

# February 2023

## Board of Directors & Key Contacts

<b>President:</b> Roy McSwain	843-329-9583
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Vice President:</b> Tim Weaver	843-729-5644
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President:</b> Michael Dopkant	843-259-1654
<b>Treasurer:</b> Jimmy Droze	843-819-3689
<b>Secretary:</b> Terry Hess	843-478-9178
<b>Director:</b> Cody Ahl (2023)	843-709-4351
<b>Director:</b> Kevin Ahl (2024)	843-345-2082
<b>Director:</b> Ronnie Freitas (2024)	843-270-0813
<b>Director:</b> Chris Hollowell (2023)	843-343-9469
<b>Oasis Mgr:</b> Ben Waring	843-296-2223
<b>Kitchen Mgr:</b> John Kilcoyne	804-305-9119
<b>Campground Mgr:</b> Michael Dopkant	843-224-9111
<b>Membership Mgr:</b> Troy Lawrence	843-898-4135
<b>Parliamentarian:</b> Kevin Merritt	843-224-9111

## Monthly Meetings

Board of Directors	2nd Wed (Feb 8)
<b>General Meeting (7:00 pm)</b>	<b>3rd Wed (Feb 15)</b>
VIP Escorts Unit Meeting	1st Thu (Feb 2)
Directors Staff Unit Meeting	1st Fri (Feb 3)
Pirates Unit Meeting	*Contact Captain*
Cowboys Unit Meeting	*Contact Sheriff*
Moonshiners Unit Meeting	1st Mon (Feb 6)

**General Meeting with Meal**  
Wed, Feb 15 @ 7:00 pm

## Happy Birthday

*During your birth month, present your ID at the Oasis before or after the GM for 2 birthday drinks.*

## Upcoming Events

Feb 14	East-West Shrine Bowl Game (Las Vegas, NV)
Sat, Feb 12	Omar Organizational Meeting (10 am @ Berkeley Shrine Club)
Fri, Feb 17	BIG Wing Night 2023 Kick-Off (kitchen open 6-8 pm)
Sat, Feb 25	Directors Staff Pea Supper (Dorchester Shrine Club 6pm)
Fri, Mar 3	BIG Wing Night (kitchen open 6-8 pm)
Sat, Mar 11	Kids' Fishing Rodeo
Fri, Mar 17	BIG Wing Night (kitchen open 6-8 pm)
Sat, Mar 18	Omar Drifters St Paddy's Bash Cocktails 5:30pm; Dinner 6 pm



Clubhouse Member Rate: the DSC clubhouse reduced member rate is a privilege for members and their immediate families only and should be used with discretion and not abused. Use of the pavilion, point and/or campgrounds for fundraising must be submitted to the Board of Directors in writing thirty (30) days before the event for approval by the Board (approval is not automatic).



# Dorchester Shrine Club

## From the President: Roy McSwain

Time flies when you're having fun so we must be having the time of our lives! It's the middle of February and we have hit the ground running. We are working hard to put together another great year at DSC—and looking for new and creative fundraisers to maintain and make improvements at DSC and to support Omar Temple and Shriners Children's.

Save the dates on our customary events—BIG Wing Nights, boat races, fireworks show. We're also stepping out with a Carolina Shag dance planned for early fall with live music. In anticipation, we've put together a few opportunities in the coming months to learn or polish your shaggin' skills! The first lesson is at 6:30 pm on Monday, February 20. Our very own Noble Ronnie Bunch will be spinning the tunes. The Oasis will be open and the kitchen will offer hot dogs, fried chicken filet sandwiches, and hot ham & Swiss cheese sandwiches for purchase. Depending on the response to the first one, we'll announce additional dates.

And we're very excited to announce that we are raffling a Pioneer Sportfish 180 this year—get your tickets while they last. Tickets will be available at the first BIG Wing Night for a drawing later in 2023!

