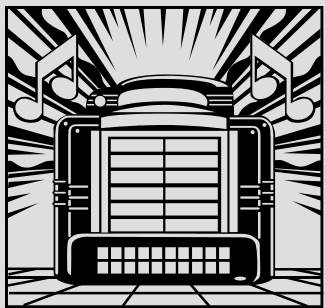


November  
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"On The Beat"

# FASA Board of Directors Update

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Your FASA Board of Directors has wisely made the decision to **CANCEL** the November and December Membership Meetings and Parties due to uncertainty surrounding the ongoing restrictions related to the Corona Virus.

Currently, North Carolina is under Phase 3 for Corona Virus restrictions until November 15th at the earliest. The rules for each Phase can seem complicated. Under Phase 3, bars, like the Elks Lodge, our meeting and party home, must limit the number of guests with tables required to be 6 feet apart. Our party room is not that large, so in order to meet space requirements not many of us would be allowed to attend a party at any one time. Unless we want to take turns standing around in the parking lot.

I think you get the idea. It would be impossible for us to have the kind of party we are used to. And dancing...where, how, masks, holding hands? Yikes!

Most importantly, your safety and health are of utmost concern. As you may know, there was a Corona Virus outbreak in North Myrtle Beach, also known to us as the "Home of the Shag", when a number of shaggers gathered. Many shaggers fell ill and continue to recover. Several did not recover. Losing any of you would break our hearts.

You know how many cancellations you've experienced — weddings, birthdays, class reunions, travel and more. It's our way of life right now. Let's keep playing it smart.

For an article on the North Myrtle Beach outbreak, click here: <https://www.myrtlebeachonline.com/news/local/article246634743.html>

**Special Update on Dwayne Baggett:** After 16 days hospitalized and 5 days in rehab, Dwayne is now on the mend and receiving oxygen therapy. Thanks for your prayers and good wishes.

## Monthly Membership Meetings & Parties

*Postponed Until Further Notice*

Elks Lodge, 3269 Gables Drive. Fayetteville, NC 28311

*Everyone is welcome to attend our Monthly  
Membership Meetings and Parties!*

**Facebook Page:** "Fayetteville  
Area Shag Association"

**Website:** [www.fasadance.com](http://www.fasadance.com)



# Board of Officers

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## FASA Perpetual Board

Contact info available at: <http://www.fasadance.com/hall-of-fame-perpetual-board-of-directors.html>

**Co-Chairpersons**—Cathy Fann & Kathi Baloyot

**Secretary**—Dawn Carr — **Correspondence**—Barbara Peele — **Treasurer**—Elsie Holden

### Members

Steve Dawson, Linda Gurnik, Steve Miller, Eric Rowe, David Sessoms, Grey Welborn

## Phone Tree

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Please let us know if you are not receiving Phone Tree Call Multiplier Messages reminding you of important dates. Ensure your correct phone number is on the FASA Membership Roster.

## Newsletter Publication Notice

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**On the Beat**, the official newsletter of the Fayetteville Area Shag Association, is published monthly. Deadline for submission of articles is the 20th of each month. Members are encouraged to contact Kathi Baloyot, Newsletter Editor, at (910) 630-1303 with information on shag world happenings, significant events (anniversaries, illness, accomplishments, etc.), jokes, trivia or other appropriate announcements. Material will be used as space allows.

# From the President's Pen...

Hello fellow FASA members and friends. I have been very sad now that Covid-19 has hit some of our members and friends. I have been worried about this virus the whole time but when it hits home it just hurts worse. Please know that every day I think about our club and all the members and friends and pray for your safety.



Your FASA board continues to meet with Zoom to take care of the business at hand. We will not have any general membership meetings or parties through Dec, 31 2020. I have been in contact with the Elks Lodge and they assured me that our venue will be available in 2021 as soon as restrictions are lifted. The officers term has been extended through March of 2021 so the board can transition the fiscal year smoothly.

