



Christmas Party Edition

Newsletter
December 6, 2025

Announcements

If you missed our Christmas party, you missed a fabulous event! Thank you to everyone that attended our party!

On 12/13, we will celebrate December birthdays.

Kathy Stowers is selling SOS Cards for 2026 for \$40 each!



***Our club charity Camp Sunshine amount is now \$2,986.15!
You can donate at the welcome table.***

Thank you!

Thank you to the following people that donated gift baskets or items for our Christmas party!

***Donna Esposito
Nena and Dick Gavigan
Bob and Debbie Tweedell
Rena Woods
Barbara Jones
Amy Hutcheson
Lani Haynes
Katelyn Siegel
Brittany Lebo
Janell Nelson
Don and Bonny Hicks***

Thank you!

***Thank you to the following people that helped with setup or
breakdown for our Christmas party!***

Barbara Jones

Amy Hutcheson

Donna Esposito

Lani Haynes

Rich Kopels

Doug and Barbara Payne

Kathy Stowers

Daria Fernalld

Cindy Jones

Katelyn Siegel (Donna Esposito's daughter)

Isy Cabrera

***Thank you to Gloria Coker and Vicki Nicholson for serving at our
beverage station!***

Lost and Found



***Did you leave this Marc New York jacket at our Christmas party?
Please see a board member to retrieve your item.***

Prayer Requests

Please remember our friends in your prayers:

Debbie Hicks -knee surgery

Jack Teague

Mike Williford

Sally Johnson -surgery

ShagAtlanta Upcoming Events

<u><i>Date</i></u>	<u><i>Event</i></u>	<u><i>DJ</i></u>
<i>12/13/25</i>	<i>December Birthday Celebration</i>	<i>Joe Tutt</i>
<i>12/20/25</i>	<i>Ugly Sweater Night Special Step Dance Lesson</i>	<i>Buck Crumpton</i>
<i>12/27/25</i>	<i>Let's Dance</i>	<i>Jim Agee</i>
<i>01/03/26</i>	<i>Let's Dance</i>	<i>TBD</i>
<i>01/10/26</i>	<i>Re-Up Night Shivers Line Dance Lesson</i>	<i>TBD</i>

The background of the entire poster is a festive winter scene. It features a central illustration of Santa Claus with a white beard, wearing a red hat and a blue sweater with white snowflake patterns. He is sticking his tongue out. The scene is decorated with green pine branches, white snowflakes, and several Christmas ornaments in blue and green. The text "UGLY SWEATER Night" is prominently displayed in the center. "UGLY SWEATER" is in large, white, knitted-style block letters, and "Night" is in a red, cursive script font.

