



FSC Newsletter

September 2022



Hello Members,

The hot weather is finally cooling off and football season is ready to start. It's always nice to start the second half of the year and see cooler weather.

SOS will be here soon and I'm sure everyone is making their plans to attend the 10 days of music, dancing, and partying. Don't forget this is the time for "Fun Sunday and Fun Monday" with some great bands playing on the street at Ocean Drive. I have raffle tickets for sale to support this event and you have a chance to win big money. See me on Friday night to get yourself a ticket. This is the fund raiser for SOS to pay for this event. Let's help them out by buying tickets and showing our support. Remember we will not have a DJ at the Circle the two weekends of SOS (Sept. 16 and 23rd). We will have a Pre SOS party on September 9th so plan for that. Hilda will be putting something out for you great cooks to help us with the Hors-oeuvres.

Our business meeting will be at the Circle Fountain on Tuesday September 13th. There are a few items on the agenda along with the election of our 2023 officers. Remember a quorum of 25 is needed to have an official meeting and vote. Everyone is encouraged to go to the website and review the club's by-laws prior to our meeting so you will have a better understanding of how the club must operate. Congratulations to Linda Price for winning the Members Only pot. This seems to be working well and getting people out on Friday nights. Remember you must pay your \$2.00 to play and be present at the time of the drawing.

It seems that sickness has raised its ugly head recently. Hilda was hospitalized with pneumonia, Ruby Hayes had surgery to remove a tumor, Bobby O'Neal had some stents put in, Kenny Rogers had another bout with pancreatitis, and I had 3 stents put in. Thank the good Lord, we are all home and doing well. I am sure that everyone will agree with me that Hilda has been the rock that has held our club together by serving as an officer when needed and keeping the club informed with the website that she created and serving as webmaster all these years. She loves this club and supports it by keeping everyone informed through the work that she does weekly. I am sure she would like to be able to ask for assistance if she wasn't feeling well. We need a back-up person to be familiar with the website. If you would like to learn how Hilda does this, please let me know. The website is the club's primary means of communication and without it a lot of info falls through the cracks. Having someone as a backup for Hilda would be a great contribution to our club.

A word of praise and thanks to Ron, Shelia, George, Jill, Ruben, Janice, and Gerry for going with me to dance at the Pee Dee Gardens Senior Citizens home. The activities director called me, and I was able to get four couples to dance for them within a week. We had a ball dancing for them, and they were so grateful and enjoyed the entertainment. We had to do an extra dance for them before we left. Some of them wanted to get on the floor but were not able. There was some foot patting and clapping by all of them.

Congratulations and best wishes to Cliff Cornell and Sally Lucas on their nuptials. Initially I thought Cliff had knocked Sally up, but I think it was love that guided them into matrimony. Those of us that attended the wedding really enjoyed their special occasion.

In closing, I wish everyone the best during this month, and I'll see you on the dance floor.

Bayne Hayes, President FSC



September Trivia

1. September is the ninth month of the year in the Julian and Gregorian calendars.
2. It is also the third of four months to have a length of 30 days, and the fourth of five months to have a length of less than 31 days.
3. In the Northern Hemisphere September is the seasonal equivalent of March in the Southern Hemisphere.
4. That means that in the Northern hemisphere, the beginning of the meteorological autumn is on 1 September, whereas in the Southern hemisphere, the beginning of the meteorological spring is on 1 September.
5. September marks the beginning of the ecclesiastical year in the Eastern Orthodox Church.
6. It is also the start of the academic year in many countries of the northern hemisphere.
7. In many countries of the northern hemisphere children go back to school after the summer break.
8. Sometimes this happens on the first day of the month.
9. September originates from Latin *septem*, "seven".
10. It was originally the seventh of ten months in the oldest known Roman calendar, the calendar of Romulus c. 750 BC, with March (Latin *Martius*) the first month of the year.
11. This happened until perhaps as late as 451 BC.
12. After the calendar reform that added January and February to the beginning of the year, September became the ninth month but retained its name.
13. It had 29 days until the Julian reform, which added a day.
14. In the 1st century BC, an extra day was added in honor of the deified Julius Caesar on 4 September.
15. The Septimontium was celebrated in September, and on December 11 on later calendars. These dates do not correspond to the modern Gregorian calendar.
16. In 1752, the British Empire adopted the Gregorian calendar. In the British Empire that year, September 2 was immediately followed by September 14.
17. September was called "harvest month"
18. September is the only month with the same number of letters in its name in English as the number of the month.
19. In any year, no other month ends on the same day as September.
20. The only film with 'September' in its title to win an Oscar was *One Day In September* about the murder of Israeli athletes at the 1972 Olympics.
21. In 1752 September had only 19 days in the UK as we moved from the Julian to the Gregorian calendar
22. Shakespeare did not mention the month of September in any of his plays.
23. Statistics show September is the only month when share prices are likelier to fall than rise.
24. Men are banned from knitting on the island of Jersey during the fishing season months of August and September.
25. People who are born on September will either be a Virgo or a Libra in zodiac.
26. September's birthstone is the sapphire.
27. The birth flowers for September are the forget-me-not, morning glory and aster.

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"Our Purpose"

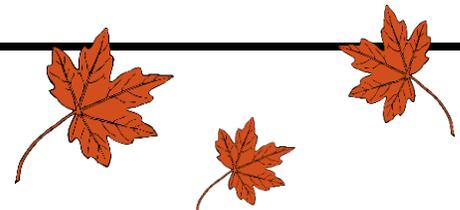
The purpose of the Florence Shag Club shall be to preserve, encourage and promote the education and perpetuation of the Shag, to provide social activities at which emphasis is placed on the dance, and to inform its members of beach music and Shag dancing activities.

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

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September 2022 DJ's & Birthdays



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TUE

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SAT

				1	2 DJ Dennis Osborne	3
4 Bday- Gerald Carroway	5 Bday- Gail Kirshy 	6	7	8 Bday- Dan Spivey	9 DJ Skip Mallios Pre SOS party	10
11 Bday- Ron Baucom	12 Bday- Maureen Eckels	13 Fall Meeting 7pm at the Circle Fountain. Need 25members to vote for officers.	14	15	16 No DJ during SOS Bday- Mike Kelly	17
18	19	20	21	22	23 No DJ during SOS Bday- Carolyn Henderson	24
25	26	27	28 Bday- John Smith	29 Bday- Mike Muir	30 DJ Roger Holcomb	