



March Newsletter

Message from the President:

Hello to all the members.

Our last shag club membership meeting and Valentine Party was held at and with Memories Beach Club on February 9, 2019. We had 52 in attendance. The food was outstanding, Thank You Katharine Turrone. All the ladies in attendance were given a red rose. Thank You to Bob Upchurch and JoAnn Norton who purchased for the club and wrapped.

Attached to the newsletter will be the minutes from the meeting. Please review the minutes as they will be approved by the membership at our next social on April 20, 2019 Pre-SOS Party with Memories Beach Club. I thank each of you for your continued attendance, support, and cooperation. Our shag club has grown to 147 members. Thank you to all new members.

Your Board and Chair Members met Tuesday March 5th, 2019. Anna Bradshaw, our Communications Chair, sent out a questionnaire weeks prior to our meeting requesting your vote as to participating as a sponsor in the 2019 Atlantic Beach, Beach Music Festival at a \$500 sponsorship. 38% of the membership sent in their responses with a majority of yes votes. 52 yes, 3 no. The board approved this

sponsorship. The free gifts including tickets to Double Tree and Memories, t-shirts, etc. will be given out as door prizes at our Pre-SOS social. We thank those of you that took the time to vote. We still need volunteers to work the tent from 11:00 am to 6:00 pm. We only have 3 volunteers at this time. Please contact us if you would like to volunteer if only for 1 hour.

We are working towards shag lessons for juniors, or high school age students. We have not finalized these ideas and plans. The board will continue to work toward getting input from the membership as well as the Memories Investors. Plans will be forthcoming.

Bob Upchurch, Joe Honeycutt, and Carl Bowen are working together to provide the Revers Raffle, our fund-raiser, on Sunday, June 23rd, 2019. The total payout will be \$4,000. \$2,500, \$750, \$500, \$250. The tickets will be on sale for \$20 each. If you buy 10, you get one ticket free. This date will be our reverse raffle, re-up membership, elections, and our membership meeting and party. Mark your calendars as you are needed to attend this meeting and party. Officers for our club will be elected. And big money will go to 4 lucky people. Doors to open at 4:00 pm and the club will remain open until the raffle is complete. The shag club will provide catered food.

Thank you Geraline Castle for your dedication to our membership by sending out cards to those members in need. We appreciate your commitment to our members in letting them know that our club cares about them. Thank you again Geraline Castle for all that you've done for the ABSC membership.

Our Secretary Addie Lou V. Briley will be temporally in charge of the Sunshine Cards. Members please let Addie Lou know of members illness, death in the family, or general health issues. Thank you Addie Lou for doing this at this time.

Members please be aware that pictures are being taken in our meetings to be posted on facebook. Please let our photographer know if you do not want your pictures posted online in facebook as well as our website.

SOS tickets are available through Larry Castle. You may contact him at 252 726 7452.

Thank you so much Larry for all you do to help our club be successful. Contact Larry if you don't have your cards.

Again I want to thank each and every member for being a part of our shag club. Without you the club would not exist. Without Memories the club would not exist. Show your appreciation to the Memories investors by telling them how fortunate we are to have such a fine beach club to be our "home club."

Our elected officers and board continue to strive for transparency in our actions and spending of the clubs monies. If you have concerns or questions please don't hesitate to contact me by phone, email, or in person. We will continue to strive to make our club more successful and prosperous. I appreciate all of you.

