

## Mislow's Honored at Jam

Long time ShagAtlanta member, Stan Mislow, along with wife Betty, were honored with a special award plaque during the business meeting at the May USA Grand Nationals kickoff Jam Session. The award was presented to him by his close personal friend, Jerry Westbrooks on behalf of our club. Jerry said that Stan lives, breathes and thinks ShagAtlanta whenever, or wherever he is. As most of you know, Stan created our own web site back in the early days when only a few shag clubs were able to do this.

The Sunday, May 20 party and meeting event was held in a large banquet room at the Marriott Hotel in the Peachtree Corners areas of Norcross. Our DJ for the day was Farrell Watts and he kept the place jumping all afternoon. Tasty, light hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar were provided by the hotel.

After the business meeting, we were treated to a spotlight dance by special guests for the day, Jackie McGee and Charlie Womble.

*(See more photos on page 6)*



## 2007 USA Grand Nationals & ShagAtlanta



*(See more photos on page 8)*

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ShagAtlanta meets in the Reunions Lounge of the Marriott Hotel Perimeter Center (located in the Perimeter Mall Area) every Saturday night. In addition, there are quarterly business meetings and regularly scheduled jam sessions. An annual Christmas party is traditionally held the first weekend in December. We invite all Shaggers from the out of town shag clubs to visit our web site at [www.ShagAtlanta.com](http://www.ShagAtlanta.com) and see what's happening in our club

**Peach Beat Deadline**

The next deadline for the Peach Beat is set for Oct. 15. Articles of interest to shaggers and ShagAtlanta, such as shag party experiences, are desired. Recipes and jokes or humorous anecdotes will be considered. Please type your submission in a word processor, such as MSWord, MSWorks or Wordperfect. Save them as a .doc or .txt file. E-mail them to: [mwilliford@labsinc.com](mailto:mwilliford@labsinc.com)

## *President's Message*

I hope everyone is having a great summer and doing well!! Our third quarter is beginning and we have some exciting parties coming up!!

We had several events in the second quarter starting with a great membership meeting and jam in May at the Marriott Norcross. This was such a fun party with great food and great music. Everyone had a wonderful time ... as they always do.

The Grand Nationals have come and gone and it was a fun weekend for everyone involved. Jackie and Charlie expressed their gratitude to all the volunteers from ShagAtlanta and they are already in the planning stages for next year's event. If you haven't been a part of this exciting weekend, start making plans for next year because ShagAtlanta will be there again.

In September, many will be heading to the beach for the Fall Migration of SOS. Keep reading your weekly update for any special events that may be planned by ShagAtlanta members. FUN MONDAY raffle tickets are now available from an executive committee member for a mere \$10 each. You could be a BIG winner as first prize is \$7,500!!

I just returned from my first ACSC workshop in Augusta. It was a very informative meeting of all shag club presidents and shag club members that wanted to attend. The party Augusta put together wasn't half bad either. Atlanta was well represented and everyone had a great time.

We are in the planning stages for our last four parties ... the September 9 membership meeting and jam will be held at the American Legion in Smyrna, our Halloween party at the Marriott, the fundraiser for Camp Sunshine in November and, last but not least, our Christmas party. Please check the weekly update for all the information on upcoming events.

Thanks to all of you for your continued support!! It is an honor to be your President!

– Debbie

## **Shag Dance Instructors**

ShagAtlanta is indeed fortunate to have several qualified shag instructors in our club. Contact any of them for class schedules or information about private lessons.

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If any other member of ShagAtlanta is offering lessons in shag dancing, please contact the editor for a listing.

## *Vice President Communications*

With the popularity of the newer competitive dance programs on television, I was really looking forward to this year's Grand National Dance Championship. It was the 12th year for this wonderful dance event held by our own Jackie McGee and Charlie Womble. ShagAtlanta has acted as the host dance club from the beginning back in 1995. We've done this with a great deal of pride, not only because of our love and respect for Jackie and Charlie, but because those of us who like to dance and watch other very good dancers do their thing have come to realize that this event is something quite special. The competitors come by the hundreds from all over the US and even from some European countries. There is an event or division for whatever your particular expertise of swing dance. Naturally, I'm attracted more to the shag competition, and there is plenty of that at this event, but in each and every one of the other divisions, the skill level is incredible and the competition fierce. The judges, headed by Annie Hirsch, have tough tasks to put the dancers in order of finish and they do not ever verbally critique their efforts in front of the spectators contrary to the dance shows on TV. Heck, we think they're all good and appreciate their dedication to perform well and in front of around 1,600 people.

