

# Rhythm & News

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## From The President



I just returned from 2014 Spring SOS and it was fantastic. The weather was cool at night but everyone from the RSC had a LARGE time. The "Rookies Revenge Contest" was a success for the RSC. Judy Petree placed third, Glenda Harris & Tim Sullivan placed fourth, and Charles Harward placed fifth. I hope everyone had a great time at the beach and everyone remained safe.

The RSC will be having our third Annual Spring Fling on May 10, 2014. The party will be held at the Hopewell Moose Lodge. Flyers are available at the desk. The Moose Lodge will be catering and Jeff Foster from Spartanburg, SC will be spinning the tunes. We need everyone to support this party so it will be a success and we can have it again next year. Contact Kendall or Stephanie Hockaday for information and tickets.

The John Mansini Golf Tournament is June 2, 2014 and is coming together due to the hard work of Leonard McAdams, Dickie Robinson and some dedicated individuals. We still need hole sponsorships and golf teams. Remember this is our club's big fund raiser for our charity, Camp Fantastic. This is a summer camp for kids with cancer or recovering from cancer. Please give all your support to this event.

See ya on the dance floor

*Tim Sullivan*

## Vice President



Remember the old recruiting posters of Uncle Sam with that stern, red faced, penetrating, stare pointing his finger at us? "WE WANT YOU!" he said, and by golly he meant right now. Well, I think the Richmond Shag Club needs one of those, but instead of Uncle Sam ours would have President Tim Sullivan peering out with a menacing look, pointing and saying – WE NEED YOU - ON THURSDAY NIGHTS!

As you know, our beginner Shag lessons are on Thursday nights; scheduled like clockwork every month of the year except December. We are fortunate that our classes are very well attended; more often than not the dance floor is overflowing with rookies. But you can safely bet your favorite pair of dancing shoes that with the advent of spring, our member attendance will drastically decline on Thursday nights, to the point where the beginners will outnumber the veterans. Reasons for this are varied, because there are many things for folks to do from April through late August; there's SOS, the river season is cranking up, and summer vacations are upon us, to name a few. These are all worthy distractions which make it easy to put the old RSC on the back burner.

We would just ask that you don't forget us completely during this upcoming spring and summer. Come on out if you can, maybe if it's just once a month. It will be a great time to dance, the floor won't be crowded and you'll have plenty of room to Belly Roll and Sugarfoot. The beginners will appreciate your presence, it's always a good thing when they get to meet RSC members and see firsthand the enthusiasm we have for the Shag and our club.

*Parker Dillard*

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## Club Communications, Care & Concern

If you know of a club member who is ill or has a personal "crisis" and would appreciate hearing from the RSC, please let **Kathy Lane** know the details (email: [socrmom8286@yahoo.com](mailto:socrmom8286@yahoo.com).)

If you have personal news that you would like to share with the club membership, please email the details as you would like for them to be conveyed to **Pam Tinsley** [pstinsley@verizon.net](mailto:pstinsley@verizon.net). Also, *please specify* that you would like for that information to be sent in a bulk email to the members. (We do not want to compromise anyone's privacy.)

Our bulk emails will reach most members, specifically those who have posted their email for communication.

If you are an email user and think that you may not be receiving club messages, be sure to check the spam or junk folder in your email program.

Also, be sure to check the RSC website

<http://richmondshag.homestead.com/> and the RSC Facebook page

<http://www.facebook.com/groups/51783245956/> for news and for posting info to share.

Thanks!

## 2014 General Membership Meetings

March 18 \* June 17\* August 19 \* November 18

All General Membership Meetings will be held at the Holiday Inn Koger Center in a meeting room and begin at 6:30 PM. All members are encouraged to attend.



