

CAPITAL CITY SHAG CLUB NEWSLETTER

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CCSC Mission Statement:

THE PURPOSE OF THE CLUB SHALL BE TO PROMOTE FELLOWSHIP AND HARMONY AMONG ITS MEMBERS, TO PRESERVE SHAG DANCING AND BEACH MUSIC, AND TO INTRODUCE SHAGGING TO JUNIORS AND OTHERS THROUGH SOCIAL AND CHARITABLE EVENTS, AND WORKSHOPS.

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Capital City Shag Club
 PO Box 53
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President's Greeting



I hope everyone has had a great first half of the year. We have been able to pack in four Capital City Shag Club events (Valentine's, St. Patrick's, DJ Rumble, and our Anniversary Party), along with two Quarterly Membership meetings, and Mid-Winter and Spring SOS.

Our Capital City and Palmetto Shag Club "Dancing Together" continues to be a great success!! If you haven't attended, you have missed some awesome dancing and socializing.

Our DJ Rumble was a huge success.. We had seven fantastic DJs: Billy Fanning, Barney Mims, Mark Swygert, Dan Spivey, Sammy Rhoden, John Fletcher, and Furman Dominick. Those who helped with set up, preparing the food, serving, Chinese Auction, 50/50, clean up and the DJs are appreciated so much and deserve a big thank you.

Our 16-year Anniversary Party was great! We also had our second quarter membership meeting. DJ Keith Williamson kept the floor packed and alive. A big thank you to Mathias Sandwich Shop for catering. Again, thank you to all of those that helped.

Time is getting closer to our fun-packed, two-day Park and Party, Shag Extravaganza XIV, August 9 & 10, at Embassy Suites. Our DJs are Barney Mims, Gene Sistare, Bill Waldrep, and John Smith. There will be dance lessons with Sam and Lisa West, delicious meals, vendors, Chinese Auction, Silent Auction, 50/50, gift bags, and more fun than you can count on!!! Our Pre-Party will be August 8, at 6:30 at the VFW with DJ Mark Swygert. Henry and I have raffle tick-

ets for the Dell Laptop and sign-up sheet for registration, food line and door. Please take a pack of tickets to sell and sign up. If you haven't gotten your registration in yet, please do so soon. We need items for the Chinese Auction. You can either make a basket or bring items that don't require a basket. Bring them to the VFW and give them to Diane Hinson or myself.

We have some fantastic news! Soda City Live with WIS-TV is coming to the VFW on August 1, to do a segment on Capital City and Palmetto Shag Club Dancing Together!

Don't forget our Junior Shaggers Workshop August 24, at the VFW, 3-7 pm. Get those juniors and RSVP to me. Let's make this as great as last year or even better (we had 40 juniors). The flyer is included in this newsletter with the details (page 9).

Our next catered party will be our Appreciation Party, September 5, at the VFW. We will also have our third quarterly membership meeting. The Nominating Committee will have a slate of candidates for 2025.

We are so fortunate to have the VFW and its staff. It's a great place to dance, socialize and conduct our meetings. I am so thankful for our members and DJs. My happy feet and I are so blessed to have you all as part of my Shag Family!

Vickey Van Frank

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Capital City Shag Club Executive Board 2024



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Capital City Shag Club's Past Presidents

Marlene Steiner, 2008
Will DiMirra, 2009
Bob Mergle, 2010
Cleo Gleaton, 2011
Carole Cooper, 2012

Josiane Horton, 2013
Josiane Horton, 2014
Otis Paris, 2015
Josiane Horton, 2016
Carol Gasque, 2017
Carol Gasque, 2018

Marlene Steiner, 2019
Marlene Steiner, 2020
Carol Richardson, 2021
Carol Richardson, 2022
Liz Smith, 2023

Capital City Shag Club's Committees

Bylaws

Wayne Cabaniss
Rosemary Dalton
Deborah Ward
Duane Ward

Communications

Phyllis McKay

Newsletter

Rhonda Ruff

Photographer

Terry MacKinnon

Membership

Bob Pacific

Nominating

Ronnie Elliott, Chair
Terry MacKinnon
Phyllis McKay
Barney Mims
Janis Ruff

Ways and Means

Bob Pacific

Social

Janis Ruff

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Shawnee Sapp

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Betty Jeffcoat
Janice Thomas
Duane Ward
Jeff Woods
Bob Pacific, Ex-officio
Roxanne Burkett, Ex-officio