UGLY SWEATER Night

SAT - DEC - 20 - 7PM

Brimstone in Alpharetta, GA

DJ: Buck Crumpton

**Cover: Free for Members
\$5 for Visitors**

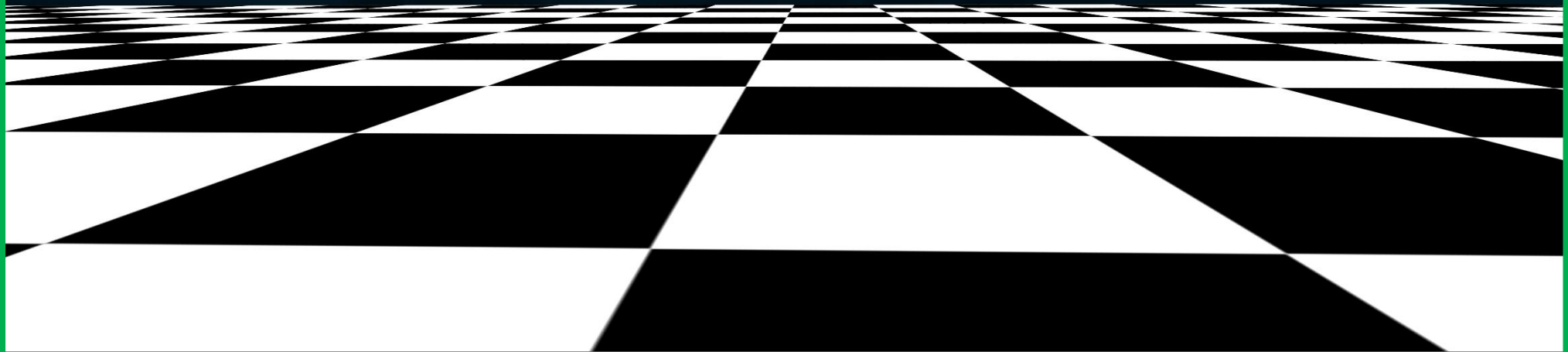
*Carolina Shag
Special Step*

CLASS

**Fishtails will be taught
Saturday, December 20**

Time: 6:30-7PM

Instructors: Don and Bonny Hicks



Brimstone Restaurant in Alpharetta, GA

ShagAtlanta Re-Up Night!



\$45 to Renew Membership

SATURDAY, JANUARY 10th

Time: 7-10PM

Cover: Free for Members, \$5 for Non-Members



SHIVERS LINE DANCE CLASS

Saturday, January 10
6:30-7PM

Brimstone in Alpharetta, GA

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We Appreciate Our Volunteers!



Thank you to Lani Haynes, Daria Fernalld, and Kathy Stowers for serving at the welcome table!

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***Thank you to Katelyn Siegel and Rena Wood for taking
our photos!***

We Appreciate Our Volunteers!



***Thank you Elaine Willingham, Oren Bar, Susan Pearson,
and Harry Lee for selling split the kitty tickets!***

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***Thank you Isy Cabrera and Katelyn Siegel for
selling split the kitty and basket raffle tickets!***

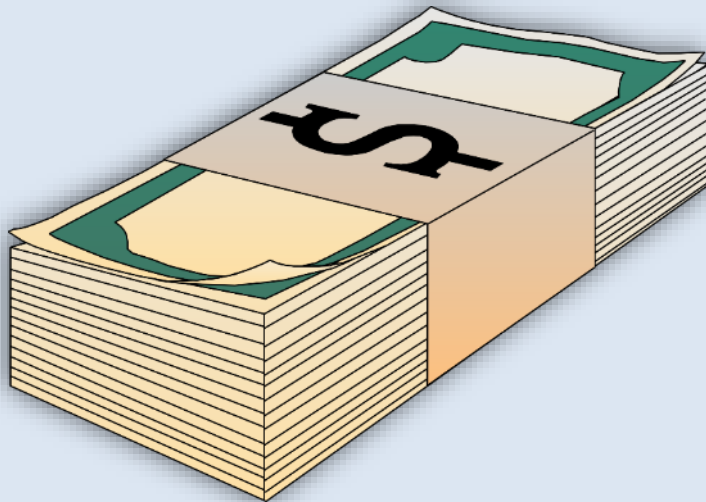
Member Lottery

There was no drawing at the
Christmas party.
Next drawing on 12/13.

Next Amount:
\$502

Winners must be:

