



NEWSLETTER

November 2013

FROM HASA PRESIDENT:

Good news to report. Vice-President Joe McCorquodale is doing much better and will join us Thursday night for our meeting and for our pre-Thanksgiving party Friday night, Nov 8th. Sidney Giaccone, HASA member wants to let everyone know that she is now cancer free! She wants to convey to everyone that she appreciates all the thoughts, prayers and support from the club through this frightening journey she has been through. This is very positive news for two great HASA members!

Thank s to HASA officers and members who set up and prepared food for our October party. The pork barbecue cooked by Ashley Holland was very good, as was all the food prepared by volunteers. Thank you – all that work is appreciated, and a big “shout out” to all those members and guests who brought complimentary dishes & desserts. Northtower Band was great and had the crowd going til midnight!

The Harnett Area Shag Association party will be on Friday, November 8, 2013. This will be our pre-Thanksgiving party with DJ Robert Stroud from Boogie Shoes, Fun Time Oldies, 1170 am playing your favorite music. We will have hot & spicy & plain chicken wings, ham, potato salad, “Cameron’s” famous beans. Please bring your favorite appetizer, salad, side dish or dessert to compliment this menu. Free line dancing & shag lessons at 7:00; food served at 7:30 p.m.

The admission is \$5.00 for members and \$7.00 for non-members – that includes entertainment, food, and lots of fun. Music, dancing, entertainment, food – a very nice night out on the town for only a small amount of money. Where can you go for \$5.00 and \$7.00 and receive the same entertainment value?

Raffles to include the following:

1) \$1.00 50/50 HASA Raffle- Drawing is held the night of HASA party. See Joe McCorquodale for ticket

2) \$1.00 HASA Blanket Raffle Ticket. Purchase ticket to enter drawing to win HASA #1 customized blanket - one of a kind. 250 tickets will need to be sold so we can have raffle the blanket. Go to admissions desk to purchase your ticket.

I know it appears that we have a lot of raffles. The raffles help someone to win a prize but these raffles also assist us in donating money to charities at the end of the year. In 2012 HASA was able to donate \$3,000.00 to charities from memberships, member & guest attendance and raffles.

On October 17, 2013, Ann and I attended the NC Music Hall of Fame, Kannapolis, NC annual induction ceremony. It was an honor to meet Willie Weeks, originally from Salemburg, NC, bass guitar player known for his talent with famous groups such as Eric Clapton, Boz Scaggs – many artists he has played with on tours and CD’s. This event is only for North Carolina based entertainers inducted and given a place in the NC Music Hall of Fame museum. I submitted Willie Weeks name for consideration over one year ago to the NC Music Hall of Fame. He was selected – makes us proud! The Catalinas – “Summertime’s Calling Me” were also inducted. They performed at the show! We also met Rick Dees – very nice person.

2013 inductees: **John P. Kee** - Gospel Recording Artist, (New Life Community Choir), Durham, NC; **Willie Weeks** - Musician (bass guitarist for Eric Clapton & other great artists), Salemburg, NC; **Tony Brown** - Musician/Country Record Producer (George Strait, Reba McIntyre, Vince Gill, Jimmy Buffet); Greensboro, NC **"Rick" Dees** - Radio Personality, (recorded novelty song "Disco Duck"), Greensboro, NC; **Del Reeves** - Country Recording Artists ("Girl on The Billboard") Sparta, NC; **Alicia Bridges** - Recording Artist ("I love The Nightlife"), Lawndale, NC; **Grady Tate** - Jazz Drummer/Performer, (Drummer on the "Tonight Show with Johnny Carson"), Durham, NC. **The Catalinas** - Recording Artist ("Summertime's Calling Me"), Charlotte/Statesville, NC It was indeed a magical night. This event is only for North Carolina based entertainers inducted and given a place in the NC Music Hall of Fame museum. You can go on line to NC Music Hall of Fame to see new and past inductees and history of the museum. There are NC artists in the museum such as Charlie Daniels, Andy Griffin, Ronnie Milsap, Roberta Flack, James Taylor, Maceo Parker, General Johnson, Billy Scott and many others. A nice trip to visit the museum and see our NC history in entertainment.