ShagX Treasurer

Bob Pacific

DJ Scheduler

Barney Mims

Shag Extravaganza

Henry Dowd, Chair
Bob Pacific
Liz Smith
Vickey Van Frank

Decorating

Liz Smith, Chair
Phyllis McKay
Frances Miller
Janis Ruff
Rhonda Ruff
Deborah Ward
Duane Ward
Judy Wasieczko



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Please give thought and consider serving on one of the CCSC committees. Contact anyone on the Nominating Committee if you are interested in serving on the CCSC Board.



Capital City Shag Club Birthdays July - September, 2024

Happy Birthday !!

JULY

<i>Sandy McKellar</i>	09
<i>Barney Mims</i>	11
<i>Gene Polites</i>	12
<i>Sarah Jones</i>	15
<i>Bill Gurley</i>	20
<i>Ron Stricklin</i>	22
<i>Denise Spivey</i>	23
<i>Jennifer Thompson</i>	24
<i>Kay McClanahan</i>	25
<i>Jeff Parker</i>	25
<i>Harry Woodard</i>	26
<i>Terry MacKinnon</i>	27
<i>Ronald Polites</i>	31
<i>Rhonda Ruff</i>	31

AUGUST

<i>Bob Self</i>	01
<i>Roger Moore</i>	03
<i>Betty Webb</i>	03
<i>Brian Grant</i>	06
<i>Art Dill</i>	07
<i>Susan Martin</i>	10
<i>Lilian Crews</i>	11
<i>Jim Austin</i>	14
<i>Eli Benosky</i>	16
<i>Kristin Hollis</i>	16
<i>Jeff Woods</i>	17
<i>Jan Hall</i>	21
<i>Jim Pettus</i>	22
<i>Scott O'Brian</i>	23
<i>Betty Flake</i>	24
<i>Dennis Gehr</i>	25
<i>Roxanne Burkett</i>	26
<i>Doug Schmoltze</i>	26
<i>Bill Marion</i>	27
<i>Edy Moshey</i>	28
<i>Olga Christy</i>	31
<i>Danny Crews</i>	31

SEPTEMBER

<i>Everette Cooper</i>	03
<i>Pam Russell</i>	03
<i>Carolyn Teeter</i>	04
<i>Diane Hinson</i>	05
<i>Shirley Sanders</i>	05
<i>Dan Spivey</i>	08
<i>Sophia Lenrow</i>	09
<i>Ron Robbs</i>	09
<i>Jerry Shealy</i>	11
<i>Ron Clary</i>	12
<i>Sammy Rhoden</i>	16
<i>Deborah Ward</i>	16
<i>Janice Thomas</i>	19
<i>Pamela Cooper</i>	21
<i>Pam Smith</i>	24

Please email Rhonda Ruff at rlhwuff@gmail.com if you notice a missing birthday, thanks!



Capital City Shag Club Calendars

Monthly Board Meetings are held at the Lexington VFW at 4:00 pm. Meeting dates: 07/09, 08/13, 09/10, 10/08, 11/19 and 12/10.

Quarterly General Membership Meetings are held at the VFW at 6:30 pm. Remaining meeting dates for 2024 are 09/05 and 12/14.

Shag Night - Dancing Together with Palmetto Shag Club: Thursdays and the third Wednesday at the VFW at 424 Cedarcrest Drive in Lexington, SC. Doors opens at 6:30 pm, music at 7:00 pm. Note that there is no dancing at the VFW on the third Thursday of the month.

Please bring a covered dish or dessert to share. If you don't bring a food item, please consider making a cash donation in the Green Box. Also, be sure to support the DJs and bartenders with your generous tips.



2024 Party Schedule

August 8	Pre-Party Shag Extravaganza
August 9 -10	Shag Extravaganza XIV
August 24	Junior Shag Workshop
September 5	Appreciation Party (<i>catered</i>)
October 31	Halloween Party
December 14	Christmas Party (<i>catered</i>)



2024 SOS Schedule

September 12-22	SOS Fall Migration
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Where We Dance !!