It not only the dance competition – it is a social event, as well and another reason to party whether you're a teenager or senior dancer. I get to see a lot of my old friends in the shag community who do not miss this event if they can help it. Jackie and Charlie have made every effort to insure that our dance, the Carolina Shag, is a big part of the long weekend's competition and festivities. This is the only swing dance competition event where this is done and we are indeed fortunate to be a part of this very popular event with all the dancers and most will tell you it is their favorite dance event of the year.

It can become your favorite dance event of the year, too. Please participate next year if you've never attended before and you'll understand why.

– Mike

*Have You called a friend you haven't seen in a while today, or recently, just to say hello and find out how they are doing? Sometimes, that's all it takes to make a difference in an attitude and brighten their day. You'll even feel better yourself for having done this simple act of kindness and friendship.*

# Co-Vice Presidents Social

The ShagAtlanta Christmas Party is our premier event and this year we are asking ShagAtlanta members to make YOUR club's party an occasion that will be talked about for years to come. Let's knock the socks off the shaggin' community! The new venue for this year's party will only accommodate 450 people. Let's push the envelope!

So, what is so different about the ShagAtlanta 2007 Christmas party?

Well, in an effort to do something different, liven things up and generate more member & guest interest, the executive committee has voted to hire the Craig Woolard Band to perform from 8 until midnight on Friday, Dec. 1st. Craig is a former member of The Embers and his band plays strictly beach shaggin' music. Many of you have seen them perform during SOS. Please check out their web sight <http://www.craigwoolard.com/> and you'll really be excited to be a part of this very special party! We will also have our favorite DJs back on Thursday night, before and after the band on Friday, and Saturday afternoon into the wee hours.

Charlie & Jackie have once again agreed to have a workshop on Saturday afternoon with a Jack & Jill to follow. If you've never attended one of their workshops, you have missed a thoroughly informative, & entertaining, time! If you have participated, we know you'll be back! As always, dinner will be served Saturday evening for those who have signed up.

Thursday, we'll have music playing from about 8:30-12:30, for a casual early bird kick-off to all the festivities - a great way to start your 3-day weekend! Friday, there will be the usual hospitality party from 5:00-7:00 with free snacks & beverages. We are also looking into having several vendors this year, for your shopping pleasure.

Tickets will be available for an advanced purchase price, after deadline price and at the door price. All will be offered as an entire weekend pass or as individual day passes. More on that to follow in your weekly e-mail up-dates. The social committee will be having a few prep meetings this fall & hope we can count on many of you to participate and give just a few hours - pleas will be going out next month. Remember, we can't put on a great and memorable party without a lot of your help!

And last, the hotel. This year the ShagAtlanta Christmas Party will be held at the Holiday Inn Select on Chamblee-Dunwoody Road, right off 285 & only an exit east of 'our' Marriott, so it is very convenient to loads of dining and shopping. There will be special room rates, as always - this info will also be available via e-mail soon. This hotel has been recently totally

renovated - we think you will really like the rooms, as well as the beautiful atrium with a bar for casual socializing!

So, get psyched Atlanta - we are going to PARTY! Let's make it a weekend to never forget and an event that all shaggers will covet tickets for in future years!

– Len, Diane, and Melinda

## 2007 ShagAtlanta SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<b>September</b>	Fall Jam Session Covered Dish	Sunday Sep. 9
<b>October</b>	Halloween Party	Saturday Oct. 27
<b>November</b>	Camp Sunshine Fundraiser Election of new officers (yea!) Light hors d'ouerves	Sunday Nov. 18
<b>December</b>	Christmas Party	Thursday Nov 29 Friday Dec 30 Saturday Dec 1
	New Year's Eve Party	Monday Dec 31

## DJ's at the Marriott

Aug. 11	Jim Rose	Fredericksburg, VA
Aug. 18	Rich Kopels	Alpharetta, GA
Aug. 25	Dennis Murphy	Murrells Inlet, SC
Sept. 1	Carl Simonetti	Birmingham, AL
Sept. 8	Jessie Griffin	Savannah, GA
Sept. 15	Dewitt Hinson or Jim Agee (SOS)	
Sept. 22	Dewitt Hinson or Jim Agee (SOS)	
Sept. 29	Wilkie Whaley	Marion, SC
Oct. 6	Cliff Capps	Birmingham, AL
Oct. 13	Joann Johnson	Charlotte, NC
Oct. 20	Dennie Murphy	Murrells Inlet, SC
Oct. 27	Jim Agee	Lawrence, GA

(DJ scheduling is always subject to change. See the listing at [ShagAtlanta.com](http://ShagAtlanta.com) to check the latest DJ schedule.)

