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From the President



KEVIN BYRNES

Happy New Year Everyone! The RSC's 2015 Christmas Party at the Hopewell Moose Lodge was a grand affair... and a real credit to the efforts of the Hopewell Moose staff and Social Chair Kendall (and Stephanie) Hockaday, who really "decked the halls", and Graham Haddock's 2 sheet cakes were fabulous! Everyone was dressed in beautiful & handsome holiday attire and DJs Gary Harman and Larry Black kept the house rockin'! Out-going President Tim Sullivan did a masterful job of orchestrating a relatively quick end-of-year award ceremony that:

Recognized the Camp Fantastic delegation and presented them the Club's annual donation of \$16,100 for 2015,
Recognized the Most Improved Dancers in the Club,
Recognized the Club's Spirit of Shag awardees,
Recognized the Club's newest (2016) members of the Virginia Shaggers Hall of Fame,
Thanked the 2015 RSC Board for their service, and



Outgoing & incoming RSC Presidents: Tim Sullivan & Kevin Byrnes

Introduced the 2016 Board, turning the podium over to me as Incoming President.

Well, folks, if truth be told.... my job primarily was to surprise Tim with 3 awards for his service as Club President. However, public expressions of appreciation for things I care about, like the RSC and those that work hard for it, is **very** difficult for me...always has been! **BUT, I had a plan...**I'd get others, better able to speak, to help me through it... (i.e. the art of delegation)!

So first I asked wife Joan, as an ACSC Icon and Past President to present Tim with his ACSC Past President pin and certificate. Well, being so proud of her, I got choked up trying to introduce Joan, but she (as I knew she would) did a great job explaining the award and giving Tim his pin.

Off to a bit of a rocky start, I then called on Past RSC President Parker Dillard to present Tim with the Club's gift of a memorial paver brick on Main Street, North Myrtle Beach, to be added to the group of pavers for those other RSC Presidents that have gone before Tim. Again, my plan worked great and Parker did a grand job of recapping Tim's service to the Club and presenting him his framed paver certificate.

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Look for the "Special Love" section.

"You've got to accentuate the positive, Eliminate the negative...."

RSC Board

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From the President....continued

For the final award, it was crunch time....nobody to "hand off to" ... I'm on my own with my public speaking demons! I tried to read part of a Board resolution that bestowed on Tim a lifetime honorary membership for his eight years of service on the Board and 4 years as President. Well that's where the plan broke down... I pretty much lost it and got choked up trying to read my lines and give Tim his framed resolution and lifetime membership card. As I told the audience..."*I either need a lot more practice at this or I need to have a stiff drink or two before I do this again!*"

So now there are about 200 eyewitnesses in the Club that all know my Achilles Heel....I'm a softy with big heart, much better suited to working behind the scenes than out in front; leading, motivating and thanking the "troops" (i.e. Club volunteers) for their efforts. Don't worry, I'll do my best but it probably will **never** go as smoothly as I'd like, at least when it comes to handing out well-deserved recognition and "Thank You's"!

Well looking ahead for 2016, I hope the RSC Board and I can deliver lots of new and fun experiences for the Club membership. My philosophy is... even when "same old, same old" is good, it still gets old! So let's "spice it up" and try out some new ideas! Like....

#1. Your new Board has picked a new venue for the 2016 Christmas Party (see details in Social Committee report),

#2. The Golf Committee has selected a new venue and other

changes for the Camp Fantastic Charity Golf Tournament (see related article from Committee member Doug Strother),

#3. The Board will be discussing possible Bylaw changes,

#4. We will try out going to new venues to promote the Shag, raise community of the Club and attract new members, and

#5. Generally try to "think outside the box" to make a really good Shag Club even better!

I invite the membership to share with me (or send an e-mail) or any Board member what you like and don't like about the Club. Then the Board will try to apply the advice in an old pop tune, Accentuate the Positive [see: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bMa-ictcvyA>]

"You've got to accentuate the positive

Eliminate the negative

Latch on to the affirmative

Don't mess with Mister In-Between

You've got to spread joy up to the maximum

Bring gloom down to the minimum

Have faith or pandemonium

Liable to walk upon the scene"

Best wishes to all for a Happy, Prosperous and Healthy New Year! Let's have some fun and do some good things this year!