Please be reminded that if you are already a member this year your membership is paid up through Dec. 31, 2021. That being said: If you would like to work on the FASA board please consider it. You will learn many things about the operation of our club you may not already know.

It is sad that we will not have a Christmas Party this year. I always look forward to the Christmas Party. We have such good food and great music. The board has agreed that once we are able and feel that it is safe to start having parties we will plan a "bang-up" party to get us back on track.

Please be safe and have a great Thanksgiving, *Dwight*

## Concern, Good Thoughts & Prayers for...

- ♦ The Family and Friends of FASA Hall of Fame Member Jephtha "Jeppy" McDowell who died of Corona Virus. Jeppy's Obituary: <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/little-river-sc/jephtha-mcdowell-9856218>
- ♦ The Family and Friends of DJ and Shagger Don "Tootie" Brown who died of Corona Virus. Tootie's wife Maxine remains hospitalized with the Virus. Tootie's Obituary: <https://www.dignitymemorial.com/obituaries/little-river-sc/donald-brown-9856531>
- ♦ FASA Member Paula Sue Truesdale as she continues to recover from the Corona Virus.
- ♦ FASA Member Dwayne Baggett as he continues to recover from the Corona Virus.
- ♦ FASA Hall of Fame Member Johnny Chenault on the passing of his wife Lois Chenault, also a Hall of Fame Member. Lois' Obituary: <https://www.paulfuneralhome.com/obituary/lois-chenault>
- ♦ The Family and Friends of FASA Hall of Fame Member Robert "Bobby" Dawkins on his passing. Bobby's Obituary: <https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/name/robert-dawkins-obituary?pid=196902672>
- ♦ Those Shaggers who were infected with the Corona Virus and have passed away or remain ill.



## FASA Christmas Party—Your Vote!



Thank you to those who replied to vote "Yes" or "No" to their interest in attending a FASA Christmas party if Covid rules regarding gatherings were relaxed making it possible. The overwhelming number of you voted "NO". There will be no holiday party this year.

# Happy November Birthdays, FASA!

5 Joyce Ramos	16 Lorry Williams
7 Beverly Hobgood	18 Barbara Hendricks
7 Dennis Johnson	19 Jesse Davis
10 Faye Sumner	



## FASA Calendar

FASA CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2020					
JANUARY		FEBRUARY		MARCH	
14	Membership Meeting	11	Membership Meeting	10	Membership Meeting
25	FASA Party	22	FASA Party	28	FASA Party
	DJ Billy Cook		DJ Steve Miller		CANCELLED
APRIL		MAY		JUNE	
14	Membership Meeting	12	Membership Meeting	9	Membership Meeting
	No Party This Month!	16	FASA Party	27	FASA Hall of Fame Party
	CANCELLED		CANCELLED		CANCELLED
JULY		AUGUST		SEPTEMBER	
14	Membership Meeting	11	Membership Meeting	8	Membership Meeting
25	FASA Party	22	FASA Party	12	FASA Party
	CANCELLED		CANCELLED		CANCELLED
OCTOBER		NOVEMBER		DECEMBER	
13	Membership Meeting	10	Membership Meeting	8	Membership Meeting
24	FASA Party	14	FASA Party	5	FASA Party
	CANCELLED		CANCELLED		CANCELLED

## Membership Meeting Minutes

Due to the Corona Virus there were no FASA Membership Meetings in April, May, June, July, August, September and October. No meetings are planned for November and December.

Hey FASA Members! Please go to your  
 "Fayetteville Area Shag Association"  
 FACEBOOK PAGE  
 Click on "LIKE" so you don't miss all the news!