<b>CLUB BIRTHDAYS</b>		<b>MEMBERSHIP EXPIRATIONS</b>	
<b>MAY</b>	<b>JUNE</b>	<b>MAY</b>	<b>JUNE</b>
Avery Goodwin 04 Johnny Hall 05 Rich Severin 07 Nancy States 08 Kelli Mallinger 12 Kathy Russell 12 Leonard McAdams 17 Larry Ricker 18 Ann Dunnavant 19 Barbara McCord 19 Phillip Mitchell 19 Gene Anderson 20 Dwight Hash 20 Paul Hodge 20 Carolyn Maupin 20 James Osborne 20 Cherry Seagraves 21 Oscar Fields 22 Mimi Fritz 23 Barb White 23 Larry Herbert 24 Charlie Agosti 25 Vince Ferranti 26 Mike Montalbano 27 Alan Michaelis 28 Gladys Peters 29 Debbie McGrath 30 Charlotte Oliver 30	Vicki Tedesco 04 Earl Childrey 07 Michael Fielding 07 Bobbie Young 07 Debbie Shelton 12 Nancy Verser 13 Brenda Adams 14 Stephanie Hockaday 14 Emett Nuckols 15 Dexter Oliver 15 Steve Switzer 15 Kim Woolf 16 Joyce Young 16 Tommy Atkinson 18 Jim Hall 20 Bill Long 22 Martha Foley 23 Philip Harrison 24 Jimmy Easter 26 Brute Vaughan 26 Glenn Doten 27 Dottie Stanton 27 Howard Noakes 28 Steve Harris 29 Keith Mawyer 30	Ann Dunnavant Brenda Gray Jack Gray Barbara Hodge Paul Hodge J.J. Jackson John Kontopanos Donna Kontopanos Fuzzy Lambert Mary Ann Lambert Chase Layman Jim McBride Phillip Mitchell Pete Saunders Hal Stickley Marsha Tedesco Tammy Varney	Brenda Adams Bubba Adams Becky Barrett Earl Barton Jo Barton Brad Benson Rob Bird Suzanne Bird Joan Byrnes Kevin Byrnes Benny Evans Johnny Hall Phyllis Hall Steve Harris Dwight Hash Joan Hicks Bill Hudak Keith Mawyer Sandra Mawyer Debbie Robertson Pam Tinsley Sonny Tinsley



## Ways & Means

**SALE! SALE!!** The club is selling off its clothing inventory.

We will be switching from an inventory of clothing items to a catalog system for placing club monogrammed orders. The proposed catalog system is under development for a site on our web page or/and a paper catalog at the hospitality desk.

The items for sale from the existing inventory and at club cost are:

Camp Shirts(\$28.00): Grey(M), Yellow(M), Yellow(L)

Golf Shirts(\$20.00): Lt.Blue(L), Dk.Blue(L), Blk(L), White(XL), Yellow(XL)

T-Shirts(\$16.00): Red(L)

Sweat Shirts(\$18.00): Dk.Blue(XL), Dk.Green(XL)

Visor(\$8.00): Dk. Blue

We also have monogrammed tumblers on sale for \$10.00 for 12 oz. size and \$14.00 for 16 oz size.

These monogrammed items are priced at the club cost, so pick your size/color and see me for delivery.

*Allen Batchelor*



## Dance Committee

There will be no intermediate lessons for the month of April due to SOS. As was the case last year, if there is an instructor that would volunteer to teach one or more of the lessons, we would have a class.

For many Richmond Shagger's, our windshield has OD straight ahead for spring SOS (4/4-13). As usual, the RSC will be well represented in all the festivities. After our Sunday social's dance contest, I expect many participants in the Rookies Revenge contest during the Spring Safari.

I want to thank the following RSC members for representing us at Spring Arbor of Richmond Monday night (3/10) with a shag demonstration for the residents. They represented us well:

Sandra and Keith Mawyer  
Kevin and Joan Byrnes  
Parker and Bev Dillard  
Ken and Shug Ward  
Doug Strother and Terry Pollard  
Dinky Slaughter and Barbara White  
Henry Geisz and Glenda Harris  
Allen and Charlotte Batchelor

*Ken Ward*

### Contribute to RSC Fundraiser

It is almost time for our club's silent auction to be held at our annual party to be held at the Sheraton Hotel the first weekend in August. If you have something to donate or would like to "create" your own special item, it will be appreciated! Gift certificates are also an option for the busy individual. No gift is too small as we put together gift baskets as well.

One hundred percent of the proceeds go to Camp Fantastic which is a camp for kids with or being treated for cancer. Special Love sponsors this camp, and our club has been donating to this charity for many years.

Leave your items at the club with any committee member after filling out the contact form. There are extra forms at the front desk if you need one. You will receive a special thank you from Special Love and you can use it for your tax information. If you want to serve on the silent auction committee by getting a few businesses or friends to donate items, please contact Beth Ager or Bev Dillard. Any small amount of help is welcome.