-Kevin

RSC 2016 Board Members, with out-going President Tim Sullivan.



**Presenta-
tion to
Dave
Smith of
Camp
Fantastic**



**Thanks for
everything,
Tim!**



**STEPHANIE HOCKADAY, WAYS
AND MEANS COMMITTEE**

Dear Members,

I look forward to serving the you and the club this year as your Ways and Means Committee Chair. I would love some help selling 50/50 tickets on Tuesday nights. There is a sign-up sheet at the hostess desk. Please pick a Tuesday night to help with this fun activity. You only need to sell them for a short time period, usually 8:40-9:00 with the drawing around 9:10pm. Please see if you can donate 30 minutes of your time. Find a friend and pair up. **It's a great way to meet new club members and reconnect with old members.** Tickets are 2 for \$1.00 and 12 for \$5.00.

We still have some Tervis tumbler's for sale, tall and short. There are also some embroidered patches available. If you would like a Richmond Shag Club shirt, please see me for a catalog. An RSC Shirt would be a nice

thing to have for an upcoming RSC Shag Shirt Nigh planned.

We will give you time to get your shirt orders in before the Shirt Night is held. Wearing your RSC Shirt is a great way to promote the Club. If you have any fundraising ideas, please do not hesitate to see me.

The Brunswick Stew is coming February 26-27. See Dwight Hash for details. The stew order forms are available at the Host/Hostess Desk. It sells out pretty quickly. Thank you Dwight for handling this great fundraising effort once again! Please see Dwight to sign up to help with making the stew. It is a fun time and many hands means light work. Lunch is included.

Kendall and I will be teaching intermediate steps in February. We look forward to seeing you on the hardwood!

-Stephanie

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Members and Contact Info
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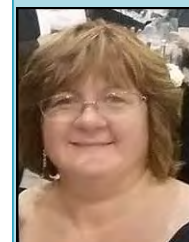
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**Allen
Batchelor,
Vice-President**

"Thanks to all club members for their confidence in me to be your V.P. for 2016. This year's roster of club officers is mostly composed of new people with new ideas and expectations for 2016. Let's have a great year!"

**ROGERS VERSER ,
SOCIAL COMMITTEE**



I would like to introduce myself, my name is Rogers Verser. My wife Nancy and I have been dancing with the club for about 7 years and enjoy socializing with everyone. I look forward to working with many of you as we move forward in the new year.

I'd like to thank Kendall for the great job as Social Committee Chair this past year, he and Stephanie put in many hours of work to make our events flow nicely. We all appreciate everything you've done. Hats off to the both of you for a great year.

As the 2016 social committee chair I hope to make it a fun year. I will be proposing some new events to the board and continuing with our traditional ones. Our club is as strong as our memberships, so I am calling for our members to suggest activities they would like to do. I plan to keep shag dancing as the main priority, but social events as a strong second. I will be calling for help from our membership to volunteer from time to time, and ask if anyone who would like to suggest an event please let me know.

—Rogers

**Communications-
Pam Tinsley**

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 at pstinsley@verizon.net.

Also, please specify that you would like for that information to be sent in a bulk email or phone tree to the members. (We do not want to compromise anyone's privacy.)

Thanks,
Pam

**Darrell
Ratcliffe,
HOST/
HOSTESS**



I would like to start off by thanking everyone for their support and contributions to the operation of the desk. I look forward to helping with SOS Cards, new and renewal of memberships or any other

transactions or questions. SOS Card sales are off to a great start. If anyone is interested in helping with desk duties for any amount of time please stop by the desk or contact me.

Keep on Shagging!

-Darrell



Watch your e-mail, RichmondShagClub.org, and listen for phone tree messages for more information on upcoming events.

Also, look for the Richmond Shag Club group on Facebook where event information will be posted.



