

LAKE NORMAN SHAG CLUB

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THE SHAGGIN' SHEWS



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Message from Your President

Those of you attending our January club meeting know that I said one of my goals for 2013 was to bring our newsletter back to life. Well, here it is! I hope you enjoy this first edition of 'The Shaggin' Shews'. It's been some time since LNSC published a newsletter. There are several reasons for this but I think the main reason is lack of participation. Mike and Marcia Felts were our most recent 'Editor and Publisher' and did a great job but just like those before them, the lack of contributions (i.e. pictures, stories, articles, etc.) from our members (and I am including myself in this category) was burdensome and caused the demise of the 'Big Time Scoop'.

I think everyone enjoys reading about fellow members as well as learning about some of the happenings in the shag world. This first edition introduces our new design along with a new newsletter name. We will start small and grow as our members participate by submitting pictures, articles, stories and anything they feel would be of interest. Please show your support for our new volunteer Editor and Publisher, Pam Bundy, and send in those pictures and articles.

I also would like to thank you for allowing me to be your President in 2013. I have set 5 goals for myself. (1) Do all I can to help our members have fun. (2) Grow LNSC membership. (3) Do all I can to help our members have more fun. (4) Bring our newsletter back to life. (5) Do all I can to help our members have even more fun!

I can only accomplish these goals with your support.

Jeff

2013 Officers

President.....Jeff Bundy
Vice-President...Ken Hayes
Secretary.....Del Meadows
Treasurer.....Wanda Cavin

Past President....Sonny Brown



Committee Chairs

Membership.....Lance Muse

Webmaster.....Jean Rome

Newsletter.....Pam Bundy – <u>bundyj@bellsouth.net</u>

Joys & Concerns......Glenda Brown

Chicken Pickin'......Donnie & Sue Warren, Chad & Stella Duggins, Stan & Shirley Bush

25th Anniversary of the Chicken Pickin'- 2013

Another Wonderful Chicken Pickin' is in the Books!

There are no words left to describe this awesome party that just gets better every year. Our many thanks to all our guests. We could not do this without you. This party has become a family reunion to many of us. If you have not joined the family, you don't know what you are missing. 3 nights of great music, dancing, socializing and just plain FUN!

Thursday night was raining and cold, yet we had one of our largest crowds. Friday and Saturday were jammed packed with tons of memories. Our club members will never forget the 'Gangumstyle' dance and the look on Karen and Alan's face as we surprised them. Ticket sales from the beautiful quilt Karen Giunta made were so successful; we were able to make a \$1500 donation to Hospice in Lincoln County.

A big thank you to our Committee Chairs and club members who worked all weekend to make sure our guests felt welcome and everything went smoothly. Many thanks to Chris and all of the folks at the OD Arcade. Awesome food and great hospitality!

And last but certainly not least, we would not have had this great party without the creative and hardworking team of Alan Williams, aka Charlie Foxx and Karen Giunta. Thank you so much for all you do!!

So until next year, keep those creative juices flowing and let's blow it out the door once again!

Notes from our Guests

To: Wanda Cavin – From: Ronnie Gregory- "Just wanted to thank you and Bill and all your club members for all there hard work, and how much Mary and myself enjoyed your event this weekend. This was a first class event and we will go again. Thanks again for making memories we will always remember the good time we had sharing the lifestyle with all our friends."

To: Karen and Alan – From: Kathy Beliveau – "Thanks again for a great party. I so enjoy sharing time with all of you. This was another fun event, and so glad I was able to attend.

And on Facebook: "A million thanks to all the officers and members for their hard work on Chicken Picken 2013. We think what makes it the best is the warm friendly people in the club. The decorations, food, music and drinks were all great. Our Lake Greenwood guest voted it the number one shag party ever. They say the friendly people made them feel so welcome. We all had so much fun, even more than at SOS. We are so proud to be a small part of such a good group of people, even long distant. Fun! Fun! Thanks, Charles & Earlene Leslie, Cyndi & Wilson Bruce, Judy & Bill Cary and Don McLane."

