



“On the Beat”



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Fayetteville Area Shag Association

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It's hard to believe that this year is almost over, and that Christmas is just a few days away. Our next meeting will be on December 11th, and that will be our election of officers for 2008. The nominating committee has made their selection. Now, if there is someone you would like to nominate, please be at our next meeting and let us know who you want to serve this coming year. Our Christmas party will be on the 15th. This is FASA biggest party and it will be held at the Hope Mills Shrine Club. If you are a paid-up FASA member there is no charge to get in. All guests will be \$10.00 each.

Again, I want to thank all of you for your advice and support this past year. With your help we have grown and gotten back on our feet. I hope that you will give the new officers just as much help and backing as you have given me.

There is only one person left for me to thank, and that is the one person who kept me straight all year long. Without her help I would not have taken this job. Cindy Giaccone is the person who lets me know when I should speak up, or keep my mouth shut. Most of the time it was to shut up and listen, and that was and is very good advice. She is the one person who went with me to all the ACSC meetings, the meetings for other clubs and parties, and all of the events that came along for FASA this past year. I want her to know how much I have depended on her kindness and caring for me and this club, and how much I care and love her.

2008 Ballot of Officers

President -

Eric Rowe

Vice President -

Bob Dickerson

Recording Secretary -

Barbara Clossen

Corresponding Secretary -

Denise Rowe

Treasurer -

Karen McFarland

Sgt at Arms -

Bobby Cleminger

On the Beat is the official newsletter of the Fayetteville Area Shag Association. Deadline for submission of articles is the 18th of each month members are encouraged to contact Dennis Johnson with news of interest to FASA at dwjscience@nc.rr.com.

**Tentative 2007
FASA Calendar**

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

Membership Meetings

December 11, 2007

Party Dates

December 15, 2007 (Christmas Party)

Congratulations

Susan Bays and Dennis Johnson placed 6th at the 2nd annual Amateur Sanford Shag contest.

Congratulations

Debbie Inman was inducted into the National "Living Legends of Dance" this past month at a ceremony in Virginia Beach Virginia.



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



December Birthdays



Ellen Rouse	1 st	Dwight Vinson	10 th
Eric Rowe	1 st	Barbara Closson	14 th
Jimmy Monsour	2 nd	Gayle Huggins	14 th
Nancy Duggins	4 th	Warren Copenhaver	15 th
Amy Dean	7 th	Linda Starling	18 th
Angela Jestes	8 th	P.G. Chandler	25 th
Betty Whittington	9 th	Mary Ann Thompson	25 th

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 3rd Saturday of each month at the Elks club in Southern Pines.

Sanford Society of Shaggers - Party the 3rd Friday of each month at the VFW in Sanford.

Beach Music Top 20

Courtesy of King Curtiss & Oldies 106.9

December 2007	Title	Artist
1	Turn Me Over	Coastline
2	Over And Done	Ryan Shaw
3	She's The One I Love	Rickey Godfrey
4	Just Another Day In The Breeze	Second Nature
5	One Step Closer	Rick Strickland
6	If There Us A Tear	Craig Woolard Band
7	Love Is Here, Now Your Gone	Holiday
8	Emperor Of My Babys Heart	Paul Craver
9	Rhythm	In Men LTD
10	That's My Story	Cracked Ice
11	Wherever I Lay My Hat	Magnificents
12	Man That's Smooth	Gary Brown
13	I Know It's Hard, But It's Fair	Holiday
14	Wild Thang	Band Of Oz
15	I Know The Inside Story	Entertainers
16	Walk Away From Love	Sea Cruz
17	Why Am I Crying	Rhonda McDaniel
18	Just The Way You Are	Becky Fox Baldwin
19	Let's Get A Thing Going On	Legends Of Beach Music
20	On And Off	Pat Carpenter

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Treasurer's Report for November, 2007			
	Debit	Credit	Balance
Beginning Balance:	\$ 12,986.48		\$ 12,986.4
Income:			
Rent	\$ 75.00		
Total Income:	\$ 75.00		
Total Income:	\$ 13,061.48		\$ 13,061.4
Expenses:			
Meeting Bartender		\$ 30.00	
Elks Lodge		\$ 300.00	
Embarq		\$ 8.03	
Total Expense:		\$ 338.03	\$ 338.0
Ending Balance		\$12,723.45	\$ 12,623.4



November Meeting Minutes

The monthly FASA Meeting was held at the Elk's Lodge Tuesday, November 13, 2007. The meeting was called to order by Steve Dawson, President. Steve thanked Ricky Price for DJing tonight. He also thanked Richard Ramos for the delicious cake and Debbie Inman for the line dance lesson. He also congratulated Debbie for now being a Living Legend in the Hall of Fame.

