



Weekly Newsletter
June 28, 2025

Announcements

Almost time for our July 4th party on Saturday, July 5th. Don't forget to wear red, white, and blue! We will also celebrate July Birthdays!

We are now in need of candy for the front desk. Donations are appreciated.

SOS Fun Monday tickets are now on sale – see an executive board member to purchase. More information can be found [here](#).

SOS Fall Migration dates are September 11 – 21. You can purchase SOS cards for \$40 from Kathy Stowers.



Our club charity Camp Sunshine amount is now \$1,752.45! You can donate at the welcome table.

Prayer Requests

Please remember our friends in your prayers:

***Fredia Thomas – you can send cards to Lakes at Gainesville Assisted Living,
Room 136 Fredia Thomas, 2435 Limestone Parkway, Gainesville, GA. 30501***

Jack Teague

Mike Williford

Mark Burson – recovering from back surgery

Debbie Hicks – shoulder surgery

Pam Swann – knee surgery

Barbara Jones – surgery

ShagAtlanta Upcoming Events

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Event</u> | <u>DJ</u> |
|-------------|--|--------------|
| 07/05/25 | Patriotic Party July Birthday Celebration | Rich Kopels |
| 07/12/25 | Let's Dance | Jim Agee |
| 07/19/25 | Let's Dance | Ken Hughes |
| 07/26/25 | Let's Dance | Cliff Capps |
| 08/02/25 | August Birthday Celebration | Joe Tutt |
| 08/09/25 | Let's Dance | Ken Hughes |
| 08/16/25 | Quarterly Business Meeting | Rich Kopels |
| 08/23/25 | Let's Dance | Norman Mills |
| 08/30/25 | Let's Dance | Jim Agee |
| 09/06/25 | Tailgate Party September Birthday Celebration | Joe Tutt |
| 09/13/25 | Let's Dance | Cliff Capps |
| 09/20/25 | Let's Dance | Ken Hughes |
| 09/27/25 | Let's Dance | Rich Kopels |

We Appreciate Our Volunteers!



***Thank you to Amy Hutcheson and Bill Train for serving at the
Welcome Table!***



ShagAtlanta

Celebrates

Fourth of July

★★★★ **ON** ★★★★★

SATURDAY 7/05

Brimstone in Alpharetta, GA

DJ: Rich Kopels

7-10PM



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Thank you to Donna Esposito for taking our photos and taking our Facebook Live!

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Thank you to Elaine Willingham and Doug Payne for selling split the kitty tickets!

Member Lottery

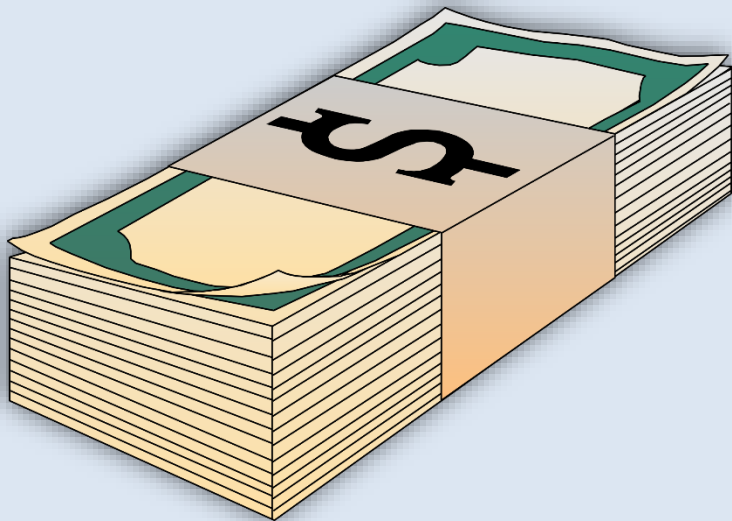
Barbara Thurmond would have won \$215.

Winners must be:

- 1) a member of the ShagAtlanta
- 2) present at the drawing

Next Amount:

\$258.50



How does it work? Each week we collect money for split the kitty. One fourth of the money goes to the club to cover expenses, one fourth of the money goes to the member lottery, and one half of the money goes to the split the kitty winner.

Split The Kitty Winner



Paul Harris won \$87 for our split the kitty!