# *Vice President Membership*

Can you believe the year is half over?!!! Doesn't time fly when you're having fun?! And, yes, I am having fun! If you're having half as much fun as I am, then you're having a blast!!! Last year, we ended the year with 328 members, and that is exactly where we are today. And, considering we had to drop 47 members because of non-renewal, that's not bad!!! Any new membership is icing on the cake. And, I'm expecting a lot of icing!!! We've had such good response to the free shag lessons on Saturday nights, and, we're hoping that we can equate that to more new members. Please remember, when you see someone who is taking lessons, they are potential new members. For this club to continue to survive, it must grow!!! Please encourage these people in whatever way you can. Talk to them, dance with them, let them know it only gets better!!! And, isn't that the truth!!!! Do you feel as young as I do when I'm with this group of shaggers? It's amazing how this dance, and this club, keeps us feeling young! It's just a crying shame not to share this with others!

And, speaking of the dance lessons, Alan Halpern and I won't be able to continue the lessons after September of this year, until the first of next year. We have had a couple of people step up to the plate and volunteer to help teach during this period, but, we are still looking for additional volunteers. We have fantastic dancers

in our club, (in my opinion, some of the best!), and if you could share your knowledge and joy of the Carolina Shag with new comers, it would be wonderful. If you can volunteer any time at all, please contact me at 770-752-0980, or [atbarjonesey@yahoo.com](mailto:atbarjonesey@yahoo.com). This is such a worth while effort, and if you volunteer, I don't think you will regret it!

On a more "touchy" subject, let's talk about the Weekly Update. When I start feeling comfortable and thinking everything is going smoothly, that is when something else goes wrong!!!! The last fiasco was with Comcast users, and you know who you are!!! I think, (fingers crossed!), that has now been corrected!! Let me just say this.....if you don't get your weekly update, first, let me know so I can try to find out the problem, but, then go to our website, [www.ShagAtlanta.com](http://www.ShagAtlanta.com), link on to the "Weekly Message", and you can read the current update. I want the current update to go directly to your email mailbox, but, if there are problems, you don't have to be left in the dark!!! The weekly update is just one click away!!!!

Don't hesitate to contact me if you're having any trouble with your e-mail update, or the telephone tree!!!

– Barbara

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*USA Grand Nationals Kickoff Jam Session Photos by Joe Woodie and the editor*



**IMPORTANT NOTICE**  
The Saturday night of August 4th, a private party has been booked in the Perimeter Marriott Reunions Lounge by the events catering staff. Therefore, ShagAtlanta will not be gathering in the lounge that particular evening. This occurrence is regrettable, but is expected occasionally from such a busy hotel. If another place is found for that night, a message will be sent out in the weekly Update, the PhoneTree and our web site.

# *Shag Nite at Camp Sunshine*



June 18th was Shag Nite at Camp Sunshine! ShagAtlanta volunteers, Henry & Teri Fuller, Lester & Betty Lou Stokes, Buddy & Christie Rogers and their grandson, Michael Johnston, descended upon the camp for the 7:00 pm class, which was attended by campers, Kristin, Evette and Ashley, and “Ms. Kay” Ingalls, who was a counselor at the Camp again this year.

This year was Kristin’s third year participating in the Camp’s shag night, so she was ready and willing to learn some of the more challenging shag steps . . . boogie walk; belly roll; duck walk. She’s a natural!

Evette and Ashley were new to the dance, but by the end of the night, both were dancing their basic steps along with male and female turns and huge smiles on their faces! All three wanted to keep dancing, even after the class was over!

ShagAtlanta outfitted each of the campers in colorful ShagAtlanta T-shirts and Camp Sunshine returned the favor by outfitting each of the ShagAtlanta volunteers with a Camp Sunshine T-shirt as well as a friendship bracelet for each of us.

Betty Lou Stokes was very generous and donated

to the campers and volunteers merchandise from her business — personalized sanddollars! Thanks Betty Lou!

Thanks to Jim Agee who helped put the music together for the class and thank you to Wanda Watson and Kathy Stowers who were ready and willing to help with the class but opted out when it was learned that the class was going to be very small (dance was just one of the venues being offered during the 7:00 pm hour on June 18th — “Hummmmm, do I want to learn to be a circus performer and walk on stilts, spin plates on a pole and juggle, or do I want to learn to dance?” Kristin, Evette and Ashley, of course, chose the correct door enabling each one on one instruction from the ShagAtlanta volunteers).

