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## President's Letter... by Wes Kirchner

Greetings to all. I hope everyone had a great summer. I know Shirley and I have. It seems that times flies by so fast we can barely catch our breath. Labor Day has crossed our paths which means it is time to plan for SOS Fall Migration, as most of you know, starts September 14th and ends on the 23rd. I know many of you are planning a trip to N. Myrtle Beach and hope you can attend the FUN SUNDAY and MONDAY activities. Several bands will be playing and all for you.

#### September/October

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The last couple of months have given us some great times. In July, we attended the Annual Classic at The Northern Virginia Shag Club. As always a great time was had by all, including Hula Dance instructions. In fact this one hula dancer caught my attention with the flowing hip movement and smooth and subtle hand gestures UNTIL...... I saw the mustache. Great dance Bob.

Our own hugely successful Cannon Ball Blast, which has received compliments by the dozens, was followed up by a great Free Lance Star article featuring our club the next week. Our members and guests really opened the eyes of the reporter with our excitement for our dance and our friendship with one another. As your President, I was very proud to be associated with all of you. Thanks go to Audrey Borja and her many helpers for putting on another great annual party to go in our history book. She is already starting plans for the 9th.

In the next month we will be starting our election nominations. I hope some of our members that have not served on the board or held an office will step up and toss their hat into the ring. This is your club and if you think you can be of help please consider entering the race..



It has been a great privilege to be your President, however, I will *not* be running this year. Time to turn over the helm to one of our officers.

For those who have not been out for awhile I welcome you to come and see what a great group of people we have each week. We have varied the lessons some, taking into consideration that we have some advanced dancers who need and want to learn new things or just brush up on a step we have taught earlier. The fifth Thursday is a great time for this as it is the instructor's choice week.

Our line dance instructor Jewel, is keeping us on our toes with new dances which everyone enjoys. Ask her sometime to show you the variations on the Wobble. Really cool stuff....

Wes





A beautiful, rainy night brought out many of our BBC members and friends from Northern Virginia to enjoy a rocking night on the Fredericksburg Country Club dance floor. Butch Metcalf set the mood with his selection of lively beach music tunes that kept us dancing all evening. Jewell led us in a line dance lesson, 'Southern Ladies', and we all swayed to the music!

The Free Lance Star sent reporter Craig Schulin and photographer Marie Sicola to our party and published an informative article about the BBC and the history of shag dancing. Go to this website http://blogs.fredericksburg.com/weekender/2012/08/30/boogie-down-in-the-burg/.



# **BBC Annual Party!!**

A huge shout of THANKS goes to Audrey Borja for her planning, phone calling and ticket sales to make our party such a huge success. Donna & Larry Bivens added elegance to the tables with their decorations, Darlene Weaver, Joanne Locklair, Melissa Lipps, were all graciously chipping in wherever needed. Thanks Craig & Heather for hosting Butch Metcalf for the weekend. Lastly, thanks to all of YOU for supporting our BBC annual party!



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# What's Up!

Dancing with our BBC Every Thursday night at Shannon's Bar & Grill in Central Park, Fredericksburg, VA. Lessons begin at 7:30—Dancing from 8:15-10pm

September 14-23 SOS Fall Migration, North Myrtle Beach, SC

September 16-17 Fun Sunday & Fun Monday, North Myrtle Beach, SC

September 21 All VA Shag Clubs Party, DUCKS TOO, N. Myrtle Beach

September 18 Northern Virginia Shag Club Free Pour, Ducks Café

3-5 pm

October 5-6 West VA Hangar Classic CSA Contest, Beckley, WVA
October 6 The Embers, Dinner and Dancing to benefit the Gerry

The Embers, Dinner and Dancing to benefit the Gerry Bertier Foundation, Fredericksburg Expo Center

6:30-12 pm (see flyer)

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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.

# The Bugle

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The Bugle is published bi-monthly by members of the Battlefield Boogie Club. We continue to strive to bring you interesting articles and information about the dance happenings in our area and elsewhere. If you would like to contribute an article or if you have information about upcoming dance events, please contact Don Borja or Shirley Kirchner. We would love to hear from you to keep our members and The Bugle readers up to date.

# WANT TO DANCE ON WEDNESDAY NIGHTS? THE NORTHERN VIRGINIA SHAG CLUB IS NOW DANCING AT A NEW LOCATION

EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT THE ELK'S LODGE 8421 ARLINGTON BLVD. FAIRFAX, VA LESSONS BEGIN AT 7:30 WITH DANCING FROM 8:15-10:30 PM

**CHECK THEIR WEBSITE WWW.NVSHAG.ORG FOR MORE** 

## Fun Monday and Fun Sunday is September 16 and 17 In North Myrtle Beach, SC

Some of the proceeds of the raffle sales go to Caring For Kids charity. Winners are chosen on Fun Monday, a free event on September 17. For more information go to www.shagdance.com

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to preorder your copy of <u>Save The Last Dance For Me</u>, A Love Story of the Shag, by Phil Sawyer and Tom Poland.

