



THE SHAGGIN'
SHEWS

MAY 2026



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Next Meeting

FRIDAY, MAY 1, 2026

QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING

7:00 PM

DJ TIM BOGGS

CLUB INFORMATION

Lake Norman Shag Club

P.O. Box 21

Denver, NC 28037

www.lakenormanshagclub.com

(Meeting location is Cowan's Ford Golf Club)

2026 LNSC OFFICIERS

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PRESIDENT'S NOTES

MAY 2026

Spring has definitely been a roller coaster of hot, cold, and dry weather. But we've seen a little rain in the past few days so hopefully we are going to begin having some wet weather along. To the golfers, tennis players, pickleball players or anyone going to the ball field, sorry about this wishful thinking. But personally, I'm already tired of dragging the hose around my yard trying to keep things watered.

I was able to attend four fun-filled days at SOS last week. For those that also attended, I hope you enjoyed yourselves as much as I did. The Pour Party was held as usual on Friday afternoon. We had a few less people than we normally have; however, the overall attendance at SOS seemed to be down this spring. It was a beautiful day and maybe folks stayed out on the beach too. We had great representation at the parade on Saturday. The theme we chose to represent the LNSC entry was "LNSC having fun celebrating America's 250th birthday". Jeff Bundy had a beautiful banner made to lead the group. We had several members who walked along side Mack Robinette's restored Army Jeep. The members of Mack's entourage gave out American Flag pins and handheld American Flags to wave. There were quite a few ladies that walked along with a group organized by Robin Morley. We all wore matching T-shirts. This group was quite a site. I hope you have been able to see pictures on Facebook. You can ask me Friday night at club meeting, and I have pictures you can look at also!

I picked up Fun Monday Tickets at the SOS/ACSC meeting on Saturday morning. I have 100 tickets available that I will break into groups of 10, for you to take with you to sell as you go to events. If you would rather not take a group of 10, I will sell the number you want for yourself. Please remember that we have a reputation to live up to. Last year we sold the third most tickets across the Shag Nation. Selling 200 tickets!

I have summarized the Saturday meeting news in a separate document. It will be included in the newsletter and there will also be a copy on your table at the club meeting on Friday, May 1.

Last, but not least, we are still looking for someone or a group of some ones, to chair Chicken Pickin'. It is time to begin to look at themes and set up committees. Please consider taking this party under your wing! Talk to any of the board members if you are interested, or reach out to Stella or Angie, as they can give you some insights and information.

Sandi



ACSC/SOS Board Meeting Announcements

April 25, 2026

The ACSC/SOS Board held a meeting on Saturday, April 25 to update participating Shag Clubs with current information. The following is information that was shared.

1. The Fall SOS/ACSC meeting will include elections on each board.

There will be 3 seats available on each board. The SOS Board will be on a 3-year term. There will be an election for the ACSC Chairperson and Vice Chair.

2. Four new ICONS were announced:

Whit Blanton – Sumpter Shag Club

Mona King – 1st Coast Shag Club

Judy Turner – CSRA Shag Club

Dee Taohig – Charleston Shag Club

3. Summer Workshop

Coming up in July

4. Fall SOS

Fun Sunday will feature Jim Quick and Coastline Band

Fun Monday will feature North Tower, The Tams, Swinging Medallions (hopefully with 4 of the original members).

5. The City of NMB had notified that the street sign “Ocean Drive, Home of SOS” would need to be refurbished, replaced or removed due to its poor condition. Our own club member, Roger Rankin, did a beautiful job of refurbishing it. The Board was very impressed and grateful to Roger for his painstaking work.

6. Foundation Report

Chad Duggins will update our club

FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

Hi Everyone,

We had some summer-like days and then it turned back to some very cool Spring days that seemed to make the attendance low for a few days at SOS, but it was nevertheless a great time of seeing friends at the beach. John and I had to leave the beach early, but we heard it was a great party on Friday. AND thank you to Mack Robinette for the use of his jeep. We won 1st prize for the best vehicle in the SOS parade!!