The next party will be the 24th. The DJ for the evening will be Jennie Farmer. Everyone needs to be an hors d'oeuvre.

Steve asked for a motion to accept the October Minutes. There was a motion and it was seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Steve then asked for a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report. There was a motion and it was seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Old Business

The shirts that some people ordered were in but the company still needs to put our logo on them. Steve will try and have them by the party on the 24th.

The Christmas Party is December 15th at the Hope Mills Shrine Club. Joyce Ramos reported that she has been getting things together for the party. If you would like to bring a dessert or side dish please sign up at the November party or the next business meeting.

Joyce asked the membership present permission to buy two or more chafing dishes. The club has two but two more would be helpful. A motion was made for the club to buy two more chafing dishes. The motion was seconded. It was voted on and the motion passed with a unanimous vote. Joyce also said that last year the club paid someone to sit at the door so that the members could enjoy the party and she asked that they club pay someone again to sit at the door. A motion was made to pay someone \$50 to sit at the door the night of the Christmas Party. The motion was seconded. It was voted on and the motion passed with a unanimous vote. A motion was also made to not charge FASA members at the Christmas Party but all others will pay \$10 at the door. The motion was seconded. It was voted on and the motion passed with a unanimous vote. Joyce also mentioned that she will need a few more people to volunteer to help set up for the Christmas Party.

New Business

The nominating committee (Donnie Davis, Bette Morris, Cathy Baloyet, Chris Jestes, A.C. Williams) chose the following for the 2008-2009 board:

President: Eric Rowe

Vice President: Bob Dickerson

Recording Secretary: Barbara Closson

Corresponding Secretary: Denise Rowe

Treasurer: Karen McFarland

Sergeant of Arms: Bobby Cleminger

These nominees will be voted on at the December business meeting.

Dwayne Baggett received a call from Brenda Branch, the VP of Sales at the House of Raeford. The Raeford Shrine Club is having a reverse raffle and she wondered if anyone from FASA would like a ticket. Dwayne said that he has asked Brenda for many favors throughout the years for FASA and said that if anyone would like to buy a ticket to see him. Someone then suggested that FASA buy a ticket since she has helped us so much before. A motion was made for FASA to buy a reverse raffle ticket for the Raeford Shrine Club. The motion was seconded. It was voted on and the motion passed with a unanimous vote.

November 17th there will be a craft fair to the Elks Club. It is \$20 a table.

Jaime Hepburn informed the club about an entertainment newspaper that she is involved with named *Tidbits*. It is a national franchise. The paper is free. She left copies for everyone to look at.

The Harnett County Shag Club is having their Christmas Party on December 14, 2007.

It was voted on and the motion passed with a unanimous vote.

Steve thanked everyone who helped with the hot dog sale at Fun Monday. We made over \$1,000 at the hot dog sale.

The board has bought some shirts with a FASA emblem on them. If you are interested in buying a shirt please see someone on the board.

We are also selling some shag bags for \$3.00 each.

Just before Fall SOS we lost a long time member, Jay Williams. Steve sent flowers to his funeral from FASA but was told by members of the club that he could not do that. Joyce spoke up and said that as long as they were members of the club it is possible to buy flowers. Dwight Vinson motioned that the club reimburse Steve for the flowers. The motion was seconded and it passed unanimously.

It is now time to get together a nominating committee for the next board. Steve Miller, the past president, will get together a nominating committee.

Dwight Vinson read the names of two new members to be voted on. Dwight made a motion to accept the names he read for membership. The motion was seconded and it passed unanimously.

On November 17th two of our FASA members will be dancing in a contest in Sanford. The doors open at 7:00 and the contest starts at 9:00. The contest is at the VFW in Sanford. Please come out and support our members.

Then the birthdays for October were read by Eric Rowe and they were 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

Upcoming FASA Events



Membership Meeting

Tuesday, December 11, 2007

7:30pm Line Dance Lessons with Debbie Inman

7:30pm Snacks

8:00pm Business Meeting

8:30pm± Shag Time with DJ Ricky Price

Christmas Party

at the Hope Mills Shrine Club

Saturday, December 15, 2007

7:30-12:00pm

DJ - Ed Timberlake



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