←
*Virginia Shaggers
 2016 Hall of Fame inductees
 Jean Sullivan and
 Parker Dillard.
 Not pictured: Ron Bessent*



*"The best part of
 me will always live
 for the rhythms of
 summer, in the Land
 of Shag, where the
 tunes on the juke-
 boxes never change.
 That old gold music
 invites me to
 dance, to laugh and
 remember."*

Bo Bryan

[http://
 bobryanwrites.com/
 memories-land-
 shag/](http://bobryanwrites.com/memories-land-shag/)

*2015 National Living
 Legends of Dance inductee,
 Dink Slaughter;
 Pictured with his sister
 Nancy Wall,
 also a
 "Living
 Legend."*



LOOKING GOOD, RSC SHAGGERS!





December 24, 2015
Tim Sullivan, President
Richmond Shag Club
P.O. Box 35771
Richmond, VA 23235

*Tim Sullivan, right, presents our check
To Dave Smith, from Special Love.*

Dear Tim,

Thanks so much for your club's wonderful gift of \$16,100, which you presented at last weekend's Jingle Bell Ball and which represents proceeds from your 2015 golf tournament and auction. Your continued support is a godsend and your latest donation is also very timely as we wrap up our 33rd year of programs for these special kids. Thanks to you and the RSC, no Richmond area child will miss out on camp for lack of finances. It's a week-long adventure where they can share not only stories and memories, but also resources in their battle against cancer.

If you haven't already done so, I encourage you and your union members to check out the music video our kids did at Camp Fantastic this year at www.youtube.com/SpecialloveCamps. It certainly puts a face to the benefits you're helping bring about.

Our 2015 camps were once again full of heartwarming moments, like watching Reuther, a first-time Camp Fantastic camper who was quite nervous about attending camp, as he jumped right into the activities, even standing front-and-center during the dance class's act in our talent show. (That video is also at the link above – Reuther is the one in the green socks.) It's a great example of what camp does for these kids in allowing them to get outside their comfort zone and begin to socialize with other kids just like themselves.

Thanks again to you and your members for continuing to help us provide that magic to more lucky children and their families and best wishes for a Fantastic New Year. See you in 2016!

With Special Love,

David Smith, CEO

P.S. Special Love is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization and all donations are tax-deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. Our tax ID # is 54-1218130.

117 Youth Development Court, Winchester, VA 22602 888-930-2707 31 Center Drive, Box 2062, Bethesda, MD 20892 www.speciallove.org



2016 Golf Tournament for Camp Fantastic



The 26th annual charity golf tournament for Camp Fantastic is scheduled for **Monday, June 20, 2016** at a new location.....**Meadowbrook Country Club, at 3700 Cogbill Rd in North Chesterfield**. The tournament committee and Meadowbrook staff are excited about this change of venue and providing a new challenge for our golfers!

2016 Golf Tourney
Monday June 20 @ MCC

Player, team and sponsor forms are available on-line now on the RSC website....just click on the RSC website home page link to get to the golf event page, and from there you will see a series of text links in a pink background box (see image at right). Entry and donation forms are also available at the Club Desk at Visions! **Team and player entries are asked to submit payment (by check, payable to “Richmond Shag Club”) with their entry to secure their place in the tournament!**

The 2016 Tournament Committee, with Board approval, has added corporate sponsorships options and set a fund-raising goal of **\$25,000** for the tournament to support more children with cancer in attending Camp Fantastic! **This is a very ambitious goal....to get there, we need both strong Club member and community support!** If you think you know a business that might be interested in being a corporate sponsor, please contact Tournament Chair Kevin Byrnes (kfbyrnes@verizon.net).

Club member Doug Strother (boosh4143@aol.com) is coordinating the solicitation of donated gift certificates, hole sponsorships and donated raffle gift items (see related article “A Challenge to the RSC Membership”). All of these donations are important to the financial and social success of the tournament, and Club members are encouraged to actively seek-out and ask merchants to make a tax-deductible donation to support the event. Send Doug a note if you want to renew your past support or help solicit donations!

Dickie Robinson (jinxrobinson@aol.com) has already confirmed the renewed commitment of many Club members that annually help out at the tournament. Most of the jobs are already covered, but **a few more volunteers are needed to “cover all the bases” and as a back-up** in case any of the regulars are unable to participate due to personal circumstances. See Dickie if you want to help and be involved!