Speaking of BIG Wing Night, we're cranking up on Friday, February 17. The kitchen will be open from 6–8 pm. **TYPICALLY**, BWN will be the 1st and 3rd Friday of the month but that is dependent on holidays, other scheduled events, etc. **PLEASE** check our website or Facebook page for specific dates.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, thank you for your continued support. Please reach out if you need are able to help or if you need our assistance. Fraternally, Roy



### 2023 Board of Directors



Congratulations to the newly elected Board of Directors for 2023! These Nobles are vested in promoting the fellowship of the Nobility and in the business management of the club.

- President—Roy McSwain
- 1st Vice President—Tim Weaver
- 2nd Vice President—Michael Dopkant
- Treasurer—Jimmy Droze
- Secretary—Terry Hess
- Director—Cody Ahl (2023)\*
- Director—Chris Hollowell (2023)
- Director—Kevin Ahl (2024)
- Director—Ronnie Freitas (2024)

\*Completing year remaining on Director seat vacated by M. Dopkant

Noble Kevin Merritt and Noble Troy Lawrence have agreed to continue in their roles as Parliamentarian and Membership Manager, respectively. Noble Ben Waring will serve again as the Oasis Manager; Noble John Kilcoyne will return to the role of Kitchen Manager; and Noble Michael Dopkant has agreed to continue as Campground Manager. Other key contacts will be announced. Please reach out to these Nobles if you have questions or can offer assistance.

**Omar Shrine**  
Temple News &  
Events



**Shriners**  
Children's

Please submit articles or flyers for newsletter or website to [info@dorchestershrineclub.com](mailto:info@dorchestershrineclub.com). Copies of the current edition are available in the box at the front gate. Previous editions are available online or in the Oasis at DSC.

Dorchester Shrine Club  
2150 Beech Hill Rd

## FREE CAROLINA SHAG LESSONS

**Monday, February 20**  
Beginner lessons - 6:30 - 7:00 pm  
you are not required to bring a partner to participate

**Open dance - 7:00 - 9:00 pm**  
featuring a variety of dance music

**Food & Beverages Available**  
for Purchase in Clubhouse



*Carolina Shag is a partner dance done primarily to beach music (100-130+ beats per minute in 4/4-time signature)*

### Save the Dates

Several Club events have been tentatively approved for 2023. More information (flyers, registration forms, reservations, etc.) will be forthcoming very shortly but please add these dates to your calendar:

- Kids' Fishing Rodeo: Saturday, Mar 11
- Golf Tournament: Sunday, Apr 30
- Drag Boat Race: Saturday, May 20
- Fireworks Show: Saturday, Jun 24
- Drag Boat Race: Saturday, July 15

We're working on more FUN in the FALL as well—look for updates. And don't forget Imperial Session will be in Charlotte, NC June 30–July 7.

Click Images for Details

**BIG Wing Night is Back!**  
**\$13 per Dozen**



**WET SAUCES**  
 Buffalo - Mild  
 Buffalo - Hot  
 Carolina Gold  
 Garlic Parmesan  
 Hot Garlic Parmesan  
 Honey BBQ  
 Honey Mustard  
 Teriyaki  
 Hot Teriyaki  
 Kickin' Bourbon


**DRY SEASONINGS**  
 Lemon Pepper  
 Ranch  
 Spicy Ranch  
 Garlic Herb  
 Blend (Ranch&Garlic Herb)

**\$4 Kids Meal: Hot Dog or 4 Wings  
 FF, Juice Box & Cookies**

**DESSERT \$3  
 Pie or Banana Pudding**

**\*\*\*GUESTS WELCOME\*\*\***

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**Director's  
 Staff  
 Pea Supper**

**Cash Giveaway**

Drawing on Saturday, February 25, 2023  
 Dorchester Shrine Club  
 Food 6:00 – 7:30 / Drinks 6:00 until  
 \$50.00 Single/Couple Per Ticket

Need Not Be Present To Win!

