



DCHDC July 18, 2022 News Updates

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Greetings: Members, Guests and Friends,

Hello to all,

Salute to the **Red** White and **Blue**:



Ok, I know I am partial, but... the DCHDC has the BEST Dances. We had a crowd even with the bad weather. And that was some nasty weather out there. We must be doing something right. A great big thank you to all of you from far and near that made the effort to join us at the “Salute to the Red White and Blue Dance “. We are troopers to say the least. Our Patriotic Spirit was off the charts. We had a wave of Red ,White and Blue out there among the tables. The dance lesson by Louise Pyles was a real hit with some classic HD moves and the music by Tony G kept us dancing all night long. Thanks, Tony for bringing back the Birthday Dance. We saw several new faces and faces we have not seen in a while. Welcome to all. The turnout was not bad for a rainy night, 75 members and 15 guests, and the 50/50 raffle winner received \$175.00. Not a bad night. Our dance theme for the **August 20th dance is Mardi Gras**. We hope to see you there. Bring a friend, a neighbor or a former member. Join us for fun, friendship and dancing.

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Put a smile on your face and come dance with us.
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A special thank you to those that helped to decorate, clean up and man the front desk. We could not make this happen with out you.

Decoration set up: A great job by all. The decorations looked great.

Ellen H
Duane P
Jeff F

Betty G
Tony G
Jerry H
Lynn H
Donna K
Ed W
Phyllis C

Clean Up:

Ellen H
Duane P
Jeff F
Betty G
Tony G
Jerry H
Lynn H
Donna K
Ed W
Phyllis C
Charlene D
Pat S
Jay B

Registration Desk:

Donna Krissilas
Tony Magnotto
Carma Latvala
Joe Mogavero
Lynn Hepak

Special Effects:

Carlos N- Photos and posting of the photos

SHOUT OUTS & KUDOS:

1. Darryl I - for assisting Phyllis with taking back and swapping out our next two months of decorations at the Fort Knox Supply Shed
2. Ellen H - for donating 20 bottles of sanitizer.
3. To all of our Members and Guests that challenged the heavy rain to get to the dance
4. To all Members and Guests that support the weekly and monthly dances. Without your attendance there would be no club.

Attendance for the dance:

75 members and 15 guests in attendance.

Our next goal is 130 guests/members. We Can Do This!

Recruitment: We are continually reaching out for guests to join. We also need you to keep your eyes and ears opened for someone that is interested in dancing. We have business cards to hand out if you need them.

Glory Days Update:
3 Lee Air Park Dr.
Edgewater, MD

Glory Days is back to having a dance lesson each week. We had two good weeks of attendance, let's keep it up.

Glory Days - Dancing for July

Dance instruction by Louise Pyles/Merv Roussell

July 24 Dance lesson with Merv Roussell dancing with DJ Jammin George
July 31 Dance lesson with Merv Roussell dancing with DJ Tony G

Glory Days - Dancing for August

Dance Instruction weekly by Louise Pyles / Merv Roussell

August 3 Dance Lesson with Merv Roussell dancing with DJ Dr. Jay
August 10 Dance Lesson with Louise/Merv tbd - dancing with DJ Buddman
August 17 Dance Lesson with Louise/Merv tbd - dancing with DJ Tony G
August 24 Dance Lesson with Louise/Merv tbd - dancing with DJ Jammin George
August 31 Dance Lesson with Louise/Merv tbd - dancing with DJ Tony G

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Alibis Update:
7935 Elizabeth Rd
Pasadena, MD 21122

**Weekly Dancing and weekly dance lessons.
Dance lesson 6:00 to 7:00 pm with instructors Sondra Riley and Darryl Ingram.
Dancing 7:00 to 10:00 pm**

Alibies Dancing for July:

Dance Instruction weekly by Sondra Riley and Darryl Ingram

July 19 Dance Lesson with Darryl Ingram dancing with DJ Dr. Jay
July 26 Dance Lesson with Sondra Riley and Darryl Ingram dancing with DJ Buddman

Alibis – Dancing for August:

August 2 Dance Lesson with Sondra Riley and Darryl Ingram dancing with DJ Ron C
August 9 Dance Lesson with Sondra Riley and Darryl Ingram dancing with DJ Kathy K
August 16 Dance Lesson with Sondra Riley and Darryl Ingram dancing with DJ Dr. Jay
August 23 Dance Lesson with Sondra Riley and Darryl Ingram dancing with DJ

Ron C

August 30 Dance Lesson with Sondra Riley and Darryl Ingram dancing with DJ Jammin George.

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Bowie Elks

1506 Defense Hwy
Gambrills. MD 21054

Doors open 6:45pm

Dance Lesson Starts at 7:00 to 8:00

Dance Instructors: Eddie Arrendondo 7:00 to 7:30 **Beginner**

7:30 to 8:00 **Intermediate**

DJ - Buddman

Please be on time for the lessons. You don't want to miss either one.

*****Up Coming Monthly Dance Dates: Bowie Elks Lodge *****

August 20 - DJ Buddman - Theme - Mardi Gras DJ Eddie Arrendondo

September 10 - DJ Ron

October 15

November 19

December 10

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SAVE THE DATE: NYE Dec 31, 2022

Oh Yeah ! We Did It ! Yeah We Did !

