



The Bugle

Battlefield Boogie Club



CREATE DANCE HISTORY



CREATE A MEMORY

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President's Letter... by Wes Kirchner

At last the weather is starting to warm up and many of our members are coming out of hibernation. It will be good to see some of our friends again. Our new place, Shannon's, has turned out to be the perfect place to hold our weekly dances. The food and drinks are just what we have been looking for with Amanda, our bartender and waitress, giving us great service. We see new begin-

ners coming in almost weekly which gives the regulars a much needed boost. We have been having a great time with our Poker Night and Dance Card Dances with everybody dancing and having fun. Many things will be happening in the next few months so be sure to read the flyers posted at the front table or in the newsletter.

SOS. Shirley and I went the first weekend and had a blast. We ran into lots of people that we have met at other places and met new friends. We attended a Charlie and Jackie workshop one morning, but got up waaay too late for the next morning workshop. So I just stole a step from somebody else. Lots of good dancers at SOS. Of course we walked to the shops and walked on the beach. Some brave souls were actually swimming. I was told later they were Canadians and this was like the middle of summer for them. Burr. It is great to go to SOS even if for a short time.

The BBC is doing well with our DJ's keeping us up to speed with the newest hits.



Our instructors are introducing new and more advanced steps to keep us on our toes. We appreciate our club members working so hard for us. I hope everyone has some time to join us for our dances. Fun Monday tickets will be for sale now. If you are not familiar about Fun Monday you can check it out at @Shagdance.com. This is one of the fund raisers for The ACSC. Tickets are sold with \$7500, \$2000, \$1000, \$500, \$250 for the five winners @ just \$10 a ticket. Just one more thing, look what I saw across the street from Duck's.



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SOS 2011

Hello all Battlefield Boogie Club members,

I have been asked to write a small article about SOS, also known as Society Of Stranders. In April those SOS dates were from April 8 thru April 16. This year for the first time in 4 years that Larry and I have been attending, the weather was not very good, but the dance venues were wonderful and not as crowded as usual. We were able to see The Band of Oz, The Holiday Band, Craig Woolard Band, Fantastic Shakers, Virginia Beach All Stars, Out of Towners and Rick Strickland singing with his lead female singer that has just released her own CD. We also had the opportunity to see some familiar DJ's such as Jim Rose, Butch Metcalf and of course our own Craig Jennings, doing a wonderful job at the Tiki Bar, OD Beach Club and the OD Cafe.

The bands that play during this fun filled time make themselves so accessible to their fans for pictures and good conversation that you don't want to miss it. Their performances are, without a doubt, the best you will ever see and it is all free. And the people you will meet either in the ice cream parlors, on the beach, standing in line at the local stores or on the dance floor, are the friendliest people you will ever want to meet. Southern hospitality is there motto.

The different dance venues have dance workshops daily, usually in the morning, by some of the best shag dance teachers in the business, such as Ellen Taylor and Charlie and Jackie. A good number of businesses in the Myrtle Beach area will give you discounts on your purchases during this week of SOS if you just show your card. All of the dance venues have music usually beginning at 12:00 noon until sometime late in the morning, with some of the best DJ's on the east coast.

Fall Migration begins on September 16 and goes until the 25th. Fun Sunday (9/18/11) will feature the wonderful Mark Roberts Band and the Legends of the Beach. Fun Monday (9-19-11) will feature The Craig Woolard Band, William Bell and the Wall Street Band. Bring your beach chairs for both events. So make your reservations real soon because the hotels and condos fill up quickly and make sure you have bought your SOS card from the club. See you on the dance floor.

Donna and Larry Bivens



On Main Street, we spotted Rick Strickland and Lisa Hudson singing in front of Judy's House of Oldies. In the background is the water tower with the silhouette of Shag Dancers.

Ashland Street Parties Presents

Shagging Into Summer with the Band of OZ

Ashland Street Parties is excited to announce that their 2011 Season will begin on Sunday, May 22 with a Shag Festival. Be sure to mark your calendars for this event, which will feature live music by Band of Oz, as well as free shag lessons by The Richmond Shag Club! 3-8 PM at The Library Plaza in Ashland, Shag Lessons begin at 3 and are free to all our attendees! Tickets can be purchased online for \$16. \$26 after May 15 or at Ashland area locations. Check their website for further information: www.ashlandstreetparties.com

Shagging into Summer is being presented by Ashland Street Parties in partnership with the Hanover Mental Health Association. Your ticket purchase will benefit a great cause for our area. Thank you for your participation