Donations are for the benefit of Omar Director's Staff and are not tax deductible as a charitable contribution.

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**2023**




**Omar Drifters**

**St Paddys Day Bash**  
 March 18  
 Dorchester Shrine Club

**\$ 100.00 Ticket  
 Admits 2**

**Games, Prizes & More**  
**@OPEN BAR@**  
 Cocktails start at 5 pm  
 Dinner at 6 pm

Entertainment provided by  
**<DJ WIGGY>**

**14<sup>th</sup> Annual Sporting Clay & Skeet Shoot**  
**Omar V.I.P.s**  
**April 15, 2023**

PARTRIDGE CREEK GUN CLUB, HWY 78 RIDGEVILLE, S.C.

COST: \$ 70.00 PER SHOOTER (includes lunch)  
 Make Checks payable to Omar VIPs

Registration at 8:00 AM SHOOT STARTS at 9:00 AM

Team Captain \_\_\_\_\_  
 1. \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. \_\_\_\_\_  
 4. \_\_\_\_\_  
 5. \_\_\_\_\_

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contact #: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*ALL ACTIVITIES WILL REMAIN OUTSIDE\*\*\*** PCR Gun Club  
**\*\*\*Shell Size 2-3/4 ONLY (Not Included) Maximum 105 Targets\*\*\***

Registration Deadline: April 1, 2023

**Mail Entries to: Steve Cooper**  
 206 Finch St.  
 Ladson, SC 29456

**Contacts:**  
 Steve Cooper 843-296-0095  
 Mike Fields 843-200-4109  
 Brett Strickland 843-693-0694

Not Taxable deductible - Proceeds support Shrine Activities

**SEVENTH ANNUAL  
 CHUCK WILSON MEMORIAL  
 GOLF TOURNAMENT**  
 DORCHESTER SHRINE CLUB

**★ 1ST HOLE IN ONE ON  
 SPONSORED HOLE WINS  
 \$10,000! ★**

**REGISTRATION**  
 INDIVIDUAL ENTRY (\$80)  TEAM ENTRY (\$320)

Captain: \_\_\_\_\_ Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Golfer 1: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Golfer 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Golfer 3: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Golfer 4: \_\_\_\_\_

**SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**  
 TITLE SPONSOR: \$1000 - (2) FOURSOMES & CORPORATE BANNER  
 CORPORATE SPONSOR: ≥ \$500 - (1) FOURSOME & (1) BANNER  
 HOLE SPONSOR: \$100 - (1) SIGN

Name of Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sold by: \_\_\_\_\_ Shrine #: \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsorship Deadline: April 22, 2023**  
 Please make checks payable to Dorchester Shrine Club and mail with completed form to: DSC C/O RA Lagelle, 1934 Dubard St, Summerville, SC 29483

For more information, contact:  
 Roy McSwain (843-329-9583);  
 RA Lagelle (843-296-0120); or  
 Ben Waring (843-296-2223)

Contributions benefit Dorchester Shrine Club & are not deductible as a charitable contribution

**SUMMERVILLE COUNTRY CLUB**  
**SUNDAY  
 APRIL 30, 2023**

**7AM REGISTRATION  
 8:30 AM SHOTGUN START**

**BREAKFAST BISCUITS  
 BLOODY MARYS  
 PRIZES & TROPHIES**

**\$80 PER GOLFER  
 \$320 PER TEAM**

INCLUDES  
 GOLF CART, GREEN FEES,  
 TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEE,  
 REFRESHMENTS DURING  
 PLAY & LUNCH

**DORCHESTER SHRINE CLUB PRESENTS  
 ANNUAL INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 24<sup>TH</sup>**  
**\$10 PER CARLOAD**



**PARTY AT THE POINT**

**NO COOLERS PLEASE - FOOD &  
 BEVERAGES AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE**

**GATE OPENS AT 6 PM - FIREWORKS AT DARK**

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