# Shag Icon Award

Did you know that SIX FASA members have received the Shag Icon Award? That's quite a high number for one shag club and certainly something of which to be proud. The first member of our club to receive this award is Dwayne Baggett (2001), a FASA Past President, FASA Perpetual Board Past Chairman and member of both the SOS Board and SOS Enhancement Committee. Our second Icon is David Sessoms (2005), a two-time FASA President, member of the FASA Perpetual Board as well as a member of the Association of Beach and Shag Club DJs. One of FASA's founders, the late Eddie Monsour (2005), was a two-time FASA Past President, Chairman of the FASA Perpetual Board and Chairman of the Hall of Fame Foundation. Past President and Carolina Shag Instructor Chris Jestes (2009) was also a member of the SOS Enhancement Committee. Kathi Baloyot (2015) is a FASA Past President and Co-Chairman of the FASA Perpetual Board. Don Bunn (2015), a FASA Past President, Carolina Shag Instructor and competitive shagger, was nominated by the Raleigh Shag Club but we're claiming him as he's a past president.

All of these individuals worked tirelessly and gave graciously of their time and talents to FASA as well as to the shag world in general. Their accomplishments are too numerous to mention in this small space.

If you know of someone who you feel is worthy, you must complete a nomination form which must be signed by the current FASA President. Here is information from shagdance.com:

"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. Although some of these nominees may go on to be well known in the shag world (the A.C.S.C. or S.O.S., the C.S.A., the DJ Association, etc.) many of these individuals may not be known outside of their own club. This award has come to be one of the most highly prized awards that a shagger can attain.

To nominate a shagger for this award the president of an A.C.S.C. club must submit the completed Shagging Icon Award Nomination form by November 1st. of the current year. The Nomination must be approved by the Club's Board and signed by the Club's current President.

The Icon Award Nominations are evaluated and scored based on predetermined criteria by a 9 member evaluation team. The evaluation team consists of volunteers from past Icon award recipients who are selected by random drawing at the ACSC Summer Workshop. The team's evaluation scores are submitted to the Icon Committee Co-Chairs who tally the end results. Names of the new Icons are announced in January at the Mid-Winter Workshop. The forms must be mailed to Novelene Powell."

For further information and a list of Shag Icons, click here: <http://shagdance.com/acscicon.htm>

## This and That



**2021 ACSC Winter Workshop**  
Saturday, January 16, 2021  
9:30 AM - 12:30 PM  
**Let's CATCH-UP**  
When Booking ask for  
**Special Shagger Rate**  
**3 Day Minimum**  
**\$99, \$109 & \$119**  
Reservations: 800-438-9590  
[www.oceandriveresort.com](http://www.oceandriveresort.com)  
98 N. Ocean Blvd. NMB, S.C.  
email: [reservations@odresort.com](mailto:reservations@odresort.com)  
Meeting will be in OD Resort  
**OCEAN DRIVE**  
WORTHVILLE, S.C.  
**2021 SOS Mid-Winter**  
January 14 - January 17, 2021

# Shag World Happenings & Affiliations

## Harnett Area Shag Association (HASA)

Dance Parties are held on the second Friday of every month at the Shrine Club in Dunn located at 211 North Clinton Ave.

For more information please see web site: <http://www.hasa-dance.com/>

## Moore Area Shag Society

Socials are held monthly on the first Saturday starting at 7pm at Down Memory Lane, 161 Dawkins Street, Aberdeen (behind Sandhills Bowling Center). A beginner lesson is offered from 6:30 to 7:00pm at each Social.

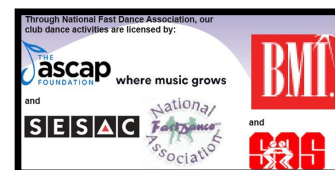
The 2020 Board Meeting dates will be held on the Thursday following the monthly Social at 3:30 pm at Down Memory Lane.