**FRIENDLY REMINDER!!****DID YOU FORGET??****RENEW YOUR BBC****MEMBERSHIP NOW. SEE****MELISSA LIPPS FOR****RENEWAL FORMS.****MEMBERSHIP IS****ONLY \$15.00.**

SPRING ACSC WORKSHOP

By Audrey Borja

The Association of Carolina Shag Clubs (ACSC) had a Spring Workshop at the OD Resort in North Myrtle Beach, S.C.(NMB) during Spring SOS. The early Saturday morning gathering was well attended as usual. The various committees gave their updates and the treasurer's report. This was the second weekend of SOS and folks filled up NMB with lots of shaggers and student spring breaks. Even the local Wal-Marts had trouble keeping their shelves stocked for the NMB crowds.

Although the meeting was packed with good information, two action items need our BBC attention: (1) before September's Fall SOS Migration, we have to sell Fun Monday tickets that were given to each club. This campaign is an annual charity drive that has some nice wins if you get the lucky tickets. We BBC'ers, should support the Fun Monday campaign and buy the ticket(s). They are \$10.00 each and the proceeds go to a good cause supporting children in need; (2) ACSC is sponsoring a dance event on Main Street, NMB on September 24. The ACSC is challenging a minimum of 251 of us shaggers to show up to dance in the street to break the world Guinness record of the number of dancers at one time dancing. Well, this looks like an easy win. So, listen up for more details on this exciting event. Your club President and/or officers will have additional information as it becomes available.

BE A PART OF HISTORY

SET THE RECORD: LARGEST SHAG DANCE

Shaggers, don't miss your chance to make history!

Dancers at the 2011 SOS Fall Migration are invited to set the Guinness World Record for the largest Carolina Shag Dance! The Society of Strangers/Association of Carolina Shag Clubs is organizing the couples' dance to be held the second Saturday of SOS Fall Migration, September 24, in North Myrtle Beach— right on Main Street! Each participating shagger will be required to register (to document the official count for the record) and pay a \$5 donation which will go to the SOS Charitable Foundation.

Registration process, time, and other logistics are to be determined. Meanwhile, **SAVE THE DATE AND SPREAD THE WORD** to the members of your shag club. More information will be forthcoming soon!

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Kudos To Two Top Dancers~

Congratulations go out to BBC members ***Ginny Montano and Ray Nolet*** who recently won the Top Amateur Couple Award at the River City Ballroom Dance Competition in Richmond, Va. ! **Way to go guys....Hard work, Great Win~ We are very proud of you!**



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If you are interested in helping, contact someone above. If you have ideas, an article, or something of interest, please let us know. Your help, service, and input are needed and can make a difference.



What's Up!

Things are still coming in-watch the table on dance night for flyers

Dancing in our new BBC location: Every Thursday night at Shannon's Bar & Grill, Fredericksburg, VA Lessons begin at 7:30

May 22: Ashland Street Party: - Shagging Into Summer with the Band of Oz

May 26-30: Grand Nationals - Shag-Swing-Groove, Atlanta, GA

June 10: River City Shag Classic CSA Contest—richmondshag.com

July 8-10: ACSC Summer Workshop, Augusta, GA

July 12-17: Junior Shag Dance Championships, Myrtle Beach

August 20: 7th Annual BBC Cannonball Blast, Fredericksburg Country Club

Dance every Friday night at Tommy's Place, 8910 Mathis Ave, Manassas, VA 6:30-9:30



Greg, Vicky and Jewell
won the Poker Card
Dance

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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 May

May	05	Basic, Start, Female Turn
	12	Basic, Start, Male Turn
	19	Kick Basic, Male & Female Turn
	26	Basic, Crossover Basic, Half Turn

Beginner Steps for June

June	02	Basic, Start, Female & Male Turn
	09	Start, Double Kick Basic, Half Turn
	16	Triple Basic, Male Half Turn
	23	Side Pass, Tuck, Apple Jack

Novice Steps for May

May	12	Leg Up Basic, Lean
	26	Leg Up Basic, Lean

Intermediate Steps for June

June	09	Joanie, Front Walk Up
	23	Joanie, Front Walk Up

Line dance lesson on the 3rd Thursday of each month!!!