VFW
 424 Cedarcrest Dr
 Lexington, SC 29073
 No Cover
Thursdays at 6:30 pm
3rd Wednesdays at 6:30 pm
Hosts: Capital City and
Palmetto Shag Clubs

VFW
 424 Cedarcrest Dr
 Lexington, SC 29073
 \$5 Cover
Fridays at 7:00 pm
except 3rd Fridays
Host: Columbia Shag Club

Dance & DJ Schedule

07/04	No dancing
07/11	Billy Fanning
07/17	Barney Mims
07/25	Keith Williamson
08/01	Billy Fanning
08/08	Shag Extravaganza Pre-Party, DJ Mark Swygert
08/14	Furman Dominic
08/22	Keith Williamson
08/24	Junior Shag Workshop DJs Mark Swygert & Barney Mims
08/29	Dan Spivey
09/05	Billy Fanning
09/12	Mark Swygert
09/18	John Fletcher
09/26	Barney Mims

Dance & DJ Schedule

07/19	No dancing
07/26	Butch Davidson
08/02	Butch Davidson
08/09	Butch Davidson
08/16	No dancing
08/23	Butch Davidson
08/30	Butch Davidson



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Capital City Shag Club 2023 Membership Benefits

Our Membership Year is Jan 1st to Dec 31st. We would love for you to share an exciting year of excitement and fun. Your membership includes:

1. Four Great Catered Parties
2. Junior Shag Day to promote the Shag to the next generation
3. Shagging most Thursday Nights at Our Favorite Shag Place
4. Outstanding Deejays playing Fantastic Beach, Shag Music and a little line dancing
5. Four (4) issues of our Newsletter
6. Communications on upcoming shag events, special events and happenings throughout the Shag World
7. CCSC Facebook page and a website to post and share club events, pictures and other shag related information
8. Membership in the Association of Carolinas Shag Clubs (ACSC)
9. A \$5 Discount on SOS Cards
10. Membership in the National Fast Dance Association (NFA)
11. Friendships and memories to last a lifetime!

Please complete the membership application ([page 10](#)), and make your check payable to Capital City Shag Club, and mail your application and dues to:

Capital City Shag Club
P. O. Box 53
Irmo, SC 29063

Applicants, 21 years of age and older, will be considered for membership. Forms must be signed by all participants. Renew your membership now to stay on our active roster and not miss any announcements.

Thank you!

ccsc Membership Chair

Member News, Sympathy, Prayers

Please continue to keep Steve Rucker in prayer. Let's also lift prayers for J.B. Bolton, and Frances Miller and her husband, W.C., as he continues with his physical therapy. Frances said to let you know your caring thoughts and daily prayers will give them the strength needed for this part of their life's journey. Please add Phyllis McKay and her family as they face new medical issues.

CCSC has a new official website and Facebook page. We hope this will help our members and friends stay in the know about our events, view pictures and partake in a lasting friendship on and off the dance floor. Our new web master is Shawnee Sapp. We owe her a debt of gratitude and a way to thank her is by using the website and liking our Facebook page/posts!



Do you have news, celebrations, milestones that you want to share with club members? Or, if you know of an illness or death of a CCSC member or their family that can be shared, please contact: Phyllis McKay at capitalcityshagclub.sc@gmail.com or 803.924.2844.



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Mary Gregory, the SOS Web Master, has shared the following instructions on how to add the SOS App to your mobile device. The new App allows you to view all the SOS event schedules for the clubs including DJs, bands and workshops. Also, it provides access to the Carefree Times including Archives and ACSC Club Information.

How to Install the SOS App.

1. Scan this QR Code either with a QR Reader or your Camera

	Or if you use your Camera: It will come up  Click on the eventapp.to (box)
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1. If Android Phone Click on the Install Icon at the top  and then click install. (it will be installed)
2. If iPhone, If you Scanned by **QR Code** or clicked on the "**eventapp.to**" box the following screen appears:
3. Then click on this icon:  and **scroll down** and click on "**Add to Home Screen**"



4. Name it: **SOS APP** and Click **ADD**.

EXPLORE OUR CCSC ONLINE PRESENCE!