To see all the photos of that night – go to: http://vizualexplorations.smugmug.com/Music/NC-Music-Hall-of-Fame/NC-Music-Hall-of-Fame-2013/32816906_RTpx2k#!i=2842398698&k=9BzLr7F

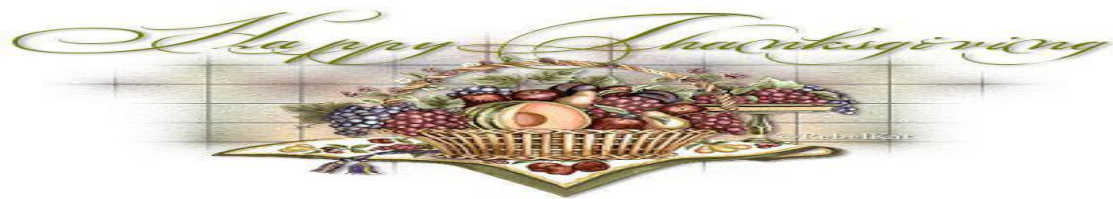
November 10, 2013 - Carolina Beach Music Award's show, Alabama Theater, Myrtle Beach, SC. This is another awesome show you don't want to miss. The show is dedicated to Charles "Speedy" Pope – The Tams and Billy Scott. Go to Carolina Beach Music Awards (CBMA) - www.beachmusiconline.com/09/2013-cbma-nominations/ for all the details on this exciting show that will be on Sunday – Butch Halpin will be presenting the award for Billy Scott!

HASA XMAS Party – THE MAGNIFICENTS BAND Need Food Committee volunteers. We will participate in Toys for Tots Program by accepting toy donations at our Dec party for HASA to give to the program.

Our next monthly meeting will be Thursday, November 7th at the Dunn Shrine Building, 211 N. Clinton Ave, Dunn, NC. The meeting will be held after we set up the tables and decorate for the parties. 2014 slate of officers will be presented for vote by members. We meet at 6:30 for set-up. Any volunteers are greatly appreciated for assisting with the set-up for the party – then join us for the meeting. We will also appoint volunteers for Food, Decorating and Ways & Means Committees.

We welcome you to all our HASA parties to share in good music, dancing, fun, food and fellowship. Thank you for your support of HASA.

Robert Honeycutt
President, HASA





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GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY

The membership of the Harnett Area Shag Association is proud to have been able to help these worthy charities with the following donations in 2012

Dunn Shrinettes - \$600.00
Hospice of Harnett County- \$400.00
Falcon Children's Home – Dunn United Ministerial Association - \$400.00
Shriners' Children's Hospital - \$400.00
S.A.F.E. of Harnett County - \$400.00
Make a Wish Foundation - \$400.00
3 boxes of toys for Toys for Tots at Christmas donated by members & guests at our annual Christmas Party

Your membership and attending the HASA events each month will assist with supporting these charities in 2013.

Through the National FastDance Assn.,
our dance club activities are licensed by:



OTHER EVENTS

- Nov. 8 DJ Robert Stroud at HASA, 211 N Clinton Ave, Dunn, NC
- Nov. 10 Carolina Beach Music Awards, Alabama Theater, Myrtle Beach, SC
- Nov. 14 Coastline at TJ's Nightlife, Raleigh, NC
- Nov 17 Clifford Curry Benefit at The Regency Banquet and Conference Center, Dunn, NC
- Nov. 21 Carolina Breakers at TJ's Nightlife, Raleigh, NC
- Nov. 23 Band of Oz at The Dennis Wicker Civic Center in Sanford 7 pm
- Nov. 23 FASA, Moose Lodge (Behind the Crown on Owen Drive) 7:00-10:00 pm, Fayetteville, NC
- Nov. 24 Fantastics Shakers at TJ's Nightlife, Raleigh, NC
- Nov. 30 FASA, , Moose Lodge Behind the Crown on Owen Drive, Fayetteville, NC
- Nov. 30 Sugarfoot Shag Club, Elks Lodge, Goldsboro, NC
- Dec. 5 Northtower at TJ's Nightlife, Raleigh, NC
- Dec. 12 Steve Owens & Summertime Band, TJ's Nightlife
Tickets Available at 910-433-2161
- Dec. 13 HASA, Xmas Party - The Magnificents Band, Dunn Shrine Bldg, 211 N. Clinton Ave, Dunn, NC
- Dec. 14 FASA, Xmas Party - Moose Lodge (Behind the Crown on Owen Drive) Fayetteville, NC
- Dec. 15 Band of Oz and TJ's Christmas Parts, TJ's Nightlife, Raleigh, NC
- Dec. 19 Sea Cruz, TJ's Nightlife, Raleigh, NC
- Dec. 20 SamCo - DJ Joey Warren, Coharie Country Club, Clinton, NC
- Dec. 21 Sugarfoot Shag Club, Xmas Party, Elks Lodge, Goldsboro, NC**