUN (WHEN THE RABBITT...)	CASH BOX KINGS
ONE MORE	CLAY, RANDY BAND
WHO'S GONNA BABY YOU	COCHRAN, ANNE & ABELAMARCA
PARTY AT THE BEACH HOUSE	DELTA RIDERS f. Joe Graziani
FEELIN' GUCCI	EVANS, PHIL & JIMBO CHAPMAN
THE LONG WAY AROUND	GRIER, SONJA
ANYONE CAN TELL (WE'RE IN LOVE)	JOHNSON, DARRYL & DETROIT MEMPHIS EXPERIENCE
ZOOM	LEE, JIMMY
NEW LIGHT	MAYER, JOHN
I BLAME YOU	MCGUIRE
WE'VE GOT TO CHEAT ON SCHEDULE	MS. JODY
CAROLINA	NELSON, LUKAS & PROMISE OF THE REAL
DANCING TONIGHT	RAWLS, JOHNNY
ROCK ME BABY	RAWLS, JOHNNY

I TRULY LOVE YOU	ROBERTS, ROY
EVERYDAY I HAVE TO CRY SOME	ROBILLARD, DUKE
LOVE HIT ME (Shag Mix)	ROYAL DRIFTERS
OLD, NEW LOVE	TONEZ
RUNNIN' BLUE	WEAVER, JIMMY

Top Beach Music CDs

I COUNT THE TEARS	various	Patman & Robin
TOGETHER	Embers f. Craig Woolard	
BACKS AGAINST THE WALL	Holiday Band	KHP 1152
PLAYING WITH MY FRIENDS	various	KHP 1161
CAROLINA SHINE	various	KHP 1158
BAND OF BROTHERS	Blackwater Band	

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LOGO ITEMS

BBC logo items are on sale every Wednesday night and through e-mail. Don Borja can be reached through his e-mail (ledgestonemanor@aol.com) and Dennis Bushor on Wednesday 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 Bugle Call emails 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 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.



SOS Cards are available for purchase at \$30 each covering 2020 SOS get a ways!



**We extend warm welcomes
to new and old BBC members!
Join us on dance night!**



**Join a Committee to contribute to planning our BBC activities and events!
You will be glad you did!**

Battlefield Boogie Club

Fredericksburg Dances



*Come Join Us
Be fancy or do
Your own thing*

Swing

*Old Time
Rock'n
Roll*

BLUES

Beach Music Carolina Shag



***Loyal Order of Moose Lodge #1655
11917 Cherry Rd. Fredericksburg, VA 22407***

On The 2nd Wednesday & 4th Wednesday Of The Month

Time: 7:00-9:30+ pm - Free Dance Lessons

Check our website www.battlefieldboogieclub.com

For more Information: 703-401-5050



DJ THROWDOWN 29

THE ASSOCIATION OF
BEACH & SHAG CLUB DJ's

**MARCH
5 - 8
2020**



at
**DUCK'S
AND HAROLD'S**



HIGHLIGHTS OF DJ THROWDOWN

TWO CLUBS!

More Music by ABSCDJ's ...2 Times the DANCE FLOOR!
DANCE LESSONS FREE FOOD COMPUTER CLASSES
50/50 REVERSE RAFFLE EQUIPMENT DISPLAY

**March 5
THURSDAY**

DUCK'S - KICK OFF PARTY

- Doors open 5:30 pm
- ABSCDJ's Start 6 pm
- CATALINAS BAND 6-9 pm
- FREE FOOD 7:30 pm
- 50/50 11:15 pm

FAT HAROLD'S

ABSCDJ's start 6 pm



**March 6
FRIDAY**

FAT HAROLD'S Club Opens 1 pm

- ABSCDJ's
- JIM QUICK & COASTLINE 2-6 pm
- BEACH MUSIC DJ HALL OF FAME
INDUCTION 9:15-10 pm
- 50/50 11:15 pm

DUCK'S Club Opens 1 pm

- ABSCDJ's
- DJ SHAG CONTEST 4-5 pm
- 50/50 11:15 pm

**March 7
SATURDAY**

DUCK'S Club Opens 12 Noon - ABSCDJ's

- ASHLEY & TOBITHA DANCE LESSONS
\$10.00 per person 12-1 pm
- VINYL PARTY (Duck's Café) 12-6 pm
- FREE FOOD 3-5 pm
- 50/50 11:15 pm
- "RICHARD NIXON" AWARD 11:30 pm
- REVERSE RAFFLE 12:30 am

FAT HAROLD'S Club Opens 1 pm

- ABSCDJ's
- THE ENTERTAINERS 2-6 pm
- 50/50 11:15 pm

**March 8
SUNDAY**

DUCK'S

- GOSPEL HOUR - ABSCDJ's 10 am-1 pm
- BREAKFAST BUFFET \$5.00 per person

*Note: If you wear your band from Thursday night,
Breakfast \$3.00 per person*

SPANISH GALLEON

- SOFTWARE CLASS 11 am-1 pm
- VENDOR DISPLAY 1-4 pm
Guitar Center

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