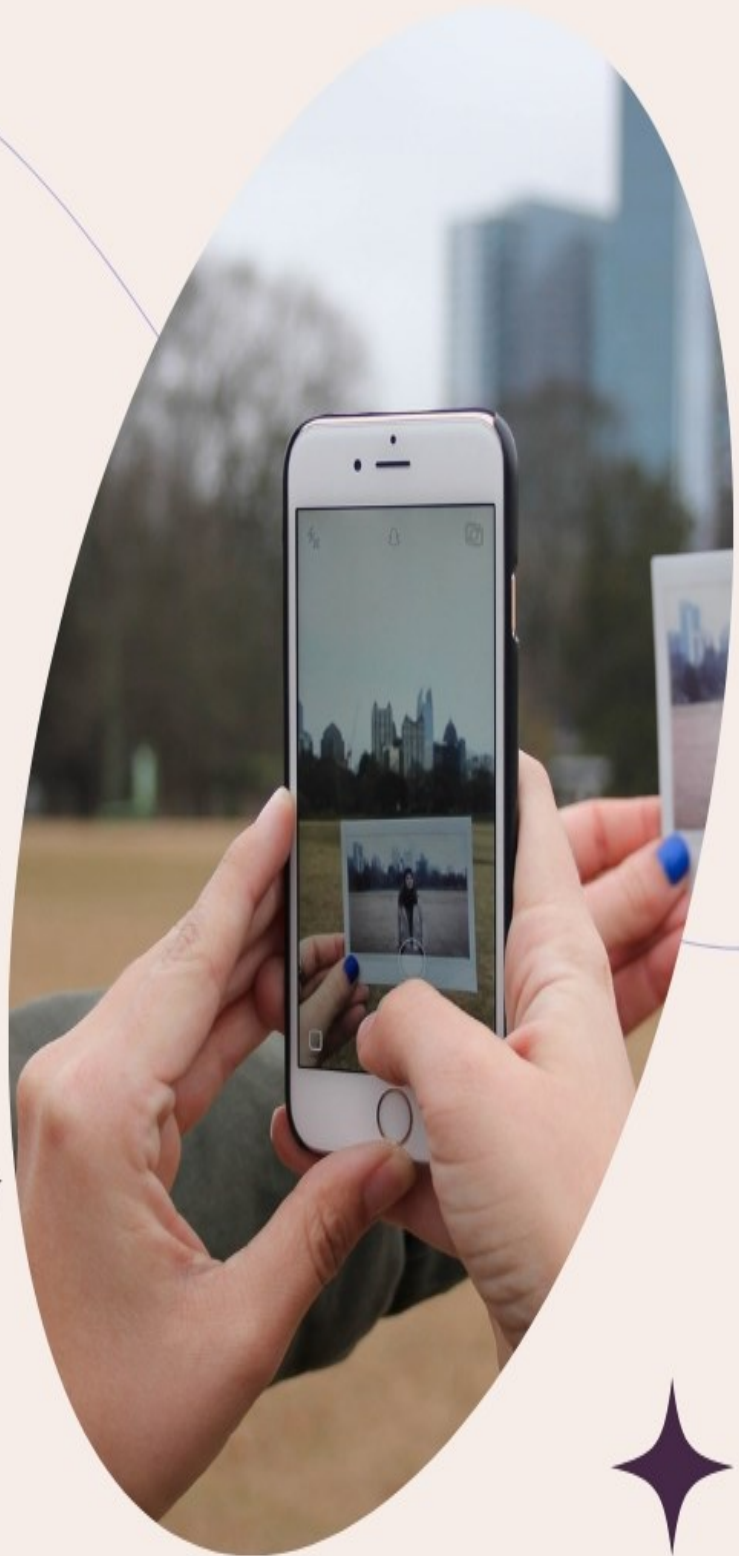
Stay Connected with Us Through Our
Various Platforms:

CCSC Email Address
capitalcityshagclub.sc@gmail.com

CCSC Website with Our Club
Information, Updates on Extravaganza,
Dancing Events, Our Current Newsletter,
and Fun Photos
<https://capitalcityshagclubsc.org>

CCSC Facebook Page with Our Latest
Club Information on Extravaganza, Club
Parties, Weekly Dancing, and Community
Events
facebook.com/ccsc/capitalcityshagclub

CCSC Smugmug Page with All of Our
Fun Photo Galleries
www.capitalcityshagclub.smugmug.com



CAPITAL CITY SHAG CLUB
&
PALMETTO SHAG CLUB
PRESENT
JUNIOR SHAG WORKSHOP
AUGUST 24, 2024 - 3:00PM - 7:00PM

Exciting shag dance workshop for
beginners, intermediate, and advanced juniors of all ages!