<http://www.shagdance.com/>



The Hall of Fame Foundation



## SANFORD AREA SOCIETY OF SHAGGERS

SASS meets the 3rd Friday of each month with few variations. Find meeting dates on the web page calendar at [sanfordshags.com](http://sanfordshags.com). Member cost is \$5 each month and guests are \$8 each visit. Meetings held at VFW Post 5631, 1500 Webb Str., Sanford, NC, from 7:30-11:30 PM. DJ's vary each month

## SamCo Shag Club

Events for SamCo Shag Club for 2017 will be held at either Coharie Country Club, 101 Coharie Drive, Clinton NC or at the Clinton "Moose Lodge" located at 2720 West Main St. in Clinton NC 28328 Please see our web site calendar for details: <http://samcoshagclub.com/>

## Do You Wanna' Dance?

### Carolina SHAG LESSONS BY ASHLEY & TOBITHA

FACEBOOK

Make sure you Like, Follow, & Share our Facebook Page, Carolina Shag Lessons with Ashley & Tobitha

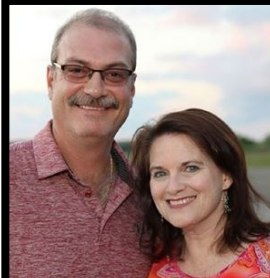
Let's Boogie

FOLLOW US!

During the upcoming weeks we will be posting weekly Shag Steps & Lead Follow to practice at home during the Coronavirus. Please share with all your friends! Take care of yourselves & stay healthy & happy in the coming weeks! Enjoy! Shag Dance! Pay it Forward!



[www.CarolinaShagLessons.com](http://www.CarolinaShagLessons.com)