May/June

Mabis Serrato 05/12

Betty Russell 05/16

Don Borja 06/20

Heather Jennings 06/06

Shirley Kirchner 06/22





By **Craig Jennings**



The Beach Music Top 40

www.beachshag.com

To hear the Top 40 with Fessa John Hook

April 23, 2011

See affiliate links at www.beachshag.com

Rank	Week	Title	Artist	BPM (LP or CD)	Year	Record Co. & #	Rank	Week	Title	Artist	BPM (LP or CD)	Year	Record Co. & #
34	12	1	I STILL HAVEN'T FOUND WHAT I'M LOOKING FOR		1990		15	22	21	DOWN SOUTH		2010	
			Chimes w/ Pauline Henry	Top of the Pops 1990	BBC Music					Quick, Jim	Down South	Isawnee Records	
22	4	2	KATRINA KATRINA		2010		13	23	22	I'LL KNOW HER WHEN I SEE HER		2011	
			Gray, Henry	Deep Fried Southern Style	Shanty's Records					North Tower	Li House, Big Party	KHP 1093	
34	3	3	FIRST KISS TO THE LAST		2010		13	25	23	I STILL DO		2011	
			Denny & Juniors f. Joe Terry	Over the Summer	Foremore					Fantastic Shakers	Li House, Big Party	KHP 1093	
34	1	4	THERE HAS GOT TO BE A WAY (DRIZABONE m.b.)		1999		15	24	24	A LOVE TO CALL MINE		2010	
			Lulu	Absolutely	Import 3410014					Taylor, Johnnie	Deep Fried Southern Style	Shanty's Records	
34	6	5	PUT A LITTLE LOVE IN YOUR HEART		2010		30	17	25	REWIND		2010	
			Gore, Terri w/ Jackie Gore & LDB	YBF (Your Best Friend)	Foremore					Quick, Jim	Down South	Isawnee Records	
34	7	6	I FELL APART		2010		9	27	26	GENERAL HAS LEFT US		2011	
			Drizabone Soul Family	All the Way	Dome 305					Nantucket	General Has Left Us		
13	8	7	LOVE BE WITH YOU		2007		8	28	27	DREAMLOVER		1986	
			Catalinas	Locals Too	KHP 1053					Nelson, Rick		Columbia Records	
22	9	8	WHEN YOU'RE COOL (The Sun Shines All the Time)		2010		7	29	28	JUST ONEDANCE		2010	
			Godfrey, Rickey	Nasty Man	Severity Hill					Emerald, Caro	Deleted Scenes fm Cutting Room Floor	Grandmono Recs	
22	5	9	MORE LOVE		2010		6	30	29	CLASS ACT		2008	
			Singletary-Arns, Holly	Deep Fried Southern Style	Shanty's Records					Hunter, James	Hard Way, The	Universal Distr	
34	11	10	I'M STAYING HOME TONIGHT		2008		6	31	30	JUST GOT STARTED LOVING YOU		2011	
			Ashen & Muri	Balance	Grooves & Regency USA					Queen Emily	Just Got Started Loving You	Melrose	
11	13	11	FORGET YOU		2010		5	32	31	GONNA TAKE A LONG TIME		2011	
			Green, Cec Lo	Lady Killer	Elektra 525001					Hip Pocket	Ocean Drive-By	Music Mania	
19	14	12	LOVE ME AS HARD AS YOU HURT ME		2010		5	33	32	STOP ME FROM STARTING THIS FEELING		2010	
			Roberts, Mark & Breeze	Cover to Cover	Shanty's Records					Horton, Clinton	Deep Fried Southern Style	Shanty's Records	
14	15	13	SO DO I (ballad)		2010		3	34	33	GRENADE		2010	
			Stokland, Rick	Island Soul						Mars, Bruno	Doo Wops & Souljans	Elektra 25393	
22	16	14	BOARDWALK ANGEL		2010		3	35	34	LOVE LETTER		2010	
			Carolina Breakers	Don't Say No	KHP Music					Kelly, R.	Love Letter	Jive 80874	
27	10	15	PUT ME DOWN EASY		2008		3	36	35	TRUST ME		2011	
			Russell, Catherine	Sentimental Steak	World Village 468075					Virginia Beach All Stars	Saturday Night	KHP	
14	18	16	IS IT TRUE		2011		3	37	36	RESPECT YOURSELF		2010	
			Lynwood Blm	Brazilian Kicks						Lewis, Huey & the News	Soubville	W.O.W. Records	
15	20	17	LIGHTEN UP		2011		2	40	37	BULLSEYE		2001	
			McDaniel, Rhonda	Li House, Big Party	KHP 1093					White, Peter	Glow	Sony 85212	
14	19	18	MORNING TRAIN				8	38	38	LULU'S CHICKEN SHACK		2011	
			Carey, John	Morning Train						Moody, Ron	Li House, Big Party	KHP 1093	
14	21	19	MARVIN AND MILES		2007		11	39	39	CONFESSIN' THE BLUES		2011	
			du Nord, Gore w/ Dorcas Alberti	Sex 'n' Jazz	Sweet Lemon 0051					Big Joe & Dynaflores	You Can't Keep A Big Man Down Bevern 0051		
38	12	20	BRIGHT		2009		1		40	ROLLING IN THE DEEP		2011	
			White, Peter	Good Day	Peak Records					Adele	21	XL Recordings 44894	

