

Bass Lake Area Shag Society

Newsletter

August 2020

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



***Deb Baker,
President***

Greeting BASSLake Members and Friends!

Each month as I get my thoughts together to prepare this message, I cannot believe it's been almost 5 months since we have actually "met"!!! Things seem to be a little better but our Governor is still not budging on our Beach Bars opening. We all have our opinions as far as that is concerned, but I just hope and pray that it won't be long before we can have some type of social again. Our member DJ's Rodney Holmes and Randy Strum did a wonderful job last Sunday PM with the live fundraiser for

Loafers! Loafers and TJ's have been closed since March but are still trying to hang on until we can begin dancing again. Both have had drive-through fundraisers and I am so pleased to see so many fellow shaggers stepping up to support them.

I am sure that you all have heard by now that Fall Migration (SOS) has been cancelled. I agree that this was the best decision to ensure the health and safety of everyone. I know that we will all miss this event but hopefully January Midwinter will take place. And it was just announced that **your SOS cards for 2020 will be valid in 2021!** I have attended SOS since 1988 and have missed 2 since then. Last year was the first time since SOS began that it has been cancelled. We have been very, very fortunate to be able to meet and dance this dance that we all love for all these years. Sometimes we take things for granted but I am sure we will appreciate the time that we can all be together again "safely"!

Our BASS board continues to meet every month via Zoom and this month we decided to cancel our socials until further notice. This could change if things get better. I continue to communicate with Elyse at the Upper Deck. They of course, must adhere to the COVID requirements with only half capacity and proper social distancing. These requirements make it very difficult for us to be able to meet as we usually do. Elyse assures me that they

miss us and will be more than happy to have us back as soon as possible. I encourage you to support the Upper Deck, as well as High Park and Shakey Ray's (the same owner as The Upper Deck).

We as a board continue to try to come up with ways to stay in touch with you as our membership. If you have any suggestions, we certainly welcome them. Please contact me or

any board member. Again, we miss you all and hope to see you again soon.

Please take care of yourself and stay safe!

Deb

Website: [BASS Lake Shag Club](#)
On Facebook: [Bass Lake Shag Club](#)
[Check out photos from our Socials!](#)

Bass Lake Shag Club is now a Corporate Member of **The Association of Beach & Shag Club DJ's**. Check them out [here](#).

2020 BOARD

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BOARD MEETINGS AT 6:30 P.M. ON THE 1ST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH

Online Shag Dance Lessons

Shag Lessons Online with Sam & Lisa West – on Facebook at [Sam and Lisa's Shag Page](#) every Sunday and Thursday. 7pm On Air 7:10pm Beginner Lesson 7:50pm Break 8pm Intermediate Lesson

Shag Dance Essentials – Techniques, Tips and Tricks – on Facebook at [Shag Dance Essentials](#) Monday at 7pm; Basic and Intermediate steps with Stephen Balok and Patty Vo.

Carolina Shag Lessons with Ashley & Tobitha Stewart – on Facebook at [Carolina Shag Lessons](#). They will be posting weekly Shag Steps & Lead Follow videos.

Treasurer's Statement

Statement Period 7/1/2020 to 7/31/2020:

Beginning Balance	\$3674.69
Income	45.00
Expenses	0.00
Ending Balance	\$3719.69

2020-21 ACSC & SOS Schedule:

- September 17-27 - Fall Migration - Canceled
- January 14-17 – Mid-Winter/Workshop
- April 15-25 – Spring Safari
- July 9-11 – Summer Workshop





Special Bulletin

August 9, 2020

Attention: SOS Membership Card Holders!

The SOS Board has met again to hammer out our budget for 2021. The Board has spent countless hours dissecting our budget and trying to find savings in every area for 2021. As you are all aware since the hurricane and Covid-19 pandemic, we have had 3 SOS's cancelled, this is un-precedented and has put a lot of strain on the SOS budget. We have rescinded our prior decision about our 2020 SOS Cards. The new decision effective today, August 9, is that **ALL 2020 SOS Cards will be honored** for the whole year of 2021. The clubs will continue to sell 2020 cards to be used for the year 2021.

The Board appreciates your understanding and support in helping keep our association strong.

Hopefully, we will have a great year in 2021 and we can get back to a lot of norms that we are all accustomed to.

If you have any questions, please call.

Ron Whisenant, SOS President (803-371-4731)

Ronnie Gregory, SOS Board Chair (336-213-7053)

Robin Morley, ACSC Chairman (828-443-5995)

Hear BASSLake Shag Club's Favorite Songs For 3 Hours on Jukin Oldies!

Fessa' John Hook does a 3-hour live show, Dancing on the Edge, every afternoon Monday-Friday on [Jukin Oldies](#). He is interested in featuring our club and 60 of our favorite songs! Please send your list of songs (and also a reason why it's one of your favorites) and any Shout-Out's you'd like to make to Deb at BassLakeSS.President@gmail.com.

We'll let you know what day our club will be featured.





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8/11 Dave Biggerstaff

8/13 BJ Spencer

8/20 Curtis Shelton

8/24 Hal Spencer

8/30 Kristin Meyer

Please notify any board member of corrections or if we've missed YOUR birthday and we will be sure to update our roster!

The Spirit of Radio

Want the current list of the top dance tunes? Click [here](#) to see the list for August on beachmusic45.com!

For streaming Beach Music, give a listen to [RIPTIDE Radio](#) and [94.9 The Surf!!](#)

Check out our member DJs on [Jukin' Oldies!!](#) [Randy Sting's](#) "Shag Dance Party" is Live on Tuesdays from 7-10pm. [Dr. Steve Baker](#) has two shows - "The Cat Scratchin' Show" Wednesdays from 7-9pm and "The Northern Side of Soul" Fridays from 7-8pm.

Also, try [Sound of the Strand](#), part of the Live365 selection of channels.

Bass Lake Shag Club Shirts!



Get our Bass Lake Logo on a variety
of shirt styles!

Contact Jim at

BassLakeSS.WaysAndMeans@gmail.com

For shirt prices and available styles!





DAVID PENDERGRAFT

David is a longtime BASSLake member. He is also a member of the "Association of Beach & Shag Club DJ's". Call him for your DJ needs!

[Contact David](#)



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DEBORAH BAKER

Deb is currently serving as President, and has served in that role for nine years of over a decade of BASSLake Shag Club's existence and has played a large part in the success of our great club!

[Contact Deb](#)

CHECK OUT THESE GREAT MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

BASS annual membership fee is only \$25 - this is a fabulous deal! In addition to a \$2 discount on monthly club social admission fees, membership also provides...

- discounted admission to upcoming events
- free admission to a 1st Quarter social event when you Re-Up or Join-Up*
- information on other local shagging events
- discounted SOS cards

*To qualify for FREE admission to a 1st Quarter BASS social, please complete the [Membership Application](#) on-line via the BASSLake website and pay through PayPal, OR bring a copy of the completed application and your \$25 membership fee to the next social!