



# “On the Beat”

April 2007

Fayetteville Area Shag Association

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## From the President



March has been a busy month for FASA. On the 16th Ann and Ron Pearsall, Angela and Chris Jestes, and Cindy Giaccone and I danced on the ice during the first intermission of the Fayetteville Fireantz hockey game. I am glad to say that no one fell or slid on the red carpet that was rolled out for us to shag on, and all of the 4000 plus fans seemed to enjoy the show. On March 17th Ann Farrell won the hula hoop contest at the St. Patrick's Day Beach Bash. At the Elk's lodge, 57 FASA members danced the night away to the music of David Sessoms. Everyone who I talked to had a great time.

April is just around the corner, and on the 6th the Carolina Shaggers will have their party. Our next meeting will be on 10th with our party on the 14th. SOS Spring Safari will start on the 20th and will close down on the 29th.

On May 19th we will have our Reverse Raffle. Again this is our main fund raiser and we need to move all the tickets that we can. So get your tickets at our April meeting, take them to SOS, have a great time, and **SELL ALL YOUR TICKETS.**

## **Congratulations AC & Kathy Williams 2007 National Seniors Champions**



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## 2007 FASA Calendar

Join us at the Elks Lodge, on Gables Drive just off of Country Club Drive.

### Membership Meetings

January 9, 2007  
 February 13, 2007  
 March 13, 2007  
 April 10, 2007  
 May 8, 2007  
 June 12, 2007  
 July 10, 2007  
 August 14, 2007  
 September 11, 2007  
 October 9, 2007  
 November 13, 2007  
 December 11, 2007

### Party Dates

January 20, 2007  
 February 17, 2007  
 March 17, 2007  
 April 14, 2007  
 May 19, 2007 (Reverse Raffle)  
 June 16, 2007  
 July 14, 2007  
 August 18, 2007  
 September - No party SOS  
 October 13, 2007  
 November 24, 2007  
 December 15, 2007



DJ David Sessoms playing some great music



## April Birthdays



Al Pierce	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Robert Dickerson	21 <sup>st</sup>
Ernest Searcy	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Teresa Goldie	22 <sup>nd</sup>
Penny Council	5 <sup>th</sup>	Sidney Giaccone	24 <sup>th</sup>
Don Blankenship	6 <sup>th</sup>	Chuck Graham	25 <sup>th</sup>
Rachel Dixon	7 <sup>th</sup>	Barbara Kiser	27 <sup>th</sup>
Ray Baloyot	8 <sup>th</sup>	Bill Kiser	28 <sup>th</sup>
Tommy Grooms	15 <sup>th</sup>	Joyce Miguel	29 <sup>th</sup>
Bobby Wrenn	16 <sup>th</sup>	Al Cain	30 <sup>th</sup>
Delores Grainger	17 <sup>th</sup>	Rae Garrison	30 <sup>th</sup>

### What's Happening Elsewhere:

**Carolina Shaggers** - Party first Friday of each month at the Pine Crest Country Club, Lumberton. 8:30-12:00pm

**Moore Area Shag Society** - Party the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month at the Elks club in Southern Pines.

**Sanford Society of Shaggers** - Party the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month at the VFW in Sanford.

**Harnett Area Shag Society** -

**CSA Contest** - April 13-14, Lynn's, Charlotte

**Special Events** - April 20-29, SOS Spring Safari, NMB

## Beach Music Top 20

As reported by King Curtiss, 106.9 Oldies Radio

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| 1. New Breed Kind Of Woman, Sand Band                        | 11. Sneakin', Tommy Black and Blooz                    |
| 2. Big Sisters Radio, Mike Schermer                          | 12. Rabbitt Got The Gun, Holiday Band                  |
| 3. Emperor Of My Babys Heart, Paul Craver                    | 13. Dr Feelgood, Sammy O'Banion and Mardi Gras Band    |
| 4. I Know The Inside Story, Entertainers                     | 14. It's Alright, Aaron Neville                        |
| 5. Shaggin' Will Have To Do, Mark Black                      | 15. Don't Play That Song, Sam Moore and Bekka Bramlett |
| 6. Wild Thang, Band of Oz                                    | 16. Nights Like This, Young Guns                       |
| 7. Man That's Smooth, Gary Brown                             | 17. Jumping The Jetty, Coastline Band                  |
| 8. You Got To Crawl Before You Walk<br>Chairmen of the Board | 18. One Step Closer, Rick Strickland                   |
| 9. Your Sweet Love, Castaways                                | 19. You Turn Me On, Stacy Mitchart                     |
| 10. Rhythm. In Men LTD                                       | 20. Come Get To This, Craig Woolard Band               |