It is my pleasure to be part of a wonderful event and a terrific shag club! The Richmond Shag Club rocks!

Beth Ager, Silent Auction Chairperson

## RSC MAIN EVENTS

- January 17-19 Mid-Winter
- April 4-13 Spring Safari
- July Junior SOS
- September 12-21 Fall Migration
- December 20 **Jingle Bell Ball** (ACCA Temple)



Watch your e-mail, [RichmondShagClub.org](http://RichmondShagClub.org), and listen for phone tree messages for more information on these upcoming events.

\*Also look for the Richmond Shag Club group on facebook where event information will be posted.

# ARGET

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### Treasurer

Every now and then it helps to get a perspective on things. Our annual golf tournament is fast approaching. In the raising of the funds for our charity: Camp Fantastic, the golf tournament does the heavy lifting. That, coupled with the silent auction and private donations enabled the club to donate \$15,800 last year. To put this in some context, in a ACSC newsletter awhile back, (which I seemed to have lost among the piles of papers on my desk and thus have to rely on memory), they mentioned that the ACSC consists of about 90+ clubs and in 2012 they donated over \$330,000 to their charities. I quickly jumped to the calculator. I sat back and thought that through the hustle and hard work from the club members, we are able to make a donation that is over 300% larger than the average club! Can't decide for others...but I think that's pretty darned good work from a bunch of folks that only have to count...1&2, 3&4, rock step.

*Michael Walton*



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### Care & Concern

Our sincere condolences are extended to the following members:

Stephanie Hockaday in the loss of her father, Benjamin Worley, 78, of Powhatan, who departed this life on March 4, 2014, after a brief illness.

Debbie Cunningham in the loss of her father, Max Hunter, 86, of Chester, who went to be with the Lord on Thursday, April 3, 2014.

Get well wishes are extended to the following members:

Cliff Merritt, who had throat surgery in early March, followed by having a kidney removal in early April. He continues in his recovery from these surgeries. Prayers are in order for a complete recovery. We do miss our DJ!

Jim McBride, who had a 4-vessel cardiac bypass on February 25, 2014. He has started cardiac rehab classes/exercise and is improving daily. He was even able to put in a few dances at SOS!

Phyllis Wells continues in her recovery from her illness, Immune Thrombocytopenic Purpura.

Congratulations to Sherry Beck on the birth of her granddaughter, Clara Grace Beck. Baby Clara was born on April 13, 2014 to her son and daughter-in-law, Ryan and Jessica Beck. She weighed 9 pounds and 4 ounces.

Please help to keep me informed on any of our members who need some care and concern. My email is socrmom8286@yahoo.com.

As always, may we remember our fellow shaggers in their joys and sorrows by keeping them in our thoughts and prayers.

*Kathy Lane*

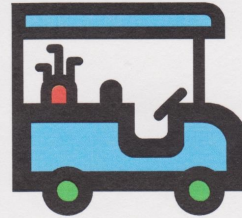


## Social Committee

Thanks to all the folks that attended the Sunday Social in March. There was a great turnout and there were lots of delicious things to munch on while DJ Gary Harman played some awesome tunes. Thanks and congratulations to all the participants of the Rookies Revenge Contest. We had some great dancers and we look forward to more Sunday Socials in the near future.

The next event is the Annual Spring Fling May 10th at the Hopewell Moose Lodge. We will have DJ Jeff Foster from Spartanburg, SC spinning the tunes. If you haven't heard Jeff play at the OD Pavilion or our own annual party, you have been missing out! It's only \$20 for members and \$25 for non-members. It includes a fabulous dinner catered by the Moose. Seats are still available. Contact myself or Stephanie for tickets.