Tripp’s Restaurant has renewed its commitment to provide the free box lunches. Unfortunately, due to corporate charity-giving funding cuts, we have lost Outback Restaurant that provided a tasty free steak dinner for players and volunteers. We are hopeful that we can find a financial sponsor so that we can continue to provide this extra benefit to all our tournament participants! Let me know if you have any ideas on potential food or financial sponsors!

Organizing this event has been a huge undertaking and has given me greater appreciation for all the hours invested by Leonard McAdams, Dickie Robinson, Howard Overbey, Dink Slaughter and Phillip Mitchell and other past Tournament Chairmen over the 25 year history of this event! I hope that with an early start and the continued help and support of all the members, that we can have another successful and fun event!

[For more information about the 2015 & 2016 tournaments. Click Here](#)
&
[for 2016 Event Info & Team Entry form. Click Here](#)
&
[For Hole and Event Sponsorship Form. Click Here](#)
&
[For Gift Solicitation and Donor Form. Click Here](#)
&
[For Endorsement Letter from Camp Fantastic. Click Here](#)

Kevin Byrnes

2016 Golf Tournament Chairman



A CHALLENGE TO THE RSC MEMBERSHIP

By Doug Strother

I personally am very proud that the Richmond Shag Club not only has historically chosen Camp Fantastic (CF) as our charity of choice but that we are also the largest CF contributor in the Richmond metro area. For those new to the club, CF is a one week summer camp, located in the Northern Shenandoah Valley, for children with cancer. CF has never turned a child away no matter what their medical needs may be. Many oncologists, medical specialists, technicians, nurses and volunteers sacrifice a **week's vacation every year to provide their time and services for these children during this week of camp.** After spending most of their young lives, in many cases, in hospitals dealing with treatments, **surgeries, IV's, amputations and injections trying to address this horrible disease,** CF provides them with an opportunity to just be children. This is a rare occurrence for many of them.

The RSC generates revenue for this worthwhile endeavor in several ways. First, the majority of the funds donated by the RSC to CF come from the after-expense proceeds of our annual charity golf tournament. Second, the monies raised through a silent auction held at our annual party is our second largest source of CF funds. One hundred percent of all proceeds from the golf tournament and the auction go into the Club escrow account for our annual CF donation. Third, some winners of our weekly 50-50 drawings give their winnings back and ask that they be included in our annual donation to CF. Finally, some members make direct donations to the Club earmarked for CF. All of these sources combined contributed to a \$16,100 RSC donation in 2015. Additionally some members make charitable donations to CF in memory of a **deceased RSC member at the decedent's request.**

As I did last year, I will be heading up the **"Donations Committee"**, responsible for hole sponsors and raffle gift donations for our 2016 golf tournament, and I have a 3-part challenge for all 350+ RSC members.....



Consider entering a team in the tournament. We need up to 112 golfers to play to reach the goal of 28 teams. The cost to play is \$100 per player or \$400 for a foursome. **If you don't play personally, talk to your family members, neighbors, people you work with or go to church with who do.** Tell them of this great opportunity to help this worthy cause and have fun at the same time. Generate enough interest that they will be more than glad to sign up and participate.

Consider sponsoring a hole. The cost for sponsoring a hole this year will be \$100, as it has always been. For your \$100 donation, you will get a sign at one of the 18 holes that recognizes your sponsorship. A large number of our hole sponsors are local businesses or corporations. We all have grocery stores, restaurants, doctors, dentists, gas stations, car washes, bowling alleys, hair salons/barbers, landscapers, auto parts stores, department stores, etc. that we use on a regular basis. Tell them about Camp Fantastic and what wonderful work they do there. Tell them how their money will be used to send a child with cancer to camp. Some sponsors use this opportunity **as a memorial to a loved one. I don't know** of any family who has not been touched by cancer, for instance. Also, in the past, a few couples or 4 or 5 individuals have gone together and split the cost of sponsoring a hole. Quite a few RSC members have done this in the past.