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### Happy Feet Do Six Steps



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



Sept	06	Basic, Female Turn
-	13	Basic, Male Turn
	20	Basic - Line Dance
	27	Basic, Half Turn, Side Pass

#### **Beginner Steps for October**

0ct	04	Basic, Female Turn
	11	Basic, Male Turn
	<b>1</b> 8	<b>Basic—Line Dance</b>
	25	Basic, Half Turn, Side Pass

#### **Novice Steps for September**

Sept	13	Review: Hesitation Basic, Hug Pivot		
_		Teach: Pivot, Tuck from Pivot		
	27	<b>Review: Pivot, Tuck from Pivot</b>		
		Teach: Side to Side Basic, Handshake		
		Wrap Pivot		

#### **Novice Steps for October**

0ct	11	Review: Side to Side Pivot, Handshake
		Wrap Pivot
		Teach: Sugarfoot, Front & Back Preps
	25	Review: Sugarfoot,
		Teach:Behind Sailor Shuffle, Front
		Walk-un



### September/October

Audrey Borja	09/21
Wes Kirchner	09/28
Tasha Haag	09/30
Bill Sanzenbaher	10/05
Charles Tatum	10/05
Kim Blair	10/18
Dave Bushey	10/23
Jolene Floyd	10/23
Joanne Dietrich	10/27
Greg Chambers	10/28
Sam Floyd	10/29



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By Craig Jennings



# **The Beach Music Top 40**

www.beachshag.com

Г	To hear the Top 40 with Fessa John Hook August 25, 2012 See affiliate links at www.beachshag.com						n		
No. of week	Last Week	West	Title BPM Year Artist (LP or CD) Record Co. & #	No.	1	Week	Title BPW Artist (LP or		
30	2	1	LOVE AFTER WAR 2011	20	22	21	EVERYBODY'S BILL COMES DUE		2012
		ll	Thicke, Robin Love After War Interscope 1629X		1		Blue Iyed Soul f. Bretton, Tho	Freaky for the First Time	
25	1	2	ALL THAT MATTERS TO ME 2013	9	25	22	ID GIVE UP EVERYTHING FOR YOU		2012
			Quick, Jim & Coastline Stepping Out Tonight KHP 1100		1		Owens, Steve & Summertime	Steve Owens & Summertime	KHP
23	3	3	PRICE YOU GOTTA PAY 2012	10	24	23	PM GOIN' BACK		2012
			Calabash Blues & Boogle Band Aln't No Midnight Train Flyin' Cloud 60		1		Ray, Donnie	Pm Goln! Back	Edxo1139
22	5	4	A MUCH BETTER PLACE 2013	9	25	24	FEELIN'SINGLE		2012
			Owens, Steve & Summertime Steve Owens & Summertime KI-F				Kelly, R.	Write Me Back	RCA
27	4	5	IFI ONLY HAD THREE WISHES 2012	8	27	25	DON'TWAITAROUND		2012
			Thompkins Jr. Russell Forevernore			-	McDanlei, Rhonda	Meet the Queens of Southern Sou	KHP 1002
20	6	6	DIZZY 2012	6	28	26	BIGLOVIN WOMAN		2012
			Sugarbees f. Mary Vella Bradley House				Subwey w/ Belinda Nicholas	Subwey	
17	7	7	BEIN WITHYOU 2011	8	29	27	JELLYBELLY		2012
			Breeze Band Stepping Out Tonight KHP 1103				Fantastic Shakers	C.T.C. The Music Lives On	KHP1105
18	8	8	LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAP 2012	34	10	28	AIN'T THAT THE WAY	Cities and and cities on	2012
_	-	-	McDaniel, Rhonda Where the Boys Are KHP 1101	1	-	-	Legacy	Stepping Out Tonight	KHP 1102
17	10	9	PMTHE ONE WHO LOVES YOU 2011	31	21	29	IWILLBETHERE	Output Out 1 Origin	No. I True
		-	PoorSouls TrytoRemember P8 110402			-	Bee Gees		
15	11	10	SWEET POTATO PIE 2012	7	31	30	THINKITOVER		2012
_			Uverance, Rev. Bubba D. Recession Sessions, The	1		-	See Cruz-Alle, Butch, Dino	C.T.C. The Music Lives On	KHP 1105
17	12	11	YOU'REMYTREASURE 2004	6	32	31	ONE MORE NIGHT AT THE BEACH	array array array array array	2011
		"	Dr. Victor & Rasta Rebels If You Wanna Be Happy		-		Fantasy	One for Me. The	KHP 1099
29	9	12	DON'T WAIT TOO LONG 2011	6	33	32	WASN'T THAT A MIGHTY STORM		2008
	-		Hall, Daryl Laughing Down Crying				Taylor, James	HearMusic (Starbucks)	Universal
12	15	13	TAKE MY LOVE 2012	6	34	33	EVERMORE		2012
			Martin Davis Band C.T.C. The Music Lives On KHP1105				Shaw, Ryan	RealLove	
17	15	14	PRIDEAND JOY 2012	4	35	34	MYLOVEISYOURLOVE(FOREVER)		2012
			Cobb. Johnny Evolution				Gore, Jackie & Original Members	F	orevernore
12	17	15	VACATION 2012	5	36	35	NICK OFTOO DAMN LATE		2012
			Sugarbees f, Mary Vella				Harris Paula	Turning On the Naughty	
18	18	15	EVERYNOWAND THEN 2013	2	30	36	WEREONTOSOMETHING		2012
			Strickland, Rick Hangin' Out rickstricklandband.com				Clayton, Karen & Pat Christie		
41	13	17	COME GET TO THIS/STEPPIN/OUT TONIGHT 2010	2	40	37	PLLBERIGHTONDOWN		2012
			Reynolds, L.J. Stepping Out Tonight KHP1103				Jones, Lloyd	C.T.C. The Music Lives On	KHP 1105
34	14	18	COMEWHENICALL 2008	45	30	38	ICANTTHINK		2010
			Mayer, John Where the Light Is Columbia 722665				Band of Cz w/ Tim Mowls	Dance to the Radio	KHPMusic
10	20	19	COMEON 2012	36	37	39	MISSINGYOU		2011
		-	Sons of Saint Rocco Stepping Out Tonight KHP 1103				Amick, April	Meet the Queens of Southern Sou	KHP 1002
10	23	20	LOVEYDOVEY 2013	32	38	40	JUKEJOINT (2)		2007
			Embers				Boppin' Blues Band	Boopin/15	