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



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



***Congratulations to Rick Sjolholm for winning \$452
in our split the kitty!***

Dance Card Winners



***Congratulations to our dance card winners -
Susan Wilson and David Jones!***

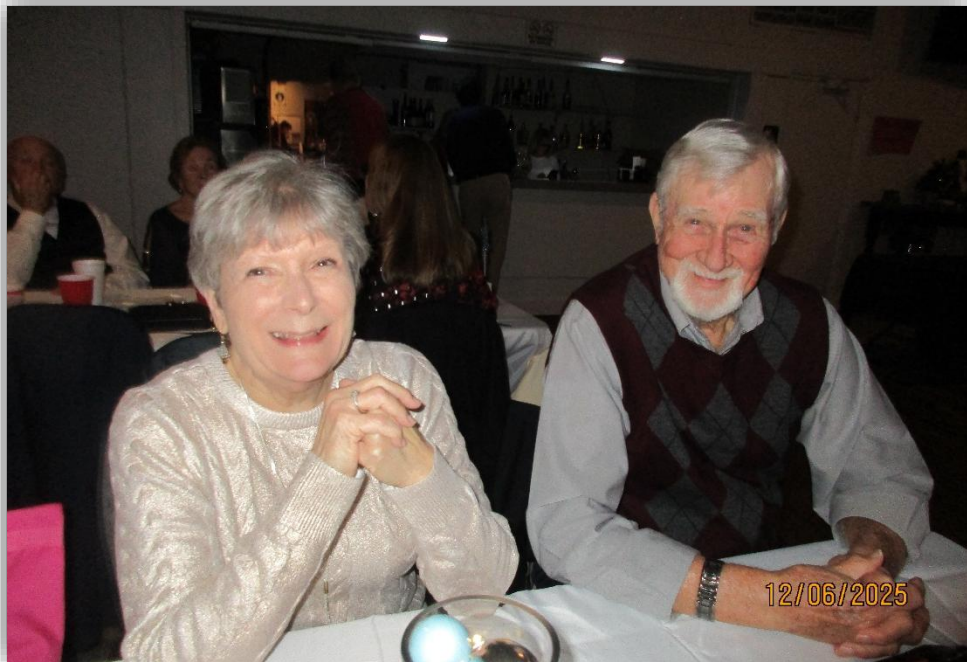
Our DJ



*Our DJs in the house!
Thank you to Jim Agee for keeping us on the dance floor!*













































December Birthdays

Tom	Martin	Dec-02
Butch	Renaldo	Dec-02
Elaine	Willingham	Dec-02
Ronnie	Hall	Dec-03
Dennis	Franklin	Dec-04
Dennis	Larkins	Dec-04
Jim	Henry	Dec-07
Pam	Santoro	Dec-07
Bettie	Asip	Dec-13
Michelle	Jericevich	Dec-15
Mark	Donahue	Dec-18
Barbara	Payne	Dec-18
Tom	Birkle	Dec-29
Clay	Barrickman	Dec-30
Mark	Burson	Dec-30

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>New Year's Eve Party</i>	<i>Columbia, SC</i>	<i>12/31/2025</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>SOS Mid-Winter</i>	<i>North Myrtle Beach, SC</i>	<i>01/16/26 - 01/18/26</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>Storm</i>	<i>Anderson, SC</i>	<i>02/06/26 - 02/07/26</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>Smoky Mountain Boogie</i>	<i>Pigeon Forge, TN</i>	<i>03/12/26 - 03/14/26</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>CSRA Shag Classic</i>	<i>Augusta, GA</i>	<i>03/20/26 - 03/22/26</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>SOS Spring Safari</i>	<i>North Myrtle Beach, SC</i>	<i>04/17/26 - 04/26/26</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>Meet Me in the Middle</i>	<i>Greenville, SC</i>	<i>05/15/26 - 05/17/26</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>Southern Comfort</i>	<i>Columbia, SC</i>	<i>05/30/26 - 06/01/26</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>Alaska Cruise</i>	<i>Alaska</i>	<i>06/24/26 - 07/01/26</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>SOS Summer Workshop</i>	<i>Columbia, SC</i>	<i>07/17/26 - 07/19/26</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>Sparkle City Celebration</i>	<i>Spartanburg, SC</i>	<i>07/24/26 - 07/25/26</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>Shag Extravangaza</i>	<i>Columbia, SC</i>	<i>08/07/26 - 08/08/26</i>	<u>Link</u>
<i>Shag Trackx</i>	<i>Chattanooga East Ridge, TN</i>	<i>08/12/26 - 08/15/26</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>