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May 2009

Buenos Dias and Happy Springtime to All,

The hectic and full scheduled month of April is now behind us and we are pushing headlong into the Spring Month of May!

April was action packed from the beginning. The Carolina Shaggers of Lumberton and the Harnett Area Shag Association (HASA) scheduled their parties on the same night giving the FASA Road Show two good parties to choose between on April 10th. Both of these events did have FASA members there, so FASA support to both clubs continues. Both parties provided a good time with plenty of shagging and line dancing.

On the day after the HASA and Carolina Shaggers parties we held our own party at the Elk's Lodge. The members brought lots of hors d'oeuvres and the Executive Board supplied desserts. The party had over sixty people in attendance, with support from members of HASA and the Asheville Shag Club.

I want to thank all of the members who brought us their delicious goodies providing us with more than enough to satisfy our appetites. A special thanks to the Tom and Beverly, Rhonda and Billy, Angela and Chris, Penny and Jeanne for helping to decorate, set up and clean up before during and after the party as well as the abundance of desserts to gratify our "Sweet Tooth". Once again, we were blessed with another outstanding Richard Ramos cake - Thank You so Very much Richard!!!!

Thanks also to Ricky Price who got Tootie Brown from Myrtle Beach as the DJ for the party. Tootie "spun" the CD's supplying us with great music and plenty of dancing to go around. The fifty-fifty was won by Janet Price and she took home \$69.

SOS Spring Safari in North Myrtle Beach had a little extra heat supplied by a disastrous, large wildfire in Horry County. Though it sent smoke and ashes into the North Myrtle Beach air, it did not directly spread near the beach areas and the festivities were able to continue. The ACSC and SOS organizations, remembering North Myrtle Beach is the home to SOS, took into account all of the terror and disaster of the fire donated over \$20,000 to the North Myrtle Beach Red Cross to aid the victims of the fire. This was done through donations from the Foundation and donated prize monies from the Parade winners. We can all be proud of being a member of this organization.

Barbara, Steve, members of the Float Committee and assistants did an outstanding job on our "Anniversary" float; however we did not win a prize this year. All of the members who participated showed lots of enthusiasm, had great fun and got a good suntan. We also have an excellent "Jukebox" for future events. Thanks again Barbara and Steve!!

This month is Reverse Raffle Party month. We need to get all of the tickets that Dwayne and Steve have distributed **sold** so we can have another successful raffle. The party is scheduled for May 16th and the money and ticket receipts you have collected can be brought to the business meeting on May 12th or to lessons on May 4th and 11th.

The ALS Walk is May 9th at Festival Park. If you want to donate to the "Fluff Daddy Pivoteers," please go to www.CatfishChapter.org and link to the Fayetteville walk to get to the Fluff Daddy Pivoteers page and you can donate. Please contact me at my email or phone number and I will be glad to assist if needed.

Hope to see you at the Business Meeting.

Thanks for all of your support !!

THIS MONTH WITH FASA...

Monthly Membership Meeting— May 12th

7 p.m. Free Line Dance Lessons, 7:30 p.m. Refreshments

8 p.m. Membership Meeting—DJ David Sessoms

Monthly Party— May 16th

8 p.m. — Midnight—DJ JC Wood

Club Members \$3 Singles, \$5 Couples—Guests \$5 Each

Meetings and Parties are held at the Elks' Lodge, 3269 Gables Drive, off Country Club Drive.

A ROUND OF APPLAUSE FOR THE APRIL PARTY COMMITTEE...

Angela & Chris Jestes
Beverly & Tom Hobgood
Jeanne & Bob Dickerson
Penny Council
Rhonda & Billy Owen



UP COMING FASA EVENTS...

Month	Meeting	Party
June	9	13
July	14	18
Aug	11	15

ROAD SHOW DESTINATIONS...

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

Harnett Area Shag Association – Party held the second Friday of each month, Shrine Lodge, Dunn.

Sanford Society of Shaggers – Party held the third Friday of each month at the VFW in Sanford.

On the Beat, the official newsletter of the Fayetteville Area Shag Association, is published monthly. Deadline for submission of articles is the 20th of each month. Members are encouraged to contact Chris Jestes, Newsletter Editor, at (910) 323-2526 or email fasawebmaster@yahoo.com with information on shag world happenings, significant events (anniversaries, illness, accomplishments, etc.), jokes, trivia or other appropriate announcements. Material will be used as space allows.

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BIRTHDAYS

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MAY 5

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MAY 17

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MAY 19

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MAY 20

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MAY 27

ROBERT HANEY
MAY 28

BILLIE NEW
MAY 29

RENATA ROBERTSON
MAY 6

SIDNEY PEARCE
MAY 31



JOIN US FOR SHAG DANCE CLASSES

Classes are taught by 2005 & 2007 National Seniors & 2004-06 Grand Nationals Masters Champions AC & Cathy Williams!

Classes begin the first Monday of each month at the "Elks Lodge No. 1080", 3269 Gables Drive, Fayetteville, NC
Beginner-6:45pm - Intermediate-7:30pm - Advanced-8:15pm
Contact AC or Cathy for more info@ 910-980-1767



HALL OF FAME FOUNDATION & SOS GOLF CLASSIC

This weekend will hold the Third Annual Hall of Fame Foundation & SOS Charity Golf Classic. The event will be held at Fox Fire Village outside of Southern Pines. Contact Al Cain or Eddie Monsour for complete details.

THOUGHTS & PRAYERS FOR FASA FRIENDS & FAMILY...

If you know of someone that needs our support please email me at fasawebmaster@yahoo.com.

KEEP INFORMED ON FASA HAPPENINGS!

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