#### Top Picks—Bubbling Under

AIN'T NO WAY Fletcher, Kirk BIKER'S SHUFFLE Ble Muccl CAN'T BUY MY LOVE LI Ronnie & Grand Dukes FIRSTIMPRESSIONS Gore, Terri FOOLISHHEART Summerdaza HAVEA GOOD TIME Blg G IFIDIDN'T LOVE YOU Diedro **FM NOT AFRAID** Crever, Paul KEEP ON GETTING! IT ON Lindsey, Al MELTINGINTOYOU Jones MISSISSIPPIMILE Oates, John Band Brown, Chris & Justin Bleber NEXT TO YOU OUT OF MY MIND Russell, Rene POURME Bonds, Gery U.S. PRETTY BABY Lucia and Levi SECONDCHANCE Carolina Breakers SHAGALAGGIN Lucia and Levi

SHE'S MY QUEEN Bames, Ronnie SMOOTH STEPPIN PAPA Night Move Band SOMETHINGYOUGOT Oates, John Band STEP ON BY Kely, Winzell STOP(ANDLOOKAROUND) Golde, Frannie TAKEMETO SOUTH CAROLINA Big Dez WALKAWAY FROM LOVE Parts, Mica

#### The Beach Music CD Top 10

25	1	1	STEPPING OUT TONIGHT	various	KHP1102	
17	2	2	STEVE OWENS & SUMMERTIME	Owers, Steve & Summertime	KHP1103	
17	3	3	WHERETHEBOYSARE	McDaniel,Rhonda	KHP1101	
15	4	4	RECESSION SESSIONS, THE	Reverend Bubba D. Liverance		
3	5	5	TURNING ON THE NAUGHTY	Harris, Paula		
23	6	6	AINTNOMIDNIGHTTRAIN	Calabash Blues & Boogle Band	Flyin' Cloud	160
33	7	7	LAUGHINGDOWNCRYING	Hall, Daryl		
2	8	8	CTC-THE MUSIC LIVES ON	verious	KHP1105	
55	9	9	MEET THE QUEENS OF SOUTHERN	SOUL	various	KHP
5	10	10	FRIENDS: JUDIES PATIO PARTY	verious		





#### **CRAIG JENNINGS**

SEPTEMBER 06

SEPTEMBER 27



**CRAIG JENNINGS** 



#### **BILL FROSTICK**

SEPTEMBER 13





**BILL FROSTICK** 





#### **RON LIPPS**

SEPTEMBER 20



DON LIDDS



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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 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 \$30.00

 Shirts \$25.00

 Hats \$15.00

 Huggies \$ 2.00

#### Weather Emergencies!

Watch your e-mails for weather emergency notices.