## Shag Lessons Online with Sam & Lisa West On Facebook at: Sam and Lisa's Shag Page Every Sunday and Thursday

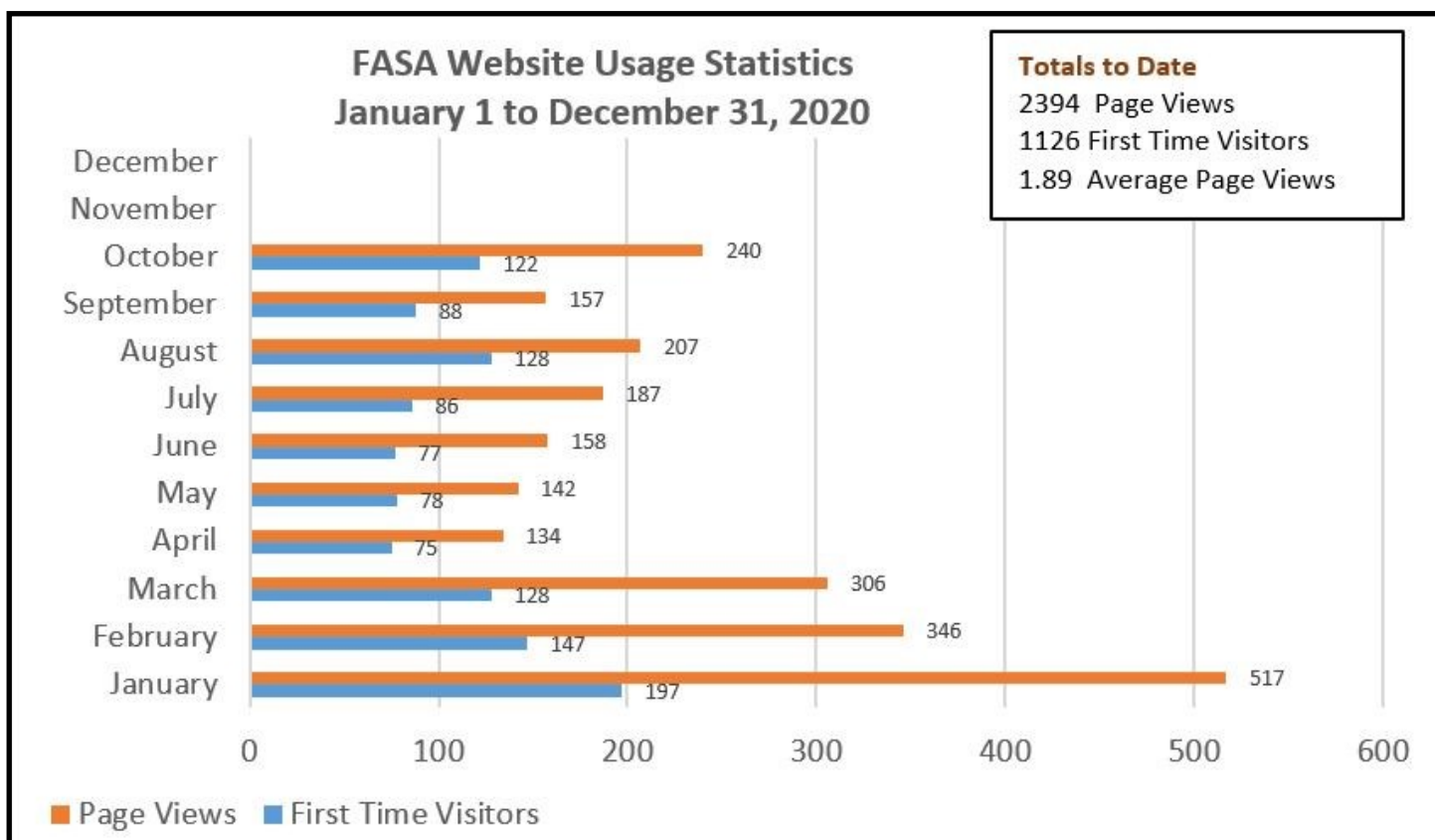
7:00 pm On Air

7:10 pm Beginner Lesson 7:50 pm Break

8:00 pm Intermediate Lesson

Access easily by facebook "Search"





## Society of Stranders (SOS)

### **SOS Special Bulletin**

August 9, 2020

#### **Attention: SOS Membership Card Holders!**

The SOS Board has met again to hammer out our budget for 2021. The Board has spent countless hours dissecting our budget and trying to find savings in every area for 2021. As you are all aware since the hurricane and Covid-19 pandemic, we have had 3 SOS's cancelled, this is un-precedented and has put a lot of strain on the SOS budget. We have rescinded our prior decision about our 2020 SOS Cards. The new decision effective today, August 9, is that **ALL 2020 SOS Cards will be honored** for the whole year of 2021. The clubs will continue to sell 2020 cards to be used for the year 2021.

The Board appreciates your understanding and support in helping keep our association strong. Hopefully, we will have a great year in 2021 and we can get back to a lot of norms that we are all accustomed to.

If you have any questions, please call.

Ron Whisenant, SOS President (803-371-4731)  
 Ronnie Gregory, SOS Board Chair (336-213-7053)  
 Robin Morley, ACSC Chairman (828-443-5995)



### **FASA SELLS SOS CARDS!**

SOS Cards are available for purchase. You save \$5 when buying through FASA. Contact Beverly Hobgood for details at (910) 323-3624

# Membership Application



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

P.O. Box 53214  
Fayetteville, NC 28305

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsoring Member: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month Day

*Please circle the committee(s) on which you would like to serve:*

ENTERTAINMENT	MEMBERSHIP	PUBLICITY	HOSPITALITY
SPRING SOS FLOAT	WAYS AND MEANS		

(Do not write below this line.)

## Club Information

***Fayetteville Area Shag Association***  
***P. O. Box 53214, Fayetteville, NC 28305***

The purpose of this club is to perpetuate and preserve the dance, to promote beach music and the atmosphere surrounding the dance, and to create and maintain an environment conducive to the dance.



### **Membership Qualifications and Procedures**

- ♦ All prospective members must be at least twenty-one (21) years of age.
- ♦ All petitions received prior to the scheduled monthly meeting will be presented at this meeting and voted upon at that meeting.
- ♦ A two-thirds (2/3) vote of members present shall elect prospective members to membership.
- ♦ Annual Club dues are \$30 per person per year. Club dues shall be due and payable at the Re-Up party in January each year
- ♦ Applicants who join August 1st or later in the year will pay \$20 in dues.