Last year's Junior Shag Workshop participants!

Food and beverages will be provided free of charge.

Dance Instructors:

*Ivy Claire Huiet and Jackson Batten
(National Shag Champions)*

DJs Barney Mims and Mark Swygert will be spinning the tunes!

Lexington VFW Post 8738, 424 Cedarcrest Drive, Lexington, SC

***RSVP** by text to Vickey Van Frank
803-837-2415*



Capital City Shag Club

Columbia, SC

Membership Application

January 1—December 31

Year 2024

Mail completed application with payment to:

Capital City Shag Club — PO Box 53 — Irmo, SC 29063

capitalcityshagclub.sc@gmail.com

Check One: RENEWAL NEW MEMBER

#1 Last Name _____ First Name _____

#1 Mailing Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

#1 Phone# _____ Birthday: Month ____ Day ____ Occupation _____
(if retired, what was your occupation)

#1 Email: _____ Other Shag Club Affiliations _____

#2 Last Name _____ First Name _____

#2 Mailing Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

#2 Phone# _____ Birthday: Month ____ Day ____ Occupation _____
(if retired, what was your occupation)

#2 Email: _____ Other Shag Club Affiliations _____

Annual Dues \$50 Check# _____ Cash _____

Make checks payable to: **Capital City Shag Club**

Release: For and in consideration of dues paid to membership in Capital City Shag Club (CCSC), I (the undersigned) being of lawful age, hereby release and forever discharge CCSC from any and all causes of action, claims, and demands for or upon or by reason of any damages, loss or injury which heretofore has been sustained by me as a consequence of my actions at any CCSC function. It is understood that the act of admission to any CCSC sponsored event as a member is not construed as an admission on the part of CCSC of any liability to me whatsoever for any injury or loss.

#1 Signature _____ Date _____

#2 Signature _____ Date _____

Received by _____ Date _____

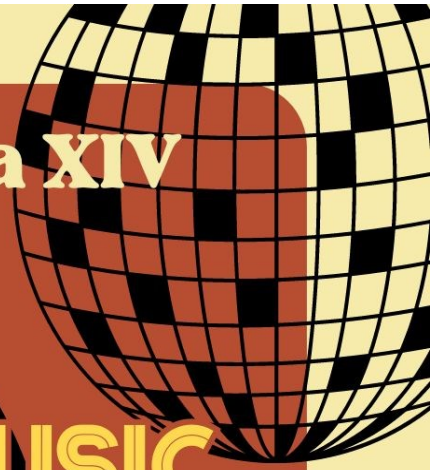
Shag Extravaganza XIV

OUR KIND OF MUSIC

Pre-Party

AUG 8 OPEN 6:30 PM
Thursday Night

LEXINGTON UFW
424 CEDARCREST DRIVE
LEXINGTON, SC



Capital City Shag Club Proudly Presents:

Shag Extravaganza XIV

"Our Kind of Music"

Friday & Saturday, August 9 & 10, 2024

Embassy Suites, 200 Stoneridge Dr., Columbia, SC 29210

- ◆ 3 Shag Lessons, and 1 Line Dance Lesson by Sam and Lisa West
- ◆ Spotlight Dance by Sam and Lisa West (National Shag Champions)
- ◆ Junior Shaggers "Dancing for Dollars"
- ◆ Tickets \$90 each
- ◆ Includes DJs: Barney Mims and Gene Sistare and

***** Featuring DJs John Smith and Billy Waldrep*****

- ◆ Hospitality Room Friday and Saturday
- ◆ Two Meals: Dinner Friday and Saturday Evening
- ◆ Complimentary Breakfast for Embassy Guests
- ◆ Manager's Reception for Embassy Guests on Friday and Saturday
- ◆ Gift Bags
- ◆ Great Vendors
- ◆ Silent Auction, Chinese Auction, Raffle & 50/50
- ◆ Friendships to last a life time
- ◆ Shag Extravaganza is a great value!