To: LNSC – From: Dennis and Frankie Johnson- Dear Lake Norman Shag Club, Thank you for inviting us to be a part of your 25th Anniversary Chicken Pickin. You always throw a great party and this one was no exception. We are blessed to have so many wonderful friends and it's always fun to spend time with you.













ACSC WINTER WORKSHOP

The Fayetteville Area Shag Association (FASA) hosted the recent Association of Carolina Shag Clubs (ACSC) Winter Workshop. The members of FASA did a great job hosting the party at the Holiday Inn. Plenty of good music, a large dance floor and an awesome Hospitality Room made for a great weekend. This Workshop is one of the required meetings for member clubs. ACSC Chairman Ken Akin and the other Board members provided club representatives with a review of the business affairs of the association, SOS Chairman Helen Still and SOS President Ron Whisenant gave reports and SOS President Emeritus Dr. Phil Sawyer was in attendance and shared one of his special jokes.

There were two seats on the ACSC Board to be filled and both Don David and Doris Keaton were elected. Thanks to both Doris and Don for their past service and congratulations on your re-election to another term on the Board. Five new ICON Awards were announced. Murl Augustine, Wayne Bennett, Jim Coley, Betty Ladwig and Novalene Powell were honored with this prestigious award. More information about the ICON Award and the 2013 honorees is available on the website www.shaqdance.com.

One final item of business was a discussion on combining the annual ACSC Winter Workshop with the Mid-Winter event at Ocean Drive. Club representatives asked questions and shared their points of view on this proposal. After much discussion a majority of club representatives voted to combine these events. The Board will prepare a change to the association by-laws and a final vote will be held during SOS.

Membership

LNSC currently has 134 members.

Please welcome our new members:

Benny and Sandra Brown Roger Lemmond Jim and Becki Leonard Brent and JJ Murdock Cliff Phillips

And welcome back: CB and Linda Wolfe

JOYS & CONCERNS

- Congratulations to Gwynn and Jennings Ford on the birth of a new Granddaughter.
- Congratulations to Sharon Abernathy on the upcoming wedding of her daughter, Georgia to Scott Cameron on Sunday, April 7, 2013
- Continued prayer for Carolyn Brewer
- Continued prayer for Josh Lusk (Mack Robinette's son-in-law)
- Continued prayer for Jeff Bundy's sister, Donna Gardner
- Continued prayer for Sonny Brown
- Prayers for Cindy Augustine who will begin treatment in May for breast cancer
- Congratulations to Donnie and Sue Warren on the birth of a new Grandson.

Glenda Brown - 4/2/2013

APRIL BIRTHDAY'S

4/2	Doyle Mintz
4/3	Lance Muse
4/4	James Smith
4/6	Shirley Bush
4/8	Marcia Felts
4/15	George Schieren
4/17	Jan Beam
4/20	David Galloway
4/25	Jean White



HAPPENINGS

April 6, 2013- LNSC Meeting- 7pm April 12-21- SOS Spring Safari

April 19 - LNSC Pour Party - 3-5pm-OD Arcade

April 20 - Parade @ 1:00pm

July 12-14- ACSC 2013 Summer Workshop in Atlanta, GA

September 13-22 – SOS Fall Migration

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Where to find information in the Shag World:

www.lakenormanshagclub.com

www.shagdance.com

www.shagtour.com



Next Meeting

Saturday, April 6, 2013- 7:00PM@ Cowan's Ford

DJ will be Kyle Beam

See you there!

LAKE NORMAN SHAG CLUB

Lake Norman Shag Club was organized in 1983 to promote the ever-popular dance of the south, "The Shag." Our current membership is 134 shaggers. Lake Norman Shag Club meets the 1st Saturday night of each month at Cowan's Ford Golf Club.

Directions: From I-77 Take Exit 25. Go west on Sam Furr Rd (Highway 73). Go past Cowan's Ford Dam, Turn right at the next light (Club Drive) 1 mile on the left. Address is 761 Club Drive. From Hwy 16. Take Hwy 73 East, go 2 miles, 2nd red light, turn left on Club Drive, 1 mile on the left.