

FASA MONTHLY NEWS

FEBRUARY 2026



FASA GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The next FASA General Membership Meeting is Tuesday, February 10th, 6:30 pm, at the Elks Lodge. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend so we have a quorum!

After the meeting we will continue socializing at Mi Casita on Ramsey Street. Please join us for dinner, snacks and/or a drink.

A quorum was not present in January so an official General Membership Meeting could not be held. An informal meeting was held with the members present. The Minutes of that meeting are attached to this email. Please review the Minutes prior to the meeting so you are prepared to make a motion to approve as they are written or propose an amendment to the minutes if you find an error.

FASA Board of Directors			FASA Chairpersons		
President	Peggy Perry	(910) 494-0503	DJ's	Beverly Hobgood	(910) 303-8960
Vice President	Leslie Dumas	(910) 850-6363	Hospitality	Vacant	---
Recording Secretary	Andy Privette	(910) 922-5020	Membership	Beverly Hobgood	(910) 303-8960
Corresponding Secretary	Penny Council	(910) 309-2961	Phone Tree	Dwayne Baggett	(910) 850-6322
Treasurer	Beverly Hobgood	(910) 303-8960	SOS Cards	Andy Privette	(910) 922-5020
Sergeant at Arms	Kathi Baloyot	(910) 818-9521	Website/Publicity	Kathi Baloyot	(910) 818-9521

FASA PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE -

Hello, FASA Members! I hope everyone was warm and safe during our very cold winter weather. It was nice to see snow but I'm glad to have stayed inside!

As a result of the inclement weather forecast, our January party was changed from Saturday to Friday evening. A huge thank you to our January Party Hosts, Sammie McLamb and committee, who coordinated the change of plans to make sure the party went off without a hitch one day early. No one wanted to risk anyone driving when the weather was supposed to hit.

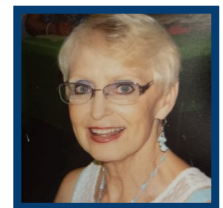
And... Happy Birthday to Peggy McLamb who enjoyed a special evening celebrating another year with family and friends! The planning committee did an excellent job making it a special evening for Peggy and all of us!

SOS Mid-Winter was another event in January at North Myrtle Beach. Thank you to Cathy Fann for representing FASA at the Workshop Meeting. More to come on the topics discussed at the meeting.

FASA is off to a great start this year. In this newsletter you will see the 2026 budget. Please take a good look at it so you can understand what it takes to run a shag club. We need the participation of each and every member to make it happen. Please share your time by volunteering to host a party and supporting the parties. Bring a friend or family member for a nice evening out listening to great music, dancing (or watching!), enjoying refreshments and catching up with the latest with your old and new friends.

See you at the February membership meeting and party!

Peggy Perry



PRAYERS, THOUGHTS AND CONCERN FOR

It’s not often that we have an empty space in our “Prayers, Thoughts and Concern For” section of the newsletter. But, it’s good news that we have nothing to share! Please inform us if you face any illness or losses in the coming year so we can share the information with your FASA Friends.



FASA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

6	Kathy Askins
8	Ann Pearsall
9	Steve Dawson
10	Heather Gunther
11	Jackie Robinson
17	Richard Ramos

FASA CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2026

JANUARY		FEBRUARY		MARCH	
13	Membership Meeting	10	Membership Meeting	10	Membership Meeting
24	FASA Party-Hosts: The McLambs DJ Brooks Bristow	28	FASA Party-Hosts: Ray & Kathi DJ Chigger Woods	28	FASA Party-Hosts: DJ Billy Cook
APRIL		MAY		JUNE	
14	Membership Meeting	12	Membership Meeting	9	Membership Meeting
	No Party. See You at SOS!	16	FASA Party-Hosts: DJ David Pendergraft	27	FASA Party-Hosts: DJ TBA
JULY		AUGUST		SEPTEMBER	
14	Membership Meeting	11	Membership Meeting	8	Membership Meeting
25	FASA Party-Hosts: DJ TBA	22	FASA Party-Hosts: DJ Buck Crumpton	26	FASA Party- Hosts: Ralph & Sylvia DJ Ashley Holland
OCTOBER		NOVEMBER		DECEMBER	
13	Membership Meeting	10	Membership Meeting	8	Membership Meeting
24	FASA Party-Hosts: DJ TBA	21	FASA Party-Hosts: DJ TBA	12	FASA Party-Hosts: Catered DJ TBA

BEACH WAVES RADIO

From their website: “Beach Waves Radio is your one stop station to hear your favorite Carolina Beach Music and classic soul! From the classics in the back room of Fat Harold's to the latest releases from your favorite bands, you're guaranteed to hear the music you love!” You can listen to the shows of DJs live and can re-play shows on demand. They often publish their playlists. Their Facebook page is titled “Beach Waves” and their website is beachwavesradio.com and you can download their app. Look for information on their website.