A CHALLENGE TO THE RSC MEMBER-SHIP...continued

Help us solicit and collect gifts for the after-tournament raffle. Restaurants and other businesses are famous for donating gift cards. Free oil changes, meals, free rounds of golf, golf lessons as well as manicures/pedicures/hair cuts immediately come to mind. Some businesses love to donate swag such as shirts, golf balls, hats and coozies with their logos as well. Some RSC members have also purchased and donated golf balls, wine and/or gift certificates (e.g. Lowes, Home Depot, Applebees, etc.) as gifts for the raffle in the past..

web site) on hand and present them to the person in charge. You will be surprised at how many will say "Yes".

So that is my personal challenge to all 350+ Richmond Shag Club members. Pick one, two or all three challenges above! Participate in some shape or form and help us make the RSC Golf Tournament a bigger success than it has been in years past. You will be providing a child with cancer and their family a tremendous service and that has to make you smile!!!

For these various donations, my past personal experience has demonstrated that all you have to do is ask. It's as simple as that. For gift donations, ask to speak to the manager of the business. Don't go during their busy time though. Lunch and dinner times at Outback or another popular restaurant would be a bad idea. Be familiar with and have all the forms and info about Camp Fantastic and the golf tournament (available at the RSC desk or RSC

See ya on the hardwood!!!

Doug

Doug Strother

2016 RSC Golf Tournament Donations Committee Chair

Past President, RSC



**Support Special Love, Inc.
with On-Line Shopping**



Do you shop a lot on-line? Did you know you can support Special Love, Inc. (i.e., the operator of Camp Fantastic) through your on-line shopping on Amazon.com **without any cost difference** to your purchases? Amazon.com has formed a related charitable foundation, the "AmazonSmile Foundation," which donates 0.5% of the purchase price of eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the on-line shopper's registered charity. The purchase price is the amount paid for the item minus any rebates and excluding shipping & handling, gift-wrapping fees, taxes, or service charges. Once you register Special Love as your chosen charity for AmazonSmile, when you open your web browser for Amazon, **be sure** that the AmazonSmile logo appears on the home page, then the charitable donations from the AmazonSmile Foundation resulting from your purchases accumulate automatically and periodically are sent to Special Love as your designated charity.

More information about this program can be found at:

http://smile.amazon.com/gp/chpf/about/ref=smi_aas_redirect?ie=UTF8&*Version*=1&*entries*=0



Kenn Ward, Dance Committee Chair, pictured with Most Improved Dancer award winners:

Bubba Loehr, Barbara Alford, J.C. and Judy Petree



Spirit of Shag award winners:

Below: *Jimmy Easter* pictured with outgoing president Tim Sullivan and committee chair Parker Dillard;

Right: *Pam Tinsley* with Parker



Happy Birthday, Shaggers!

Joe	Tedesco	Jan.	2
Billy	Bain	Jan.	3
Diane	Dew	Jan.	3
Sandra	Gumm	Jan.	3
Susanne	Moore	Jan.	4
Sue Ann	Bickert	Jan.	5
Debbie	Meadors	Jan.	5
John	Old	Jan.	7
Steven	Bateson	Jan.	8
Glenda	Harris	Jan.	8
Janis	Grimes	Jan.	9
Judith	Tidd	Jan.	9
Gordon	Burton	Jan.	14
Jill	Porter	Jan.	14
Kay	Williams	Jan.	15
Larry	Fischer	Jan.	16
David	Ferry	Jan.	17
Cliff	Merritt	Jan.	17
Penny	Richardson	Jan.	20
Parker	Dillard	Jan.	24
Richard	Frush	Jan.	25
Helga	Gallahan	Jan.	27
Bruce M	Justice	Jan.	28
Alexander	Giannini	Jan.	29
Mark	Feola	Jan.	30
Art	Seward	Jan.	31