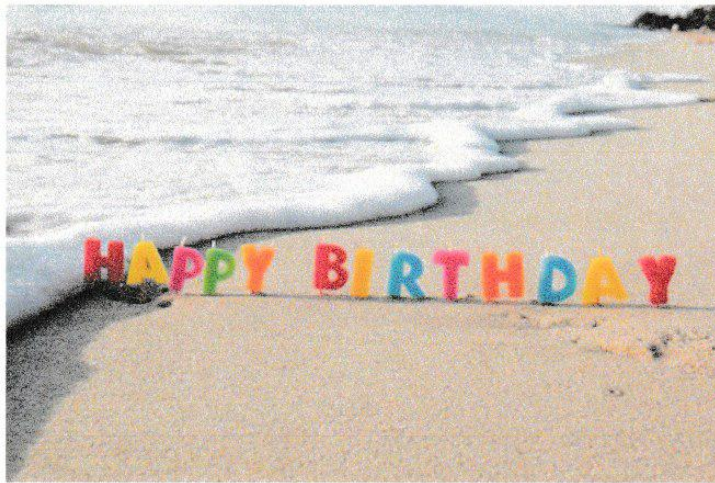
Your President,

Jesse Bradshaw, 910-590-6310, baldy1951@gmail.com

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

PRE-SOS PARTY SATURDAY APRIL 20TH, 2019, DOORS OPEN AT 6:00 PM, FOOD WILL BE CATERED.

RE-UP PARTY, ELECTIONS OF OFFICERS, REVERSE RAFFLE, SUNDAY JUNE 23RD, 2019. DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM UNTIL. FOOD WILL BE CATERED.



March 2 Collin Peel

March 5 Linda Navey

March 6 Claudia Beamon

March 10 Sharon Whitehurst

March 11 Joe Honeycutt

March 11 Dee High

March 12 George Sherman

March 18 Rudy Strickland

March 18 Nola Pritchett

March 20 Al Kindler

March 22 Pete Barnes

March 23 Randall Lovette

March 25 Mary Lee Savage

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Addie Lou V. Briley, Secretary

Bob Upchurch, Fundraising

Joe Honeycutt, Fundraising

Anna Bradshaw, Communications

Katherine Turrone, Social and events

**Working behind the scenes Larry Castle, SOS tickets, and Addie Lou V. Briley,
Sunshine cards**

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website at www.abshagclub.com**

ABSC Membership Meeting Feb. 9 2019 Valentine Social

Memories Beach Club

President Jesse Bradshaw welcomed everyone.

The minutes from the Nov. 17, 2019 Thanksgiving meeting that was sent to the membership was motioned for approval by Katharine Turrone and second by PJ Barbour and passed with consensus. PJ Barbour gave the Treasurer's report. \$6,400 was collected in sponsor donations. Our expenditures were \$3,956.72. Our net profit for the event was \$2,443.28. The current checking account balance as of 2/5/2019 is \$12,046.60 and the petty cash balance remains at \$200. Including today's Valentine Social/meeting Valentines (2/9/19 our checking balance is \$11,776.38

Vice President Anne Upchurch reported information from the January 19th ACSC mtg at OD Beach and Shag Resort that she, Jesse Bradshaw and Larry Castle attended during Midwinter SOS. Currently there are 96 clubs, 15,000 members and 117 ICONS under the ACSC umbrella. Two Board members were elected. One was re-elected and David Galloway from Wilson is newly elected. The ICON Class of 2019 welcomed five new members. Larry Castle and Sylvia Anders of Atlantic Beach Shag Club joined this group in 2015 and 2010, respectively. Fun Monday Raffle ticket winners were announced. Spring Safari dates are April 26-May 5.

Jesse Bradshaw reported:

The membership total is 146 members

Our next Club social will be Saturday, April 20. It will be a Pre-SOS party held at Memories Beach Club.

Larry Castle has the new 2019 SOS cards. SOS cards are \$30 each.

The CSA Dance contest was a huge success. Jesse thanked everyone for their help and support for this event.

ABSC annual reverse raffle FUNd raiser and the Club's annual election event will be held on Sunday, June 23 at Memories Beach Club. Tickets will be \$20 each instead of \$25 as was in past years. It was also reported that if you buy 10 tickets, you will receive one free ticket! Carl Bowen has volunteered to help Bob Upchurch, our Chair, for Fund-raising. Members were asked to please sell tickets for this FUNd raiser event.

All ABSC members that were present at the Valentine meeting/social received magnetic name badges today. Members are asked to please wear their name badges at all Club events. It was also reported that all members who do have on their name badges at socials will have an opportunity to have their name placed in a drawing for a free bar tab.

Respectfully submitted by Addie Lou Vanderford Briley