Top Picks—Bubbling Under

AIN'T NOTHIN' HAPPENIN'	Roomful of Blues
BABY, I'M YOURS	Clayton, Bev
BRIGHT LIGHTS BIG CITY	Green, Cec Lo
DANCIN' INTO THE NIGHT	Not Bros. Band
DON'T GET MAD AT ME	James Jr., Elmore
GET A LIFE	Russell, Rene
HARDWOOD RENDEZVOUS	Spiegel, David
HE KNOWS HOW TO DO IT RIGHT	Maguire, Kara
HOLD ON	Grley, Sonja
HONEYDRIPPIN' BABY	Nicholas, Johnny
I FOUND YOU OUT	Blackwater Rhythm & Blues Band
LIL HOUSE BIG PARTY	Soul Children
MAKE THAT CALL	Buton, Stephen
MEET ME WITH YOUR BLACK DRAWERS ON	Diedra
MISERY	Maroon 5
MIST OF DESIRE	Alabama
NIGHT OWLS, THE	Roberts, Mark & Breeze

ROCK ME BABY	Miller, Steve Band
SHE SURE GOT AWAY WITH MY HEART	Holiday Band
SLOW COOKING ON HOT	Kelly, Carolyn
SOMETHING TELL ME	Melo, Raul
THAT BEAT	LaVere, Amy
THINKIN' ABOUT YOU	Bims, Carl
TOO SWEET FOR ME	Benoit, Tab

The Beach Music CD Top 10

14	2	1	LIL HOUSE, BIG PARTY	various	KHP 1093
22	1	2	DEEP FRIED SOUTHERN STYLE	various	Shanty's Records
9	3	3	FESSA HOOK'S FISH FRY	various	Shanty's Records
5	4	4	OCEAN DRIVE-BY	Hip Pocket	Music Mania
5	6	5	SWEET LOVE	Holiday Band	CD 1002
24	5	6	YBF - YOUR BEST FRIEND	Gore, Terri	Foremore 4630
3	8	7	SATURDAY NIGHT	Virginia Beach All Stars	KHP
24	7	8	OVER THE SUMMER	various	Foremore
22	9	9	COVER TO COVER	Roberts, Mark & Breeze	Shanty's Records
30	10	10	DOWN SOUTH	Quick, Jim	Isawnee Records

DJ Schedule



BILL FROSTICK

MAY 05

**MAY 12 SPECIAL GUEST DJ
BUTCH ADEIMY**

MAY 26



BILL FROSTICK



CRAIG JENNINGS

MAY 19

JUNE 09

JUNE 30



CRAIG JENNINGS



RON LIPPS

JUNE 02

JUNE 16



RON LIPPS



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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 Doris Austin on Tuesday 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-	\$30.00
Shirts -	\$25.00
Hats -	\$15.00
Huggies-	\$ 2.00

Weather Emergencies!

Watch your e-mails for weather emergency notices.

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

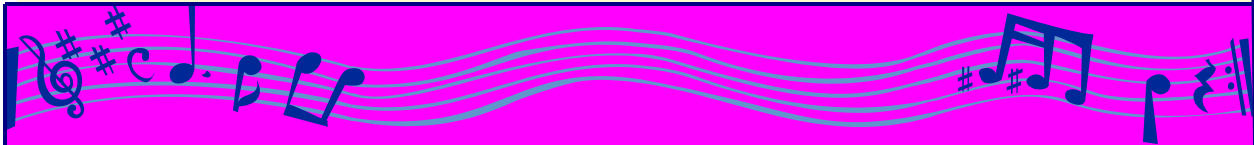
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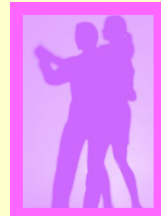


YOU HELP?

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!**



Haag, Tasha



Timm, Linda

Battlefield



Boogie Club

Dance



To

Carolina Shag

Swing

OLD TIME
ROCK 'N'
ROLL

Blues

Shannon's Bar & Grill

2801 Plank Road

Fredericksburg, VA 22401

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

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