



Florence Shag Club March 2018 Newsletter

Happy St. Patrick's Day everyone...

Before I start with the March news, I must first thank everyone that brought food to the Valentine's party. It was delicious! Our members are the best around. I am thankful for each of you and your willingness to step up when needed. We officers could not do this without the participation of our members!

The first weekend of March is DJ Throwdown at NMB. Over 80 DJ's will be playing over the weekend. Great event to put on your calendar. Dennis Osborne will be playing at the Circle Fountain, in Billy Waldrep's place, on March 2nd. Billy is being inducted into the DJ Hall of Fame on Friday night and so he had to cancel. Congratulations to Billy and thank you Dennis for coming to our rescue.

Mark your calendars for March 16th. We will be having our St. Paddy's Day party. Bill Jones will be the DJ and it is also his birthday. Please come out and join us. I will be sending out an email asking for your help again with the food. Also, we are selling tickets for the Pot of Gold. The cost is \$5.00 for a chance to win seven (7) different liquors and five (5) \$30.00 gift certificates to some great places to eat. Please see an officer for tickets. It would be great if our members would get a few tickets to sell to friends.

Scott Campbell will be starting a new beginners class and an intermediate class starting March 1st - April 5th at McLeod's Fitness Center. Beginners start at 6:30 and intermediate starts at 7:30. If you pay for one class, you can actually stay for both classes. Costs is \$60.00. If you are interested, please call Cameron Faile, Program Manager, at (843) 777-3093 to sign up.

Our Spring Business meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 17th, at 7:00 pm at the Circle Fountain. Please mark on your calendar and make plans to attend, as we will need a quorum of 25 members to have the meeting. We will be electing two members for the nominating committee. Yes, it is that time of year to be considering who will be your officers for 2019. Start thinking about whether you would be interested in serving as an officer.

We have had quite a few guests over the last several weeks and we appreciate their support, however, I must ask that they speak with an officer before passing materials out. If you see this and are not sure if they have an okay, please bring it to the attention of your officers.

Please remember to thank David, Michael and Lindsey for their support of the FSC. We are blessed to work with such caring people.

To each of you, know that you are important in the success of the FSC. You are the FSC. You are what makes this club so special.

In closing I leave you these words, "Let us read and let us dance -- two amusements that will never do any harm to the world."

Becky Berry
FSC President, 2017-2018

Thoughts and Prayers.....

Several of our members recently had health issues (Carol Weinberg, Norma Nesbitt, Gaye McLaughlin, Sheila McKenzie and Linda Price). Please continue to remember our members and families with health issues in prayer.

Also please remember Cliff Cormell (Sally Lucas) and his extended family in prayer as Cliff's son, Mitch Cormell, recently passed away.



**2018
Dates to Remember**

March 1 - 3 – DJ Throwdown

March 16 – St Paddy's Party and Pot of Gold Drawing

April 13 – Pre SOS Party

April 17 – Spring Meeting

April 20 - 29 – Spring Safari SOS

July 13 - 15 – Summer Workshop

July 17 - 22 – Junior SOS

August 10 – Cool Me Out Party

September 14 - 23 – Fall Migration SOS

October 26 – Halloween and Re-Up Party

December 7 – Christmas Party

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Mission Statement:

The purpose of the Florence Shag Club shall be to preserve, encourage and promote the education and perpetuation of the shag, to provide social activities at which emphasis is placed on the dance and to inform its members of beach music and Shag dancing activities.

May Florence Shag Club forever be a part of our lives as we keep on Shagging.

**In Loving Memory Of
John Franklin "Johnny" Billingsley**

7/1/1942 – 2/4/2018

Beloved by family

Cherished by friends



March 2018 DJs and Birthdays

SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

				1 Bday - Kathy Jamison	2 DJ - Dennis Osborne	3
4 Bday - James Ward	5 Bday - Jeannette Barefoot	6	7	8 Bday - Janice Welch	9 DJ - Buck Crumpton Bday – Ronny Hardee	10 Bday - Cathy Martin
11	12 Bday - Julie Howle	13	14	15	16 DJ - Bill Jones Bday - Ronnie Banks St Paddy's Party and Pot of Gold Drawing 	17
18	19 Bday - Ron Lewis	20 Bday - Debbie Cox	21	22 Bday - Ann Matthews	23 DJ – Keith Williamson	24 Bday - Marie White
25	26	27	28 Bday - Gregg Rogers	29 Bday - Reggie Moody	DJ – Dennis Osborne	31