Hughes	Brickey	Feb	1
Kendall	Hockaday	Feb	1
Nancy	Wall	Feb	1
Barbara	Pettesch	Feb	3
Arlene	Helton	Feb	4
Peggy	Seward	Feb	5
Pam	Shultz	Feb	6
Sandra	Mawyer	Feb	9
Darrell	Ratcliffe	Feb	10
Linda	Hass	Feb	11
Donna	Kontopanos	Feb	11
Dawn	Harman	Feb	12
Charles	Cohill	Feb	13
Carrol	Cox	Feb	14
Mary Ann	Sillman	Feb	18
Sephanie	White	Feb	18
Lynn	Weishaar	Feb	19
Jackie	Fischer	Feb	22
Beverly	Robinson	Feb	24
Sam	Short	Feb	25
Russell	Vick	Feb	25
Melvin	Wilson	Feb	26
Elaine	Belville	Feb	27
Tim	Sullivan	Feb	27
Donald A.	Engle	Feb	28
Jamie L.	Lewis-Boyer	Feb	28

January 2016 Expirations

Rhonda	Armentrout
Billy	Bain
Ron	Bessent
Louisa	Blair
Bill	Boyer III
Avery	Goodwin
Rusty	Gressett
Jim	Hall
Linda	Hass
Shirley	Holmes
Fay	Martin
Pat	Nelson
Emett	Nuckols
Billy	Pearsall
Brenda	Price
Larry	Price
Larry	Ricker
Sharon	Ricker
Toni	Termini
Kathy	Thompson
Cynthia	Walton
Mike	Walton

We want YOU ...



Lucy	White
Rob	White
Kaye	Williams
Sam	Williams
Rosa	Young

February 2016 Expirations

Beth	Ager
George	Andrews
Frank	Butler, Jr
Jane	Chaffin
Whit	Cochran
Carrol	Cox
Lisa	Cox
Steve	Dawson
Dick	Frush

Janis	Grimes
Glenda	Harris
Diane	Hart
Renee	Manley
Alan	Michaelis
John	Moore
Sue	Moore
Debra	Owen
Ray	Paul
JC	Petree
Judy	Petree
Penny	Richardson
Sambo	Richardson
Maureen	Romanosky
Ron	Romanosky
Cheri	Shehane
Mary Kathryn	Taylor
Brad	West, Jr.
Stephanie	White
Dickie	Wilson
Gloria	Wright



FEBRUARY ACTIVITES 2016



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednes- day	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 6:30 – 7:30 Lean	3	4 6:30 – 8:00 Intro & Basic Step	5 Shaggers at Heart ←	6 Shaggers at Heart → Wmsburg
7	9	9 6:30 – 7:30 Belly Roll	10 7:00 Board Mtg. #2 Batchellor Home Ash Wednesday	11 6:30 – 8:00 Start, Female & Male Turns	12	13 NVSC Jackie & Charlie Event
14 3:00 - 5:00 Shag Jam 5-8 Social Valentine's Day	15 Feb/Mar News- letter Deadline Presidents' Day	16 6:30 Gen. Mem. Meeting No Shag Class Birthday Dance	17	18 6:30 – 8:00 Trail Pass, Half Turn, Front & Back Preps	19 Non-Pro Shag Contest Savilles' NMB ←	20 Non-Pro Shag Contest Savilles' NMB →
21	22	23 6:30- 7:30 Boogie Walk	24	25 6:30 – 8:00 Sugarfoot	26 RSC Brunswick Stew	27 RSC Brunswick Stew Canceled CSA Contest Augusta, GA
28	29 Leap Year					



Come & celebrate with Parker, Jean, and Ron as they are inducted into the Shaggers Hall of Fame!

2016 Virginia Shaggers Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony

March 25 - 27, 2016

Fredericksburg Hospitality House & Conference Center
2801 Plank Rd, Central Park, Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Call (800) 682-1049 for reservations and mention The Virginia Shaggers Hall of Fame or contact Jennifer Pickerel through the link below

Hotel Reservation Link:

<https://bookings.ihotelier.com/Fredericksburg-Hospitality-House/bookings.jsp?hotelID=15003&groupID=1473706>

FREE POURS ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENINGS

DANCE WORKSHOPS ON SATURDAY WITH DALE & JIM HERN

LINE DANCE CLASS WITH MARSHA RUTH

MUSIC PROVIDED BY JERRY CANADA & LARRY BLACK

INDUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS ON SATURDAY EVENING

COME THURSDAY AND JOIN ABCDJ CRAIG JENNINGS AND THE BATTLEFIELD BOOGIE CLUB'S DANCE AT THE HOTEL *

Event Tickets are \$75 per person. This includes breakfast each morning, special events during the day, heavy appetizers Friday evening, and buffet dinner Saturday evening, along with the Gospel Hour on Sunday morning. *

There are NO one day event tickets and no refunds. Tables seat 10 and may be reserved - full payment of \$750 is required at the time of reservation.