Happy Valentines Day

FASA PARTY

Feel the Love!
The FASA Love!



FEBRUARY



JOIN US! FASA MONTHLY PARTY
Saturday — February 28, 2026
7 pm to 10:30 pm
Featuring DJ Chigger Woods
Members \$10 — Guests \$15
Cash Bar Available — Refreshments Served
Please Bring a Dessert to Share!
Fayetteville Elks Lodge
3269 Gables Drive—Fayetteville, NC 28311

“Like” and “Follow” us on Facebook:
 “Fayetteville Area Shag Association”
 Our website: fasadance.com

Through the National Fast Dance Association, our club
 dance activities are licensed by:



DANCE LESSONS

Shag Dance Classes are taught by FASA members Peggy McLamb and John Adkins.



Hope Mills Parks & Recreation Presents:

18+ SHAG CAROLINA Dancing

COST (PER MONTH)
 Hope Mills Residents: \$20.00
 Non-Residents: \$25.00
 IF 3 MONDAYS IN THE MONTH, PRICING WILL BE REDUCED BY \$5.00 FOR BOTH RESIDENTS & NON-RESIDENTS

JOIN OUR CLASSES MONDAYS 7:15PM - 8:15PM

For More Information Contact Instructor: Peggy McLamb
 Location: Hope Mills Parks & Recreation Center Large Activity Room
 910-426-4109

SCAN ME

SOS—SOCIETY OF STRANDERS

SOS cards for 2026 are available for purchase through FASA for \$40 per person from Andy Privette. SOS Cards are \$45 if purchased during SOS at North Myrtle Beach. Cards are good for entry at Mid-Winter, Spring Safari and Fall Migration. There are separate fees for the Summer Workshop and Junior SOS. All events are held at North Myrtle Beach with the exception of the Summer Workshop.

SOS 2026	
January 15-18	Mid-Winter
April 17-26	Spring Safari
July 14-19	Junior SOS
July 17-19	Summer Workshop
September 18-27	Fall Migration



UPCOMING SHAG CLUB EVENTS

Shag Club Parties are listed by month on this shagdance.com Link: <http://shagdance.com/clubparties.htm>

2026 SHAG ICONS

From the shagdance.com website: “The purpose of the Icon Award is to recognize individuals who have made outstanding contributions within their own (Full Member, A.C.S.C.) shag club. Nominees for this award have made significant efforts and contributions to their shag club & are clearly outstanding members of the shag community.”

Five FASA members have been selected for this honor: Dwayne Baggett, David Sessoms, Eddie Monsour, Chris Jestes and Kathi Baloyot. These individuals also contributed to FASA and to the shag world in general.




2026 ACSC Shagging ICON Awards

			
Whit Blanton Sumter Shag Club Sumter, SC	Mona King First Coast Shag Club Jacksonville, FL	Judy Turner CSRA Shag Club N. Augusta, SC	Diana Twohig Charleston Area Shag Society W. Virginia

Congratulations

REMINDER

The FASA website is www.fasadance.com. Please FOLLOW and LIKE the FASA Facebook page! <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100073049688473>

FASA 2026 BUDGET

Per our Fayetteville Area Shag Association By-Laws, the Board of Directors is required to present a Budget for the current year at the January meeting. The budget is shown below. The budget is a roadmap of the income and expenses that FASA projects will be earned and spent in the coming year. This is what it takes to successfully organize and run a shag club annually.

FASA 2026 PROPOSED BUDGET	
2026 Budget	Description
Income	
\$600.00	50/50
\$200.00	ACSC Repayment
\$400.00	Chinese Auction
\$2,200.00	Door Income
\$1,800.00	Membership (60 x \$30)
\$600.00	SOS Card Sales (15 x \$40)
\$5,000.00	Money Market Transfer
\$10,800.00	Total Income
Expense	
\$50.00	ACSC Dues
\$660.00	Bartender (11 x \$60)
\$950.00	Christmas Dinner
\$75.00	Door Person Christmas Party
\$2,750.00	DJ Party (11 x \$250)
\$200.00	Memorial Donations
\$420.00	Elks Lodge Rent Meeting (12 x \$35)
\$3,025.00	Elks Lodge Rent Party (11 x \$275)
\$150.00	National Fast Dance Dues
\$125.00	Bank Charges (Checks etc.)
\$250.00	Postage, Mailing, Rent
\$50.00	Printing, Copying
\$125.00	Party Supplies (Paper Products)
\$260.00	Phone Tree
\$900.00	Party Food (8 X \$125) 2 Potlucks
\$120.00	Website
\$40.00	President's Plaque
\$600.00	SOS Card Sales - Passthrough (15 cards)
\$10,750.00	Total Expense
\$50.00	Net

JANUARY FASA PARTY



Happy Birthday, Peggy!