At the April meeting we had a new member join us, Lee Fuller. Hopefully, Lee will be with us at the meeting on May 1st and you can say hello to him and get to know him.

As of the writing of this article, we have 163 members. That number includes 14 new members and several of you who have recently re-upped. If you have not yet re-upped, you will be removed from the membership list on April 30. At that time, you will no longer receive the monthly newsletter. A few of the club membership benefits: free SOS Pour Parties (Spring and Fall), reduced monthly party fee, free Fish Fry and getting this newsletter each month!!

A reminder that the party this month is on FRIDAY night May 1st.

If you have not yet paid your dues you can still send a check for \$30 per person. Dues can be mailed to Donna at:

**Lake Norman Shag Club
Donna Marsh, Treasurer
PO BOX 21
Denver, NC 28037**

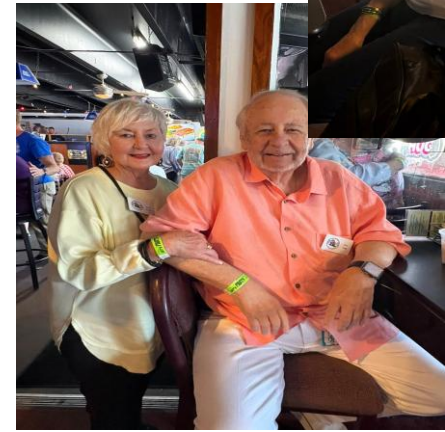
I look forward to seeing y'all on May 1st at 7 pm.

Best regards,
Michelle
LNSC SECRETARY
MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE
Mzstewart8034@gmail.com



SOS SPRING SAFARI





Lake Norman Party Alan 4/24/2026

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SOS Parade (Jeff Bundy)

Lake Norman Shag Club (LNSC) has a long history of participation in the Spring SOS Parade and over the years LNSC has won a number of awards. You may remember last year Mack Robinette, a long time LNSC member, volunteered to include his restored military Jeep as part our entry. You may also remember we won 2nd Place in the Best Vehicle Category.

The parade theme for 2026 was 'Shaggers Just Wanna Have Fun' and the Board decided to have an entry again this year. We also wanted to honor America's 250th birthday so the theme for our entry was 'Lake Norman Shaggers Just Wanna Have Fun Celebrating America's 250th Birthday'. Mack agreed to include his Jeep again this year and we had a number of our members walking along the parade route distributing American flags and American flag lapel pins. Dean Whipp and I leading and presenting our banner, Mack and Benny Brown piloting the Jeep and a walking troupe behind.

We again entered in the Best Vehicle Category and WE WON 1ST PLACE!! I think we were the only parade entry with a patriotic theme, and we must have impressed the judges! The winning entry receives a commemorative certificate along with a cash award. Way to go LNSC members! A big THANK YOU to Mack for entering his Jeep and all our members, and a couple of friends, who participated in the parade. I hope you had fun! I know I did. Many spectators including young people, older folks and veterans stepped up to thank me and our other members for our entry honoring our country. I am very proud to be an American living in this country, proud to be a member of LNSC and thankful I get to enjoy the freedoms our country provides. Thanks again to all the participants!

2026



29th Annual Parade Winners



Best Shag Theme

1st Place: Burlington Shag Club
2nd Place: Rock Hill Shag Club

Most Original

1st Place: OD Shag Club
2nd Place: Bass Lake Shag Club

Shagging Troop

1st Place: Carolina Shag Club
2nd Place: Sandy Beach Shag Club

Best Club Vehicle

1st Place: Lake Norman Shag Club
2nd Place: Smokey Mountain Shaggers

Small Club Award

1st Place: Camden Lugoff Area Shag Society



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

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| Bob and Sheila Bokkon | 5/1/1978 |
| Carl and Brenda Cuthbertson | 5/3/2014 |
| Ron and Anita Lewis | 5/4/2002 |
| Taylor and Carol Duggins | 5/10/1969 |
| John and Dianne Tannery | 5/12/1973 |
| Randy and Jan Sides | 5/15/1982 |
| Chris and Andrea Shook | 5/18/2020 |
| Jeanne and Steve Mager | 5/24/1975 |
| Mike and Sandy Wilson | 5/28/1983 |
| Dean and Nancy Yancey | 5/31/2008 |