### Shag Dance Classes

By 2007 National Seniors, and  
 2004-06 Grand Nationals Masters Champions  
 AC & Kathy Williams

Classes begin the first Monday of each month  
 "Elks Lodge No. 1080"  
 Beginner-6:45pm; Intermediate-7:30pm; Advanced-  
 8:15pm

Contact AC or Kathy for more info@ 910-980-1767



Some serious St. Patrick's Day spirit

## March Meeting Minutes

The monthly FASA Meeting was held at the Elk's Lodge Tuesday, March 13, 2007. The meeting was called to order by Steve Dawson, President.

Steve Dawson thanked Big Al Pearce for DJing and Debbie for the line dance class.

Steve then asked for a motion to accept the minutes from February. There was a motion to accept the minutes. The motion was seconded. The vote was unanimous to accept the minutes.

Steve then asked for a motion to accept the Treasurers Report. There was a motion to accept the Treasurers Report and it was seconded. The vote was unanimous to accept the Treasurers Report.

Steve once again reminded everyone that only 81 members have reuped and to please remind people to reup.

Steve then asked for any new business. Dwayne Baggett mentioned that the Shag license plates are coming out. Steve then mentioned that the Reverse Raffle is in May but the two main people needed for the raffle cannot attend on the set date. So Steve suggested that the date be moved to the next weekend the Elks Lodge is free and that is the weekend of May 19<sup>th</sup>. Everyone agreed. SOS is next month. Steve asked the Elks Lodge if it would be possible to cancel the party next month but the Elks Lodge said no. Everyone agreed to keep the April Party on April 14<sup>th</sup>.

A member wanted to know what the total membership for this year is. Steve told him that 81 have re-uped so far. There was a discussion about the letters that are going to be sent out to the members who have not reuped. A.C. Williams volunteered to pay for the postage to send out the reminders. Angela Jestes asked that a reminder be put on the top of the sign in sheet at the parties that says that the Lumberton Carolina Shaggers pay \$5.00 at the door. Chris Jestes offered to copy the reup letter for the club. David Sessoms talked about the Charlie Byrd List of Top 50 Shag Songs. He discussed how the list is the only list based on DJ's votes. He brought many copies of the list.

March 16<sup>th</sup> – The Crown Coliseum has asked if someone would shag between one of the quarters at the Fire Antz Hockey game. He said that four couples were going to dance.

March 28<sup>th</sup> – Shag Tag Release Party at TJ's Nitelife in Raleigh. There is a \$5.00 cover charge but if you bought a shag tag you get in free. It starts at 6:30.

March 17<sup>th</sup> – FASA March Party – DJ is David Sessoms

March 24<sup>th</sup> – The Sanford Area Society of Shaggers is having their 18<sup>th</sup> annual dance and gold tournament.

April 2 – Next FASA Board Meeting

April 6 – Carolina Shaggers Monthly Party in Lumberton

April 14 – FASA Monthly Party

April 20 – 29 – SOS in North Myrtle Beach

May – Reverse Raffle begins

Dwight Vinson could not attend the meeting and we did not know who the new member was we were to vote on. So Steve asked if we should just vote on whomever it is and everyone agreed. So there was a vote on accepting the new member and the vote was unanimous for yes.

Birthdays for February were read and invited to come up for the Birthday Dance after the meeting is adjourned.

There was a motion to adjourn the meeting and it was seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

The dancing began.

Respectfully submitted, Barbara Closson

## Treasure's Report:

**Not Available at Newsletter Publication Time**



March Party Committee



I don't do windows!!



## Upcoming FASA Events

### Membership Meeting

Tuesday, April 10, 2007

7:00pm Line Dance Lessons with Debbie Inman

7:30pm Snacks

8:00pm Business Meeting

8:30pm+ Shag Time with DJ

### April Party (Tax Time)

Saturday, April 14, 2007

7:30-12:00pm

DJ -



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Great Food!!



Can I see your ID?



Shaggin to some great tunes



How far does your wrist bend?



Line Dance Diva's



Getting Close



Weeeeeee!!



Takin a break