Seating arrangements are/will be available on the Virginia Shaggers Hall of Fame web page, www.VSHOF.com.

If you wish to reserve seating, please contact Valerie Canada by email at valvshof@gmail.com or at 757-484-8398 with your request. All attendees must fill out the form below and send it to the address on the form with a check made to VSHOF for the total amount due.

COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW AND SEND IT IN WITH A CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO: VSHOF

VSHOF, c/o Valerie Canada, 4712 Cinnamon Teal Ct. Portsmouth, VA 23703

Tickets For:

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ No of Tickets: _____ email: _____

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Please check:

- Member of the Virginia Shaggers Hall Of Fame or
- Attending as a supporter of the Virginia Shaggers Hall Of Fame





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Tuesday: Intermediate lessons begin at 7:00pm

Thursday: Beginner lessons begin at 6:30pm

RHYTHM & NEWS

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Rhythm & News invites YOUR stories or memories of shag events that you have attended, or the role shag dancing plays in your life.

Let us hear from you! Photos (with captions) are welcome, also.

We would like to make our newsletter our own form of “social media!” Please share with your fellow club members through *Rhythm & News*. Send your submissions to pstinsley@verizon.net

Care and Concern

Susan Sober’s sister Janice passed away on January 15. The service was scheduled for Saturday, January 23, in Virginia Beach.

Bill Boyer is resting at home after a two week hospital stay due to a serious bout of streptococcal pneumonia.



RSC Members!

See your business ad here!

Contact Kevin Byrnes for details.

kfbyrnes@verizon.net

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.)

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 at 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.) Thanks!



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Membership Fee is \$30.00 (7-1-2012)

**** \$25 fee for returned checks ****

- New Member
- Renewal/Returning Member

Pick up your membership card at the RSC Club desk.

Date: _____

New Expiration Date: _____

Please complete form in full & write legibly!

Name #1: _____
Last First Nickname Birthday (Year Optional)

Name #2: _____
Last First Nickname Birthday (Year Optional)

Address: _____
Street or PO Box City State Zip Code

Phone: _____ Occupation: _____
Home/Primary Cell/Secondary Work (optional) (Optional)

Email Address #1: _____

Email Address #2: _____

NOTE: Home phone and email address provided above are used to provide you with the newsletter, messages about Club activities, club-related events, member news, etc. They are not shared with other groups or organizations. Do not include if you do not wish to receive these notices.

I was encouraged to join the RSC by _____
RSC member's name)

- I would be interested in helping with the following committee(s):**
- ___ Annual Party (August)
 - ___ Golf Tournament (June)
 - ___ Host & Hostess (RSC desk)
 - ___ Social (Sunday Socials, Parties, etc.)
 - ___ Ways and Means (Fund-raising)

- New Members**
- I learned about the RSC from:
- ___ A friend that is a member
 - ___ Another shag club
 - ___ A demonstration at an event
 - ___ The Internet/Website
 - ___ Other _____

This information is true to the best of my knowledge. By my signature, I agree to abide by the rules and by the bylaws of the Richmond Shag Club. I understand that my membership may be revoked by the Club at any time it may be deemed necessary. I agree that the Richmond Shag Club and its Board of Directors shall not be held responsible for any accidents, personal injury or loss of any personal property associated with my attendance at, or participation in, any Club function.

Member #1: _____
Signature Printed Name Date

Member #2: _____
Signature Printed Name Date

For RSC Staff Use Only: Next Membership Renewal Date: _____ Card Made
Cash: \$ _____ Check: \$ _____ Check #: _____ Received by: _____