MAY BIRTHDAYS



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|-----------------|------|
| Sandy Wilson | 5/3 |
| Carole Petro | 5/4 |
| Judy Kurfees | 5/5 |
| Dave Berger | 5/8 |
| Nathan Sapp | 5/9 |
| Beverly Bowman | 5/14 |
| Betsy Chapman | 5/14 |
| Phil Long | 5/15 |
| Mark Lisy | 5/16 |
| Ruth Ann Steen | 5/20 |
| Melanie Whitten | 5/21 |
| Sandy Hamilton | 5/26 |

Correction to last month's list: Brian Whitten's birthday was 4/26.



JOYS AND CONCERNS

JOYS

We had beautiful weather for SOS!!

We won 1st place in the Parade for Best Vehicle!

CONCERNS

Patsy Fuller- recovering from hip surgery and
shoulder surgery

Junior and Sarah Little - health issues

Remember those who have lost loved ones or those
in bad health.



SOS & ACSC Workshop DATES 2026

SOS Spring Safari

April 17-26

**ACSC Summer
Workshop - Columbia, SC**

July 17-19

SOS Fall Migration

Sept. 18-27

SHAG ETIQUETTE

1. Never bring food or drink onto the dance floor.
2. Dance in the direction of the wood grain in the floor and stay in your slot.
3. When asking a person to dance, do so politely. It is equally acceptable to ask a man or woman to dance.
4. Dance small. Don't dance all over the floor or in circles.
5. At the end of the dance, thank your partner and escort your partner back to his/her table.
6. If you want to dance with someone who is obviously with a date or partner, it is polite to ask the date or partner if they mind if you dance with their date.
7. Typically it is good form to accept an invitation to dance, but if you don't want to dance, say, "No thank you", politely.
8. If someone says "No thanks", do not be persistent, take them at their word.
9. It is impolite to correct your partner or offer instruction on the dance floor.
10. It's a fairly accepted practice that when a collision occurs on the dance floor, apologize, even if it wasn't your fault.
11. Shaggers and line dancers may dance to the same song. Be respectful of other dancers.
12. Step off the dance floor if you're not dancing.
13. If dancing with a less experienced partner, dance at the level your partner can handle.
14. Leaders, if you must count and give verbal leads, speak softly enough so only you and your partner can hear.

THE JUNCTION

1. 04 S. MAIN STREET

CATAWBA, NC

PRESENTS

OLD SCHOOL
VINYL PARTY

SUNDAY
MAY 3RD
3-7 PM

FEATURING:
DJ STEVE BAKER
DJ JERRY HILL
DJ JOHNNY COTTINGHAM
DJ CLYDE WALLER
DJ BONNIE LEGGETT
DJ "FISH" MEADOWS



Communication Committee

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Sandy Wilson – Social Media- 828-381-6044

Stella Duggins – Social Media – 704-451-1078

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Patsy Fuller – Shagaholic Newsletter- 704-678-5898

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704-661-6007

**Please contact us if you have information to
communicate to the club.**

**In addition, please share your pictures, stories,
travels, recipes etc with us.**

Let us know what you would like to see.