Our DJ



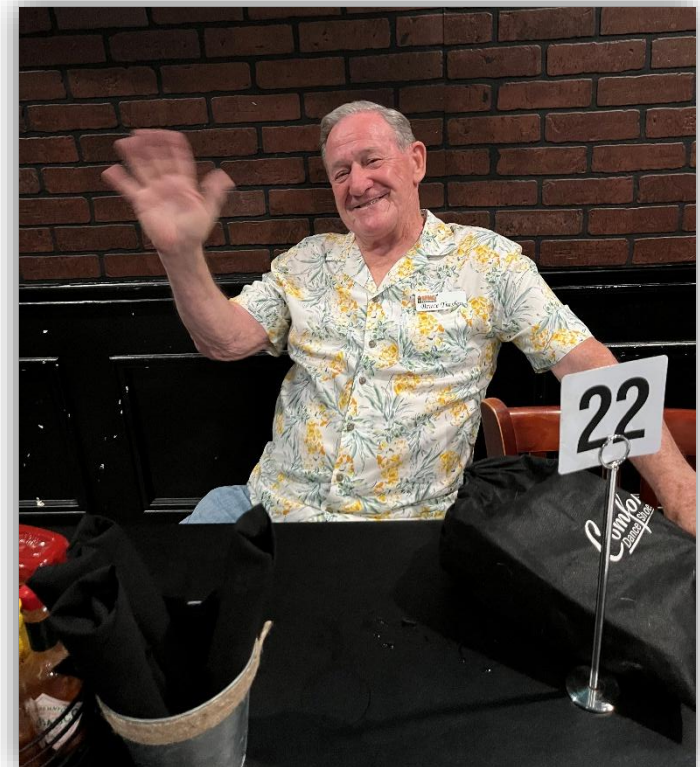
Thanks to Ken Hughes for spinning our tunes!

















July Birthdays

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|-----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Tommy</i> | <i>Boatright</i> | <i>Jul-02</i> |
| <i>Kabee</i> | <i>Johnston</i> | <i>Jul-02</i> |
| <i>Ann</i> | <i>Sjoholm</i> | <i>Jul-03</i> |
| <i>Vicki F</i> | <i>Frost</i> | <i>Jul-04</i> |
| <i>Martha</i> | <i>Murphy</i> | <i>Jul-06</i> |
| <i>Betty Lou</i> | <i>Stokes</i> | <i>Jul-07</i> |
| <i>Gloria</i> | <i>Coker</i> | <i>Jul-09</i> |
| <i>Charlene</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Jul-13</i> |
| <i>Cooper E.</i> | <i>Taylor, Jr.</i> | <i>Jul-19</i> |
| <i>Larry</i> | <i>Gause</i> | <i>Jul-20</i> |
| <i>Janine Rivera</i> | <i>Deen</i> | <i>Jul-22</i> |
| <i>Barbara</i> | <i>Harris</i> | <i>Jul-22</i> |
| <i>Gary</i> | <i>Smith</i> | <i>Jul-23</i> |
| <i>Janet</i> | <i>Collins</i> | <i>Jul-27</i> |
| <i>Sharon</i> | <i>Clark</i> | <i>Jul-28</i> |
| <i>Buddy</i> | <i>Barber</i> | <i>Jul-29</i> |
| <i>Teresa</i> | <i>Mattox</i> | <i>Jul-31</i> |

Birthday cake & birthday dances occur on the 1st 'dance' Saturday each month!

Upcoming Shag Dance Parties

For the Full List Go To: [Parties and Events \(shagdance.com\)](http://Parties and Events (shagdance.com))

For the Full List of Junior Shag Events Go To: <https://juniorshaggers.com/>

| <u>Event</u> | <u>Location</u> | <u>Dates</u> | <u>Flyer Link</u> |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| <i>Junior SOS</i> | <i>North Myrtle Beach, SC</i> | <i>7/15/25 - 7/20/25</i> | <u>Flyer</u> |
| <i>Shaggin on the Santee</i> | <i>Santee, SC</i> | <i>7/24/25 - 7/26/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Sparkle City Celebration</i> | <i>Spartanburg, SC</i> | <i>7/25/25 - 7/26/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Sand Gnat Shag-A-Ganza</i> | <i>Jekyll Island, GA</i> | <i>8/07/25 - 8/10/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Chattanooga Shag Trackx</i> | <i>Chattanooga, TN</i> | <i>8/13/25 - 8/16/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Meet Me in the Middle</i> | <i>Greenville, SC</i> | <i>8/15/25 - 8/16/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Shaggers Holiday</i> | <i>Charleston, SC</i> | <i>8/22/25 - 8/23/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>SOS Fall Migration</i> | <i>North Myrtle Beach, SC</i> | <i>9/11/25 - 9/21/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Shag-A-Rama</i> | <i>Panama City Beach, FL</i> | <i>10/15/25 - 10/18/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Fall Bash</i> | <i>Johnson City, TN</i> | <i>10/17/25 10/18/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Orange Squeeze</i> | <i>Daytona Beach, FL</i> | <i>11/20/25 - 11/22/25</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Island Winter Classic</i> | <i>Hilton Head Island, SC</i> | <i>01/22/26 - 01/24/26</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Shaggers @ Heart</i> | <i>Newport News, VA</i> | <i>02/06/26 - 02/08/26</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Shaggin on the Seas Cruise</i> | <i>Bahamas</i> | <i>02/14/26 - 02/19/26</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>Shag Extravangaza</i> | <i>Columbia, SC</i> | <i>08/07/26 - 08/08/26</i> | <u>Link</u> |
| <i>SOS Reunion Cruise 2</i> | <i>Canada and New England</i> | <i>10/16/26 - 10/29/26</i> | <u>Link</u> |