*Kendall Hockaday*



# The John Mansini Sr. Memorial Golf Tournament For Camp Fantastic

Sponsored by  
**The Richmond Shag Club**

**Monday June 2, 2014**

12:30 PM SHOTGUN Start  
Stonehenge Country Club  
Midlothian, VA

**Lunch provided by:**

**TRIPPS**  
Jeff Bailey, General Managing Partner  
10330 Midlothian Turnpike  
Midlothian, VA 23235

**Dinner provided by:**

**OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE**  
Nick Schoening, Managing Partner  
2063 Huguenot Road  
Richmond, VA 23235

Captain's Choice, 4-person teams  
Mulligans \$5.00 each

**KEEP MULLIGAN TICKETS for DOOR PRIZES !!**

**\$100 Per Person**

Fee includes cart, green fee,  
Refreshments on the course

**19<sup>th</sup> hole get-together**

**PRIZES**

1<sup>st</sup> Place \$500  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place \$300  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place \$200

**Plus: Longest Drives!  
Closest to Pin Contest!**

Name	Full Mailing Address	Email Address	Phone
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO "RICHMOND SHAG CLUB"**  
Mail Checks and Registration form **No Later Than May 24, 2014**

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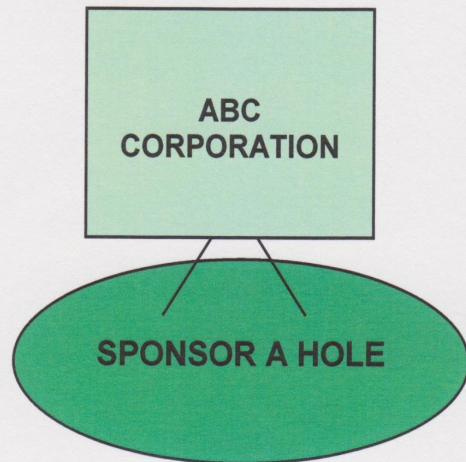




\$100.00 for an 18" x 24" TEE BOX SIGN

The 24<sup>nd</sup> Annual  
John Mansini Sr. Memorial Golf Tournament  
For Camp Fantastic  
Sponsored by  
The Richmond Shag Club

**Monday June 2, 2014**  
**Stonehenge Country Club**  
**Midlothian, VA**



**Hole Sponsorship Application Form**

**Please Print and Fill In All Spaces**

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Company Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

FAX \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**18" x 24" Sponsor Sign to Read:**  
(Business Card with Application if Possible)

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All proceeds will go to benefit children with cancer, attending "Camp Fantastic",  
a summer camp located near Front Royal, VA.

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE to "RICHMOND SHAG CLUB"**

Mail Checks and Form to:

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**MAY**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
				1 6:30 – 8:00 Intro & Basic Step (Mo & Chase)	2	3
4 2-4 Shag Jam	5 Cinco de Mayo	6 6:30 – 7:30 Lean (Doug & Sherry) 7:30 Line Dance	7	8 6:30 – 8:00 Start, Female & Male Turns (Mo & Chase) 7:00 Bd. Meeting	9	10 Spring Fling Moose Lodge Hopewell
11 Mothers' Day	12	13 6:30 – 7:30 Belly Roll (Doug & Sherry) Birthday Dance	14	15 6:30 – 8:00 Trail Pass, Half Turn, Front & Back Preps (Mo & Chase)	16	17 Spring Fling Dinner & Dance
18	19	20 6:30 – 7:30 Boogie Walk (Doug & Sherry) 7:30 Line Dance	21	22 6:30 – 8:00 Sugarfoot (Mo & Chase)	23 Grand National Dance Competition (Atlanta)	24
25 GNDC	26 Memorial Day	27 6:30 – 7:30 Pivot (Doug & Sherry)	28	29	30	31

**JUNE**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
1  2:00 - 4:00 Shag Jam	2  Golf Tournament	3  6:30 – 7:30 Lean (Dickie & Joyce) 7:30 Line Dance	4	5  6:30 – 8:00 Intro & Basic Step (Dinky & Barbara)	6	7
8	9	10  6:30 – 7:30 Boogie Walk (Dickie & Joyce)  Birthday Dance	11	12  6:30 – 8:00 Start, Female & Male Turns (Dinky & Barbara) 7:00 Bd. Meeting	13	14
15  Fathers' Day  July/August News- letter Deadline	16	17  6:30 Gen. Mem. Meeting 7:00 Belly Roll (Dickie & Joyce) 7:30 Line Dance	18	19  6:30 – 8:00 Trail Pass, Half Turn, Front & Back Preps (Dinky & Barbara)	20	21
22	23	24  6:30 – 7:30 Pivot (Dickie & Joyce)	25	26  6:30 – 8:00 Sugarfoot (Dinky & Barbara)	27	28
29	30					