LNSC 2026 SCHEDULE AND DJ'S

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| JANUARY | SATURDAY- 1/3 | Gene Hensley |
| FEBRUARY | SATURDAY- 2/7 Business Meeting | Johnny B |
| MARCH | SATURDAY- 3/7 | Scott Smith |
| APRIL | SATURDAY- 4/4 | Tommy Samole |
| MAY | FRIDAY- 5/1 Business Meeting; <i>Date change</i> | Tim Boggs |
| JUNE | SATURDAY- 6/6 | Curtis Treece |
| JULY | SATURDAY- 7/11 <i>Date change due to holiday</i> | Gene Sistare |
| AUGUST | SATURDAY- 8/1 Business Meeting | Butch Davidson |
| SEPTEMBER | SATURDAY- 9/5 | Donnie Meadows |
| OCTOBER | SATURDAY - 10/3 | Phil Long |
| NOVEMBER | SATURDAY- 11/7 Business Meeting | Billy Fanning |
| DECEMBER | SATURDAY- 12/5 | Robbie Leggett |

- *Dates are subject to change*
- *Club business meetings are second month of each quarter*
- *6:30 Social; 7:00 Club business meeting; Party after meeting*



ACSC Summer Workshop Park & Party

Columbia, S.C.
July 17 - 19, 2026



\$110 per person

Hosted by the SOS Board

www.shagdance.com



Thursday, July 16.
Pre-Party
Congaree Ballroom
Cash Bar
DJ GLEN PRIDGEN
Doors open: 7 pm
Registration: 6 pm

Double Tree by Hilton 2100 Bush River Rd,
Columbia, SC 29210. Bush River Rd at I-
20 Room Rate: \$119 Book online at
<https://hil.tn/gp105e> or call 1-866-247-
3572 and referencing group code:
CDT923. Reduced Hotel Room Rate ends
on June 16, 2026 or when rooms run out.
Spacious Ballroom with Professional
Dance Floor.

FRIDAY July 17

7:00am-10:00am Buffet breakfast for Hotel Guests
9:00am-Noon SOS Board Meeting - Capital Room
2:00pm-9:00pm Registration

Lexington Hospitality Suite
4:00pm-6:00pm DJ PHIL LONG

Congaree Ballroom
6:00pm-9:00pm DJ BILLY FANNING

9:00pm Spotlight Dance
CHAD & STELLA DUGGINS

9:00pm-Mid-Night DJ FURMAN DOMINICK

SATURDAY July 18

8:00am - 10:00am Buffet breakfast for Hotel Guests
4:00 pm- 9:00pm Registration

Pool Party - BYOB - No Glass Please
11:00am - 3:00pm DJ RICHARD CONNER
Noon-2:00pm Hot Dogs & Hamburgers for \$6
1:00 pm-2:00pm Complimentary Beer & Wine

Newberry Hospitality Suite
4:00pm - 6:00pm Beer, Wine & Snacks

Congaree Ballroom
9:00am - Noon ACSC Board of Advisors Meeting
2:00am - 4:00pm DJ JOHN FLETCHER
2:00pm - 3:00pm Line Dance with BRENDA TAYLOR
3:00pm - 4:00pm Shag Workshop with
CHAD & STELLA DUGGINS

4:00 - 5:00pm Open Dance
6:00pm- 9:00pm DJ KEITH WILLIAMSON
7:00pm - 8:00pm Buffet Dinner Served at Ballroom
9:00pm - Close DJ JOHN SMITH

SUNDAY, July 19

8:00 am - 10:00 am Buffet breakfast for Hotel Guests

Thursday Pre-Party
Friday Hospitality Suite
Dance Floor - Open Bar
Heavy hors d'oeuvres Friday

Pool Party
BYOB - No Glass

Line Dance Lessons with BRENDA TAYLOR

Shag Workshop with
Chad & Stella Duggins
50/50 & Auction
Fabulous Vendors

\$110/ person

Reserved Tables of 10 are available for more info contact
Wanda Cavin at wbcavins@gmail.com
or call 704-677-3886

Make checks payable to SOS and Mail to: Wanda Cavin, 134 Venus Ln, Mooresville, NC 28117 or pay on-line using a Credit Card at www.shagdance.com

Name(s) _____ Amt. Enclosed: _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____ Shag Club _____

Shag Club President or Representative (Y/N) _____

Confirmation by Email No One under 21 No Refunds-Name Changes Allowed