

## Bass Lake Area Shag Society

**Newsletter** 

February 2021

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE





Deb Baker, President

Greetings BASSLake Members and Friends!

I cannot believe that it is already February. Time seems to be such a blur these days. Thank goodness for our "smart" phones and all the devices to let us know what the day and date is... or I would be lost!

From all reports, I hear that the groundhog did see his shadow, so I

guess we are in for more winter weather. In normal times, we would be eagerly planning our trips to the beach for DJ Throwdown, SOS and etc., but at this point, we really don't know when we will be able to get together and dance again. No word officially at this point but HOPEFULLY it won't be as long as it has been.

On a more positive note, your BASSLAKE Board continues to "Zoom" each month for our meetings. Who would have ever thought that this would be how we conduct our board meetings! We have all had to adjust to the world's current situation and we are doing our best to meet safely! After some brainstorming, we have come up with the idea of having a virtual Zoom Social and allow you as our members to join in. I have spoken with some of you and everyone seems to be on board and excited about the idea! BASSLake is fortunate to have some computer "savvy members" who are working hard to HOPEFULLY make this happen. Let's all keep our fingers crossed and stay tuned! Details and plans to follow.

If you as members have any ideas and suggestions, please let us know! BASSLake will be celebrating our 14th Anniversary soon. We may be small in membership, but our club has had some great events that have created some lifetime friendships over the years. I am confident that we will come through this all bigger and better if we just have faith and hang on! My motto has

always been that there is a reason for everything. I am not sure what the reason??? Or why?? but I have faith that everything we be ok.

Please take care, stay healthy, "Dance in your kitchens" and I hope to actually "SEE" you all soon!

Website: BASS Lake Shag Club On Facebook: Bass Lake Shag Club <u>Check out photos from our Socials!</u>

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

## **2021 BOARD**

President - Deb Baker

1<sup>st</sup> VP/Social Chairman – Susan Hutchinson

Secretary - Patty Baird

Treasurer - Tom Brawn

Sgt. at Arms – Jimmy Poyner/George Space BassLakeSS.SgtAtArms@gmail.com

Membership Director – Dan Brown

Ways & Means – Jim Adcox

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## **Online Shag Dance Lessons**

Shag Lessons Online with Sam & Lisa West - on Facebook at Sam and Lisa's Shag Page.

Shag Dance Essentials – Techniques, Tips and Tricks – on Facebook at <u>Shag Dance</u> <u>Essentials</u> with Stephen Balok.

Carolina Shag Lessons with Ashley & Tobitha Stewart – on Facebook at <u>Carolina Shag Lessons</u>.

## **Treasurer's Statement**

Statement Period 1/1/2021 to 1/31/2021:

Beginning Balance	\$2,816.58
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Income 55.00\* Expenses 0.00

Ending Balance \$2,871.58

## 2021-22 ACSC & SOS Schedule:

- April 15-25 Spring Safari
- July 9-11 Summer Workshop
- September 16-26 Fall Migration
- January 13-16 Mid-Winter/Workshop



<sup>\*</sup> Income from ad sales



The North Carolina Museum of History has an exhibit on Beach Music, running through Jan 2, 2022. The exhibit includes the history of shag dancing, costumes from some of our favorite bands, and, of course, beach music! For more details, go to their website at

https://www.ncmuseumofhistory.org/beach-music-nc

The museum is limiting attendance to 250 people at a time. Admission is free; tickets are not required, but masks are. Hours of Operation:

Tuesday – Saturday: 9 am – 11 am for immunocompromised and senior citizens

Tuesday – Saturday: 11 am – 5 pm for the general public

Sunday: 12 pm – 5 pm for the general public



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Our own John Humphrey may even deliver!





## 2/16 Susan Hutchinson 2/27 Lou Shelton

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 <u>here</u> to see the list for February on beachmusic45.com!

For streaming Beach Music, give a listen to <u>RIPTIDE Radio</u> and <u>94.9 The</u> <u>Surf!!</u>

Check out our member DJs on <u>Jukin' Oldies!!</u> <u>Randy Sting's</u> "Shag Dance Party" is Live on Tuesdays from 7-10pm. <u>Dr. Steve Baker</u> 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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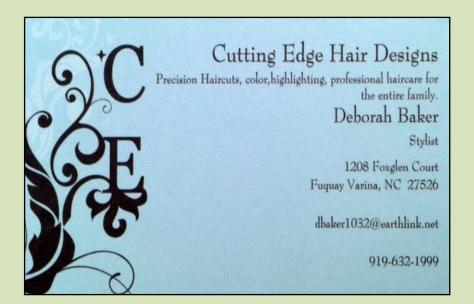
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### JIM & SARA ADCOX

### NEW CLASS FIRST MONDAY OF EACH MONTH

Beginner 6:45
Beginner Intermediate 7:30
Intermediate 8:15 - 9:00

Contact Jim & Sara

#### **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!