We put down the **deposit** for New Years Eve 2022- 2023

Same place as last year – Double Tree by Hilton by the BWI Airport.

Room Rates at the low price of \$99.00 plus tax.

Boogie on the James - Richmond Shag Club - August 2022

In the past this has been a popular event with our club. If you want the entire email let me know. Email me on Presidents email or email the link below.

There are a few of us already going. Let Phyllis , Lynn or Carma know if you are going so we can arrange to sit in the same area. It's a fun trip

and not too far away. We already have a table of 8. Some of the NVSC are also going.

The Richmond Shag Club “Boogie on the James” party to be held on August 12 – 13 at the DoubleTree in Midlothian. This year’s theme is “The Richmond Shag Club Takes You to the Beach”. We’ll have an early bird party on Thursday night August 11th for party attendees. The party will continue through Friday 12th and Saturday 13th. Over the weekend, we’ll enjoy two plated dinners, (chicken Friday, and beef tips on Saturday), and two complimentary drink tickets for each Friday and Saturday night socials, followed by an open cash bar each evening.

Tickets are priced at \$110 per ticket if bought before July 12. After July 12th the price of a ticket price increases to \$115. Ticket prices this year are higher than last year due to significant food and drink cost increases experienced this past year.

Hotel rooms are available at the Doubletree at the rate of \$125 per night. To reserve, please call 804-379-3800, and ask for the “Richmond Shag Club” rate.

For more information, contact Pat Whitmer at patwhitmer77@gmail.com.
Check our website at www.RichmondShagClub.org for updates

Myrtle Beach SOS Dates: Do You Have Your SOS Card ? For September? If you are going get your SOS pass from Lynn Hepak.

September – Fall Migration – September 15 to September 25.

There are some club members that have already made Hotel or Condo reservations to attend this event. If you are planning on going in Sept make your condo or hotel arrangements now. April Safari had a good crowd. I think September will be well attended.

The more members that go, the more fun we have.

*****Please let Phyllis or one of the board members know if you are going to the September event. In the past, DCHDC always had a party on Wednesday afternoon and it was open to the other clubs. If we know that at least 30 of our members are going we will research to have a party Wednesday afternoon.**

If you have never been to SOS you are missing a fun week of dance, socializing, meeting new friends and then there is also the beach. People do dance on the beach, and in the street. It is like Spring Break for Adults. September draws a larger crowd.

Note:

If you are going to the September event, book your arrangements NOW!

You do not have to go for the entire 10 days. Most places want at least a 5 day rental. It is cheaper in some places to book 7 nights.

If you want to learn more about SOS go to WWW.shagdance.com

If you have a questions ask Phyllis or Kathy K.

We have membership forms at the weekly and monthly dances. You can also go on our *website* and download the form from there and mail it in or go to www.DCHandDanceClub.net. Or, Lynn Hepak will scan and email you a copy of the form. We are recruiting new members at almost every event. *Welcome* to all of the new members. We are happy to have you join our family of dancers.

Membership Renewal –you can renew on line from the webpage, go to **Members Only**.

Member renewal update: We are proud to say we have 245 registered members.

NEW Members are always welcomed to join.

Sponsors invited:

The DCHDC in previous years had vendors that sponsored our club via advertisements in our newsletter or in the MMATB booklets. Would your company or business like to sponsor a dance lesson, door prize or snack tray etc. at one of our Monthly Dances. If you or your company or business is interested in being a sponsor, please email dchdcpresident@gmail.com.

Reminders:

1. Please let us know if you have a change in phone number or email address. Contact Maria LiCalzi at mvlicalzi@gmail.com or send email to DCHDCpresident@gmail.com.

2. The DCHDC is down one board member. Our Secretary position is still vacant. The Board should consist of 7 board members to vote, meet to discuss and plan activities for the good of the club. We need another good person to join the Board and work as a team to fulfill the Club's mission. Please see one of the board members for details or questions or send an email to the DCHDCpresident@gmail.com.

3. Don't forget to check out the Members Only section of the web page. You can see the Membership Form, Sunshine Report, Financial Report, Birthdays and more.

4. Please clear off cups and trash from the table upon your departure from the event. This will make clean up a lot smoother.

Thank you for your friendship and participation.

"Put a smile on your face and dance"

Phyllis Crutchfield - President



SOS Card

SOS Cards are for sale. Cards are \$30 now or \$35 when you get to Myrtle Beach. See Lynn Hepak for your purchase.

The SOS card is good for the following dates:

January - 15, 2022 Mid Winter

April - 21, 2022 to May 1, 2022 Spring Safari (**We have members going**)

June - 8, 2022 to June 10, 2022 Summer

September – 15, 2022 to September 25, 2022 Fall Migration, This is the most popular event that our club members attend. If you plan to attend get your SOS Card from Lynn. **Make your reservations now for Sept.**

Note: You are responsible for making your own accommodations. Let the board know if you are planning to attend. The more of us that go, the better time we have.