For Embassy Suites Reservations, Call 803.744.8132 between the hours of 9 AM-4 PM, M-F
Specify Group Code CCSC, \$125 per night plus taxes and applicable fees

For more information, call or text: 803.837-2415



Through the National FastDance Association,
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Capital City Shag Club Proudly Presents:

Shag Extravaganza XIV
"Our Kind of Music"



Friday & Saturday, August 9 & 10, 2024

Name _____ Shag Club _____
Address _____ City _____ St _____ Zip _____
Phone _____ Email: _____
Amount Enclosed _____ Check # _____ Cash _____

Release: For and in consideration of fees paid for event participation in Capital City Shag Extravaganza, I (the undersigned) being of Lawful age, hereby release and forever discharge Capital City Shag Club (CCSC), its Directors and Officers, its members, vendors, and subcontractors from any and all cause of action, claims, and demands for or upon or by reason of any damage, loss, or injury which heretofore has been sustained by me as a consequence of my actions at this event as an attendee is not construed as an admission on the part of CCSC of any liability to me whatsoever for any personal injury or loss.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

1st Applicant must sign here.

Name _____ Shag Club _____
Address _____ City _____ St _____ Zip _____
Phone _____ Email: _____
Amount Enclosed _____ Check # _____ Cash _____

Release: For and in consideration of fees paid for event participation in Capital City Shag Extravaganza, I (the undersigned) being of Lawful age, hereby release and forever discharge Capital City Shag Club (CCSC), its Directors and Officers, its members, vendors, and subcontractors from any and all cause of action, claims, and demands for or upon or by reason of any damage, loss, or injury which heretofore has been sustained by me as a consequence of my actions at this event as an attendee is not construed as an admission on the part of CCSC of any liability to me whatsoever for any personal injury or loss.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

2nd Applicant must sign here.

Please sign where indicated and mail this form with payment.
Attach additional names and contact information for those wishing to sit at the same table.

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST SIGN APPLICATION !

Tickets are \$90.00 each, \$180.00 per couple, \$900.00 per table of 10.

Make Checks payable to **Capital City Shag Extravaganza.**

Send all money and registration form(s) in one envelope for tables sitting together.

Tickets are **NON-REFUNDABLE.**

Mail to: CCSC Shag Ex, PO Box 53 Irmo, SC 29063

Questions? Call or Text: 803-837-2415 or Email: capitalcityshagclub.sc@gmail.com





DONATIONS

NEEDED FOR OUR SHAG EXTRAVAGANZA XIV CHINESE AUCTION IN AUGUST

On any Thursday night, please see our Chinese Auction Chairperson, Diane Hinson, to donate your items.

WAYS THAT YOU CAN HELP

- *Look around your house and find items you can re-gift.*
- *If you are redecorating, consider donating like-new items.*
- *Perhaps you have a business or know someone who can donate services or items in exchange for advertising recognition.*
- *You can donate individual items, items for gift baskets, or create a "one of a kind" gift basket yourself!*
- *All donations are greatly appreciated!!*



We encourage everyone to consider helping to sell the raffle tickets. Please see Vickey or Henry to purchase your raffle tickets and to get packets to sell.

Extravaganza XIV Raffle Tickets Are on Sale at Our Dances!

DELL 16

2 Tickets for \$10

2-IN-1

Laptop and Tablet



Processor
6 Core Processor



Memory
16 GB RAM



Storage
512 GB

**CHAIRPERSONS:
HENRY AND VICKEY**

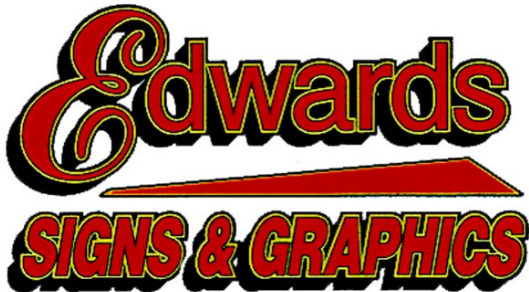
Raffle tickets will be sold
until August 10, 2024.



**YOU DO NOT NEED TO
BE PRESENT TO WIN**

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