

September 2014 NEWSLETTER

#### FROM HASA PRESIDENT:

What a great Luau Party we had in August!! DJ Joey Warren, "The Little Man of Beach Music" provided the fantastic songs that kept the floor full ALL night long! HASA Members James and Lucrecia Jackson provided the delicious food and beautiful decorations for the party. It was stunning! We had a huge turn-out with 213 members and guests AND 19 new members that joined HASA! A big THANK YOU to those that helped with the party set-up, working the door, the 50/50 raffle and clean-up! Our HASA team is THE best and it truly takes a team to make our parties THE best around!

Our next party is on <u>Friday, September 5<sup>th</sup></u>! **DJ Butch Halpin**, will be playing your favorite songs to dance to or just sit and listen. We will be serving wings, meatballs, sandwiches, fresh tossed salad. I've been asked to encourage everyone to bring salads and appetizers – vegetable trays, pasta salads, fruit salads, vegetable salads & desserts. I'm sure our fine members and guests will bring enough for us to feed 150+ people! It will be appreciated any food that you bring to accommodate feeding this many members and non-members. This will be a fun night ~ 50/50 raffle and FREE line dance and shag lessons. Good food, fun, music, entertainment ~ a night to meet old and new friends and share fellowship. THE best night out on the town.

You can still JOIN or RENEW your membership at the September party for only 12.50 + you get in free September 5th! Admission is 5.00 for existing members; 7.00 for non-members. WHAT A DEAL!! You can print the attached membership form or go online to our website at <u>www.hasadance.com</u> to download a form – complete now and take with you to the September 5<sup>th</sup> party. Membership is good through December 31, 2014. Your membership DOES truly make a difference ~ with increased membership and attendance, HASA can contribute to various charities at the end of the year after expenses have been paid. This is made possible by all who join HASA and attend the parties.

We will have FUN MONDAY tickets for sale at the September 5<sup>th</sup> party. The drawing will be held during SOS, September 12-21, on FUN MONDAY, September 15<sup>th</sup>. You can purchase tickets from a HASA officer or at the Front Desk. The tickets are \$10.00 each and can be counted as a donation. The 1<sup>st</sup> Prize is \$7,500, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize is \$2,000; 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize is \$1,000; 4<sup>th</sup> Prize is \$500 and 5<sup>th</sup> Prize is \$250. FUN MONDAY and Sunday are funded only by ticket sales. All profits go to either CARING FOR KIDS or SOS Charitable Foundations. Winners of \$5,000 or more are required to pay 28% withholding at the time you are paid, which is a federal requirement. You will receive a W-9 Form for all winnings over \$600. Schedules and other GREAT information can be seen at <u>www.shagdance.com</u> (official website of SOS) and in their Facebook Group SOS – Society of Stranders, which is an open group.

The next several months we have lots of events to attend: SOS Fall Safari – Sep 12 - 21, 2014. Oct 10 - HASA will have Blackwater Rhythm & Blues Band – you don't want to miss this event! Oct 24th 2014- Shag-O-Ween will start at 7:00 at Dunn Shrine Club with DJ Joey Warren playing your favorite music. Shag-O-Ween is held in conjunction with HASA, Sugarfoot, and other clubs - there will be many prizes to give away. WE NEED SPONSORS FOR SHAG-O-WEEN. CALL ME at 910-214-2858 IF YOU WILL PURHASE A SPONSORSHIP – you will be included in all our advertisements. Oct 16, 2014- NC Music Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony – two are from our area Link Wray and Jimmy Capps – both nominated by Robert Honeycutt. The VIP tickets are sold out but general tickets area available. Also being inducted are Clay Aiken, Fantasia Barino, The Embers PLUS others!!

We will have a HASA meeting on Thursday,  $5^{th}$  after we set up for the party (tables, tablecloths, decorations, kitchen dishes, etc) at the Dunn Shrine Center at 211 N. Clinton Ave. in Dunn, NC. We welcome all members who will assist with the party set up at 6:30pm and then attend the meeting at approx. 7:30pm- 8:00.

I welcome any ideas, suggestions or comments that will help HASA become even better, increase membership and charity donations - please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your support.

#### Robert Honeycutt, President, HASA

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7:00 to 11:30

FREE Line Dancing Lessons at 7:00 / FREE Shag Lessons at 7:30

Meal Served at 7:30

We will be serving Wings, Meatballs, Sandwiches and Salads

It would be appreciated if you would bring an appetizer, side dish, vegetable, salad or dessert to complement this meal for approximately 150.



