



Bass Lake Area Shag Society

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Deb Baker, President



Greetings BASSLake Members and Friends! Well, another SOS is in the books and again it was a great week of fun, sun and dancing! The weather was almost perfect and especially the day of the

SOS Parade! If you haven't heard....BASSLake placed 1st in the Most Original Shag Theme!! Yep, we finally made it happen and it certainly took a army of BASSLake members and friends. It was so much fun!! A lot of work but a lot of fun!

Speaking of fun times, we have some exciting events scheduled for you in the next few months. Our May 26th Social, Our June 23rd Social and our SPECIAL Beach, Boogey and BBQ on July 20th. Tickets will be available at both May and June Socials and we are working on getting online sales up and running on our website. This will be an awesome event that you will not want to miss. Thief of Hearts is a 4 man quartet that sings beach, and blues and we will also have HOF DJ Butch Davidson on hand playing in between sets and serving as your MC.

Your ticket will also include a full BBQ dinner! IWhat a deal for \$30!!! Please stay tuned for more details and get your tickets before they sell out.

We will again continue to offer free BASIC Shag Lessons before all our social at 5:00 in the back room of the Upper Deck.

Please pass the word to anyone who may be interested in learning our dance. Let's share the love of this dance that we all love and enjoy!

Again, please visit our website and our FB Page and be sure to read all our email communications . We have a lot planned in the next few month that you won't want to miss!

See you on the dance floor soon!

Deb Baker

President

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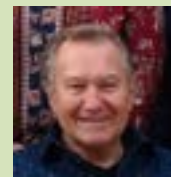
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Bass Lake Shag Club is now a Corporate Member of **The Association of Beach & Shag Club DJ's**. Check them out [here](#).

Treasurer's Statement – Available upon request to Bass Lake members – contact BassLakeSS.Treasurer@gmail.com.

BLSC took 1st place in the SOS Parade !



Website: [BASS Lake Shag Club](#) **On Facebook:** [Bass Lake Shag Club](#)

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One Ad per month will be featured in the Bass Lake Shag Club Facebook Group



Small Business owners can donate items as door prizes to be given away at socials to promote your business. Contact Deborah Baker for more information BassLakeSS.WaysAndMeans@gmail.com

Bass Lake Shag Club Socials

6-9PM

4th Sunday of each month
(*See exceptions below*)

Upper Deck Sports Pub
329 N Harrison Ave,
Cary NC 27513

\$3 Members/\$5 Non-members
50/50 and Door Prizes!

Online membership renewal now available!
Do that here and save time at the door.

Join us May 26th 6-9
with DJ David Pendergraff

Love the music but need a little help with the moves?

We got you!

Be there at 5:00 for a free lesson to learn the basic Carolina Shag steps.



DJ Spotlight on David Pendergraff by Pettis Montague

Our friend and Bass Lake Club member, David Pendergraff will be providing the music for our May social. David is originally from the Apex area and graduated from Apex High School. Recently he has moved to the Wilmington area. After he was grown was when he really started listening to beach music. When going to the beach, he fell in love with the music and made it a point to listen to beach music especially on weekends. He often listened to 107.9 and continued his love with the music.

As a new resident in the Wilmington area, David is working to build his DJ business in this area, while also retaining DJ business in areas such as Bass Lake, Chatham Area, Eno Beach, Kerr Lake and Moore County. Even though developing new DJ business can be slow and tedious, he loves it and doesn't mind the travel and calendar adjustments.

When asked what he loves about being a DJ, he responded, "Listening to the music over and over with different artists until something really stands out." He says he learns something every time. For example, "Depending on the set up, you may hear different instruments coming through and you learn little things that make the music really good." Because David is a dancer, he likes to pick music to dance to properly. He describes it as songs that relate to a good "danceable" song.

David's first DJ gig started in 2012 when he was asked to play monthly at the Brick in Fuquay Varina. This was around the time when Bass Lake was leaving the Brick to meet at Tony's Oyster Bar in Cary. He already had a good collection of music, and The Brick wanted the music to continue. Fellow Bass Lake member, John Humphries, helped David get started and went with him to purchase his first equipment. That was a wise investment because since then David has gone on the play at popular clubs like Loafers and TJ's in Raleigh, and thanks to great weekends in N Myrtle Beach like DJ Throwdown, David has played at Fat Harold's and Duck's. He has also played for shag clubs from Fayetteville to Kerr Lake and from Eno Beach to New Bern including Moore County, Sanford and Twin Rivers and a monthly gig at High Park Bar & Grill in Raleigh. Over the years, David has gained a lot of advice and encouragement from DJ Chigger Woods and the late Roy Childress. He credits these DJ's for "helping to make me the type of DJ that I am." DJ Chigger Woods and our Bass Lake President, Deb Baker sponsored David into the Association of Beach Music & Shag Club DJ's in 2014, an organization with members interested in the preservation and furtherance of beach and shag music and the directly related lifestyles that accrue from it. David sums up what it means to him to play the music that we love by saying, "I feel good when my selections make people want to get on the floor and dance!"