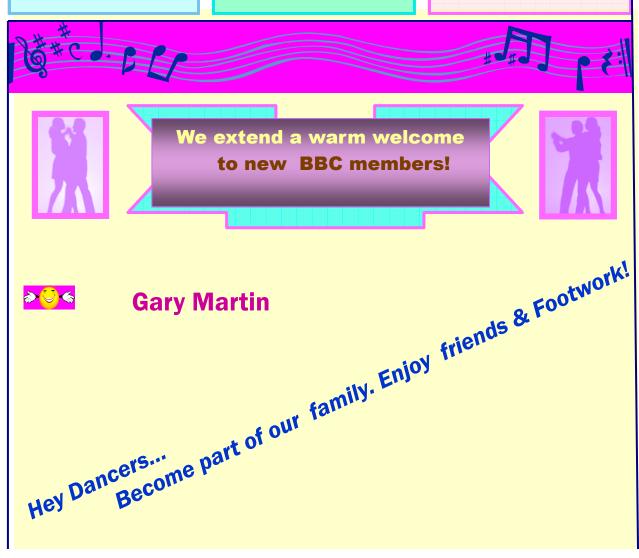
We try to be cautious in coming out to dance. Lets think safety!

Thank You!

#### BBC NEWSLETTER- CAN



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.



Disclaimer: To the best of my knowledge information in this newsletter is correct, but is not warranted and is subject to errors.



# Shannon's Bar & Grill

2801 Plank Road Fredericksburg, VA 22401 540-786-8321

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

Check our website www.battlefieldboogieclub.com

For more Information: 540-226-6007

### Craig Jenning's DJ Schedule during SOS Week

Wednesday September 19 Ducks Café 10pm – close Thursday September 20 Ducks Café – 10pm – close Friday September 21 Ducks 12-5pm (VA Shag Clubs Free Pour) Various Virginia DJ's Saturday September 22 Duck Café 10pm - close

# Northern Virginia Shag Club free pour in Duck's Café September 18th from 3-5 pm





#### Bringing the Beach to the 'Burg

Starts: October 06 @ 6:30pm Ends: October 07 @ 12:00am

Location: Fredericksburg Expo Center

2371 Carl D Silver Parkway Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Thanks to all of you!

#### What is the Gerry Bertier #42 Foundation?

Remember the high school football team that overcame racism amidst the blare of civil rights riots and stadiums of cheering fans? Remember the players' sweat drenching the grass beneath them during intensive training to win the state championship? Remember the tragedy of Gerry Bertier, Virginia's first high school All-American football player, who in an instant was left unable to ever walk again? For many, remembering the Titans and their defensive leader's car accident is easy after watching the Disney adaptation of their story. But the years left untouched by the film "Remember the Titans" are just as remarkable, with Bertier winning gold medals in the Wheelchair Olympics, ensuring handicapped access throughout Alexandria and helping those recently paralyzed and with depression until his death in 1981.

Gerry's foundation started in mid 2005. It's hard to believe that the foundation began just a few years ago with only four family members, unsure of where to begin. The foundation became an official 501c (3) in January 2006. Thanks to the dedication and support of many individuals (our volunteers, of which there are more than 60, original Titans and Coaches, family members) and companies like The Free Lance-Star, Merrill Lynch, The Anderson Company, we have been able to raise over \$150,000 (including matching funds from the endowment set up at VCU) to give to Virginia Commonwealth University Spinal Cord Injury (SCI) Rehabilitation and Research Center.

## Book Buddies

Through The Salvation Army thousands of books are given each year at Christmas to children in the Fredericksburg area. The Battlefield Boogie Club has donated hundreds of books to this valuable program which allows many children to own their very first book.

Please help by bringing in books on Thursday nights for children from birth to 14.

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THE GERRY BERTIER #42 FOUNDATION PRESENTS
THEIR THIRD ANNUAL CHARITY DINNER/DANCE
"BRINGING THE BEACH TO THE BURG"
OCTOBER 6, 2012 FREDERICKSBURG EXPO CENTER
DOORS OPEN AT 6:30PM UNTIL 12:00AM
CASH BAR, SILENT AUCTION, SUMMER COOKOUT BUFFET
\$60.00 PER PERSON, TABLES OF 8 WILL RECEIVE RESERVED
SEATING. ALL TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE BY
CALLING 540-785-0328 (VISA & MASTERCARD ACCEPTED)
ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT SPINAL CORD INJURY RESEARCH AND REHABILITATION AT
VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL'S SPINAL CORD INJURY MEDICINE

