

FSC July 2016 Newsletter



I want to thank some special men in our club for stepping up and addressing the air conditioning situation at the Circle Fountain. James McDonald went by the Circle and took a look at the old unit and thought they might be able to repair it by replacing an old part. They all met at the Circle one Friday, purchased the part and repaired the old unit. How long it will last, no one knows but we really appreciate everything that they did. We are so fortunate to have members like these guys in our club. Thank you, thank you, thank you: James McDonald, Ruben Anderson, Ron Baucom and Bayne Hayes.

The Reverse Raffle board is up and if you haven't purchased any tickets yet, please do so. This is our main fund raiser for the club. We are so fortunate to have a place to dance every week unlike many of the other shag clubs that have to go different places to hold their parties. The VFW and Shrine Club are having problems this year so we will not be able to use them. Maybe by next year they will be better organized and in better financial condition. We need some assistance from our members in selling and buying the tickets for the reverse raffle. We have heard some members say, "They do not gamble and won't buy a ticket". I have a suggestion that you buy a ticket and donate the winnings back to the club or donate your winnings to your favorite charity. If you can help us sell some tickets, you can pick them up on Friday night. I am so grateful to the Circle Fountain and David Martin for continuing to support the Florence Shag Club.

Our Cool Me Out will be on August 5, 2016 at the Circle Fountain. We have some great items for the silent auction and the best breakfast ever catered by the Venue Restaurant & Catering Service. John Smith will be our DJ and as you know he is one of the greatest and will keep the joint rocking with your favorite tunes. The cost for the one day party will be \$10.00. We are bringing the beach to the Circle Fountain for you, so sign up on any Friday night or send in your money to the FSC, CMO P. O. Box 5538, Florence, S. C. 29502. Invite your friends to come join us for a fun evening of dancing and fellowship.

The nominating committee has submitted their slate of nominees for the 2017 officers and director position. They are as follows: Pres: Becky Berry, V. Pres.: Beth Clarke: Sec.: Linda Davidson: Treasurer: Hilda Bowen. The nominee for the director position is Lou Vause. If we have other members that would like to run for an office, you can be nominated from the floor during the fall business meeting.

The summer workshop will be held this year in Columbia and this is a required meeting for the club. Guy and I will be attending this meeting on July 8 & 9, 2016.

Please keep your fellow members in your thoughts and prayers that are struggling with health issues. We all need each other to keep this club strong and financially sound. Keep on dancing and I'll see you on the dance floor.

Gerry Hayes, FSC President 2016

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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 it's members of beach music and Shag dancing activities.
May Florence Shag Club forever be a part of our lives as we keep on Shagging!

Thoughts and Prayers

Please continue to keep Bernice Williams, who is still battling cancer, in your prayers.

Dennis Osborne is at home recouping from his recent surgery. Let's pray for a 100% recovery because we sure miss Mary and him at the Circle on Friday nights.

Send prayers for Sandra Moody's family, her father and sister in law are both very ill and fighting cancer.

2016 Dates to Remember

July 8-10 Summer Workshop
July 12-17 Junior SOS NMB
July 22 Reverse Raffle Drawing at the Circle

August 5- CMO at the Circle DJ John Smith

September 9- Pre SOS Party
September 13 FSC Fall Meeting
September 16-26 SOS Fall Migration NMB

October 28 Halloween and Re-Up Party

December 9th- FSC Christmas Party

Fresh Fruit Dip


1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar
1 (8-oz.) package cream cheese, softened
1 cup sour cream
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/3 cup coffee liqueur (optional)
1 cup frozen whipped topping, thawed
Garnish: brown sugar
Assorted fruit

Preparation

1. Beat brown sugar and cream cheese at medium speed with an electric mixer until smooth. Add sour cream, vanilla, and, if desired, coffee liqueur, beating until blended and smooth; fold in whipped topping. Cover and chill 4 hours. Garnish, if desired. Serve with assorted fruit.



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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1 DJ Bill Jones Bday Johnny Billingsley	2 Debbie Askins
3 Jim Bell & Janice Maloch	4 Darryl Kirshy 	5 Sheila McKenzie	6 Becky Berry	7 Melonie Waddington	8 DJ Betty Brown	9 George Martin
10 Martha Ann Broach & Wanda Jeffers	11 Larry Stewart	12	13	14	15 DJ Skip Mallios	16
17 Judy McQueen	18 Kenny Rogers	19	20	21	22 DJ Buck Crumpton Bdays WF Cox & Sam McMillan	23
23	25 Cameron Minshew	26	27	28	29 DJ Gene Sistare Bday Mike Harrelson	30
31 Ted Vause						