**2014 HASA Schedule of Events**: Events are *usually* held the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month, but in 2014, some months are different...please make note of those dates (DUNN SHRINE CENTER 211 N. Clinton Avenue, Dunn, NC)

Jan 9 $(2^{nd}$ Thursday-6:30)	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
Jan 10 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday)	DJ Joey Warren
Feb 13 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday-6:30)	Set-up for Party
Feb 14 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday)	DJ "King Curtiss" Carpenter (cancelled due to icy conditions)
Mar $13(2^{nd}$ Thursday-6:30)	Set-up for Party
Mar 14(2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday)	DJ Robbie Leggett
Apr 24 $(4^{\text{th}} \text{ Thursday-6:30})$	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
Apr 25 ( <mark>4<sup>th</sup> Friday</mark> )	Gary Lowder and Smokin' Hot
May 8 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday-6:30)	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
May 9 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday)	DJ David Sessoms
Jun 12 $(2^{nd}$ Thursday-6:30)	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
Jun 13 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday)	DJ Bob Stroud
Jul 3 $(1^{st}$ Thursday-6:30)	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
Jul 4 ( <mark>1<sup>st</sup> Friday</mark> )	DJ Mike "Beach Daddy" Hudson
Aug 7 $(2^{nd}$ Thursday-6:30)	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
Aug 8 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday)	DJ Joey Warren
Sept 4 $(1^{st}$ Thursday-6:30)	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
Sept 5 (1 <sup>st</sup> Friday)	DJ Butch Halpin
Oct 9 $(2^{nd}$ Thursday-6:30)	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
Oct 10 ( $2^{nd}$ Friday)	The Blackwater Rhythm & Blues Band
Oct 24 (4 <sup>th</sup> Friday)	Shag-O-Ween
Nov 6 $(1^{st}$ Thursday-6:30)	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
Nov 7 ( <mark>1<sup>st</sup> Friday</mark> )	DJ Gary Brown
Dec 11 ( $2^{nd}$ Thursday-6:30)	HASA Business Meeting & Set-up for Party
Dec 12 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Friday)	Christmas Party with The Magnificents & DJ Gary Bass

**Events for Area Shag Clubs:** We recommend that our members support the area Shag Clubs...they will be glad you did!

September 5 September 5 September 6 September 13 September 14 September 27 September 28 September 30	Sam Co SASS ENO Beach MASS Sandhills Shag Club Raleigh Shag Club FASA Bass Lake Sugarfoot Shag Club	Coharie Country Club, Clinton VFW, Sanford Time Out University Inn, Chapel Hill Southern Pines Elk Lodge, Southern Pines Rockingham Moose Lodge, Rockingham TJ's Nightlife, Raleigh Moose Lodge, Fayetteville Tony's Oyster Bar, Cary Elk's Club, Goldsboro
October 3	Sam Co	Coharie Country Club, Clinton
October 4	MASS	Southern Pines Elk Lodge, Southern Pines
October 4	ENO Beach	Time Out University Inn, Chapel Hill
October 11	Sandhills Shag Club	Rockingham Moose Lodge, Rockingham
October 12	Raleigh Shag Club	TJ's Nightlife, Raleigh
October 17	SASS	VFW, Sanford
October 18	Bass Lake	Tony's Oyster Bar, Cary
October 24	Sugarfoot Shag Club	SHAG-O-WEEN with HASA, Dunn
October 25	FASA	Moose Lodge, Fayetteville

## It is not too late for you to become a member of HASA!

Join HASA or renew your membership for 2014 at our Party on Friday, September 5th

#### MEMBERSHIP FEE IS ONLY \$12.50 ~ good through Dec 31, 2014.

Attached is the HASA 2014 Membership Application ~ you can print it, fill it out and bring it with you to the Party! Membership/renewal is only \$12.50 + you get in <u>free</u> the night you join (when a DJ is playing)! Admission is \$5.00 for existing members; \$7.00 for non-members. Contact Evelyn Proctor regarding new or existing memberships at 910-892-4786 or <u>elproctor194@gmail.com</u> or go online to our website <u>www.hasadance.com</u>. You can also mail it to:

#### Harnett Area Shag Association P.O. Box 2325 Dunn, NC 28335-2325

~~ Good music, fun, food, dancing, entertainment and fellowship ~ a time to meet old and new friends ~~



You will want to check out HASA's website!!! www.hasadance.com

Check back frequently to get news and updates! Be sure to check IMPORTANT NEWS!!