Get ready for Beach Boogie and BBQ with Thief of Hearts July 20th - Doors open at 6 PM



Tickets available at our May social and online now:

<https://basslakeshagclub.com/ticket-sales>

Local Clubs and Events

[Burlington Shag Club](#) – Friday Shag Nights, 7-11pm at Rack & Rolls, 1243 Plaza Drive, Burlington (private club; membership required);


[Capital Area Shag Club](#) – Meets at Loafers Beach Club, 605 Creekside Dr, Raleigh at 6pm.


[Chatham Area Shag Association](#) - Socials on second Sunday of each month, 5-9pm at Captain John's Dockside Seafood Restaurant, 11550 Hwy 15-501, Chapel Hill; \$5 cover. See [their website](#) for details.


[Raleigh Shag Club](#) - Socials the second Sunday of each month (usually), at 5pm after a short business meeting, at TJ's Nightlife, 4801 Leigh Drive, Raleigh.


See [TJ's NightLife](#) and [Loafer's Beach Club](#) for other local shag dance options.

The Spirit of Radio

 Want the current list of the top dance tunes? Click [here](#) to see the Smokin' 45 Chart 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.



Happy Anniversary to :

- *David and Connie Deth*
- *Eddie and Joan Jones*

*Don't see your anniversary listed? Please [let us know!](#)



To all our May babies

Bruce Blankenhorn
Dan Brown
John Humphrey
Sara Adcox
Edna Denton
Kim Strum
Joe Renfro
Nikki Yarborough

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

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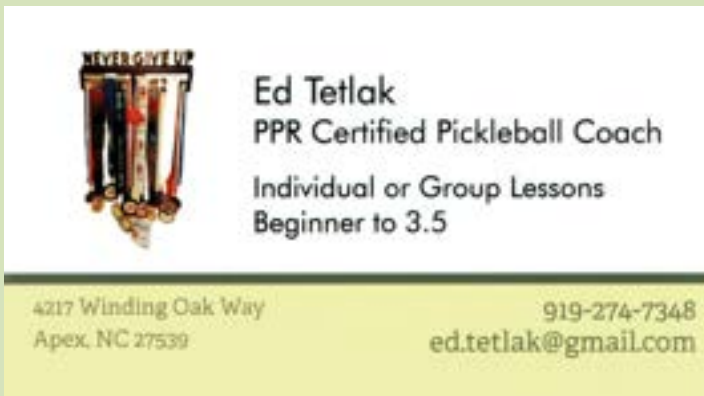
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DAVID PENDERGRAFT

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!

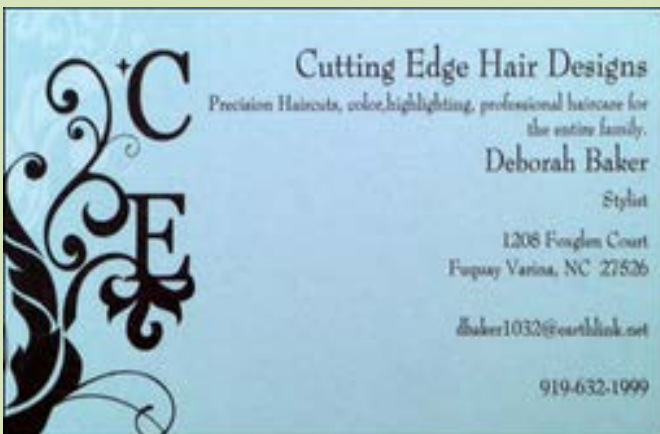
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Ed is a longtime member of BassLake and is a PPR Certified Coach in Pickleball, the fastest growing social sport in America. Individual and Group rates available.

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DEBORAH BAKER

Deb is once again serving as our President and has served BASS Lake Shag Club for over a decade. She has played a large part in the success of our great club!

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RICKIE LIPSCOMB

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Jennifer Dollar - SPF Wellness Coaching

Jennifer and her husband Todd have been members of the Bass Lake Shag Club for 3 years now. She currently serves on the Board in the Publicity/Newsletter role.

Jennifer works with people to help them become spiritually, physically, and financially well so they can live lives of vitality and purpose.

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Teresa is one of the Bass Lake originals when we met at the Brick in Fuquay. She is an experienced Realtor who knows the area. Contact her today ennisteresa1@gmail.com

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!*