Check out our new Facebook page too!! Be sure to click





Harnett Area Shag Association - HASA Status: Thank you so much for LIKING our "official"... Fans: 152

HASA also has a Facebook Group Page if you'd like to join it

### **GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY**

The membership of HASA is proud to have been able to help these worthy charities with the following donations in 2013:

Dunn Shrinettes - \$600.00

Hospice of Harnett County- \$400.00

Falcon Childrens Home - \$400.00

Dunn United Ministerial Association - \$400.00

Shriners Childrens Hospital - \$400.00

S.A.F.E. of Harnett County - \$400.00

Make a Wish Foundation - \$400.00

## TOTAL: <u>\$3,000.00</u>

## **PLUS**

4 boxes of toys for Toys for Tots at Christmas donated by members & guests at our annual Christmas Party held on 12/13/13



In 2012, we donated a total of \$3,000 and 3 boxes of toys. In 2013, we donated a total of \$3,000 and 4 boxes of toys! That is s total of \$6,000 and 7 boxes of toys to help designated organizations. Let's set a goal of working to donate \$4,000 and 5 boxes for 2014!





# <u>SEPTEMBER</u>

Marianne Gilbert – 1<sup>st</sup> **Ruby Thornton – 8<sup>th</sup>** Ken Krotzer – 9<sup>th</sup> James Bailey – 10<sup>th</sup> John Proctor – 11<sup>th</sup> Billy Raynor – 15<sup>th</sup> Myra Youngblood – 17<sup>th</sup> Heidi Jackson – 18<sup>th</sup> David Pendergraft – 19<sup>th</sup> Deanna Holland – 22<sup>nd</sup> Ronnie Huff – 23<sup>rd</sup> Judi Tucker – 24<sup>th</sup> Debbie Sessoms – 25<sup>th</sup> Cathy Bunce – 26<sup>th</sup> Ann Honeycutt – 28<sup>th</sup> Sheryl Jackson – 28<sup>th</sup> Kay McLamb – 30th



# <u>September 12 - 21, 2014</u>

The end of summer is marked by the days getting shorter & the nights growing longer, a little chill in the night air, & flocks of birds winging their way south for the winter. This all means one thing to shaggers. The Fall Migration is finally here! Buried deep in the instincts of every shagger is the preferred migration destination of soulful dancers with sand in their shoes & rhythm in their hearts, that is Ocean Drive. Every strander feels the need to get to the beach to catch the last golden rays of the summer sun & feel the warmth in the breath of the final summer breeze. They all meet for the last blast of the season at the SOS Fall Migration.

The center of attention for the 10 days of the biggest adult party on the East Coast is the famous SOS lounges. The SOS lounges are Fat Harold's, Ducks, Duck's II, the OD Arcade, the Pirate's Cove & the clubs at the OD Beach & Golf Resort. Each lounge has its own special quality, so you really need to make the rounds through each lounge during your Fall Migration outings. Many member clubs of the ACSC will schedule "tea parties" in the local lounges. The lounges themselves schedule special parties during the migration. Popular bands show up along Main Street playing crowd favorites. Shag dance instructors will offer classes to the masses who are seeking to improve their skill or increase their repertoire of moves.

All though the heart of any SOS event is the nightlife in the lounges at the intersection of Main Street and Ocean Drive, you can't afford to miss the two monster events held right out in the sparkling sun of the crystal coast. You need to mark your calendar & plan to be on hand for both SOS <u>Fun Sunday & Fun Monday</u>!

On the first Sunday & only Monday of the Fall Migration everyone meets in the street for two of the biggest block parties you have ever seen, Fun Sunday & Fun Monday. On Fun Sunday the party is in the street beside the OD Arcade. Some of the best names in beach & shag music will help you rock the day away with a few thousand of your closest friends. Don't worry if you can't get enough fun in one day, because on Monday we are gonna' do it all again. For Fun Monday we will pack Main Street from OD to Hillside with every smooth dancing fun lovin' friend that we can find. There will be great music, dancing in the street, & fun to be had by all. We will also have merchandise vendors, food and drink vendors, & displays set up by the SOS sponsors.

If you are ready for a little adventure, maybe it is time for you to schedule a trip to the wilds of North Myrtle Beach. Maybe it is time for you to join the party at the SOS Fall Migration.

www.shagdance.com (SOS Official Website)

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MEMBER 2014