The entire evening was fun and rewarding for all of us. This event has been an annual event at Camp Sunshine for many years, and, if ShagAtlanta’s participation is requested again next year, please plan to come out to the Camp for a very memorable and satisfying experience.

*Christie Rogers*

*USA Grand Nationals Photos by Joe Woodie and the editor*





# Christmas Party Weekend

Nov. 29 – Dec 1, 2007

Holiday Inn Select

Chamblee-Dunwoody Rd. & I-285

Atlanta, Georgia

This year, we're in a new easy to find location and, in addition to the usual fabulous DJ's, **The Craig Woolard Band** will play their great hits and your favorite shagging songs on Friday night from 8:00 til midnight. Also, ShagAtlanta's own **Charlie Womble & Jackie McGee** will offer a **FREE** Workshop and Jack & Jill Contest. Check our web site, [www.shagatlanta.com](http://www.shagatlanta.com) for more information and an official registration flyer to follow.

Hey ya'll, we're pulling out all the stops to make this year's Christmas Party the best one ever. Make your plans now!

**DON'T MISS OUT ON ALL THE FUN!**

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

## AUGUST

Sharon S. Dandridge	Aug-01
Leonard L. Gazaway	Aug-01
Jerry Knight	Aug-05
Tony Dunaway	Aug-08
Ann U. Blake	Aug-10
Bob Cookson	Aug-10
Bruce Yates	Aug-11
Nance Knight	Aug-13
Chip Perry	Aug-14
Mike Foran	Aug-17
Gary Jackson	Aug-17
Isabelle Cledaras	Aug-19
Merrillee Waterstone	Aug-20
Kathy Dukes	Aug-23
Laurie Yarbrough	Aug-23
Kerry Frost	Aug-25
Ellen Goddard	Aug-28
Rob Roberts	Aug-28
Paulette Stern	Aug-28
Linda Sweat	Aug-29
Ronnie Vaughn	Aug-29
Lester Stokes	Aug-30
Debbie Hicks	Aug-31
Jerry Munson	Aug-31

## SEPTEMBER

James Brantley	Sep-01
Jerry Blake	Sep-04
Judy Britt	Sep-04
Barbara Chastain	Sep-04
Robin Cookson	Sep-08
Connie Michael	Sep-10
Doug Payne	Sep-10

Jim Wimberly, Jr.	Sep-10
Karin Binder	Sep-11
Mel Holt	Sep-11
Billy Waldrep	Sep-14
Robyn Rogers	Sep-15
Moe Patterson	Sep-16
Dottie Rachels	Sep-16
Brenda Russell	Sep-16
Jerry Downing	Sep-17
Tim Webb	Sep-20
Ralph Henry	Sep-24
Ernie Ahlquist	Sep-25
Bonnie Hicks	Sep-25
Butch Dukes	Sep-28
Linda Brooks	Sep-30
Jane Smith	Sep-30
Deanie Woodie	Sep-30

## OCTOBER

Ronnie A. Goodwin	Oct-04
Bob Steen	Oct-04
Walt Bubenheim	Oct-06
Alton Smith	Oct-06
Jerry Westbrooks	Oct-07
Sheilah Williams	Oct-09
Marcia Baynes	Oct-10
E.J. Jones-Johnson	Oct-11
Fred Jordan	Oct-11
Jessie Griffin	Oct-12
Frank Patton	Oct-12
Ann McElroy	Oct-13
Ronnie Walker	Oct-13
Tim Hammett	Oct-15
Nancy Connell	Oct-17

Diane Cole	Oct-18
Richard McElroy	Oct-18
Chrystelle Ensley	Oct-20
Judy Kelly	Oct-20
Bill New	Oct-20
Charlie Womble	Oct-20
Beth Turner	Oct-21
Cheryl Phillips	Oct-22
Donna Ross	Oct-22
Wanda Pratt	Oct-25
Mark Williams	Oct-26
Allen Davis	Oct-27
Linda James	Oct-27
Kevin Lomax	Oct-27
Madge Caldwell	Oct-29
Barbara Jones	Oct-29
Kathy Stowers	Oct-29
Bonnie Bubenheim	Oct-30



## GUESS THE MYSTERY SHAGGER

Rena Wood guessed correctly that it was none other than our shag dance enthusiast **Page Jones Payne** pictured in the past *Peach Beat* as child. Rena says she knew immediately because Page and her cousin look enough alike to be twins. They looked the same as children, also. We need to figure out a way to get them together sometime.

This issue's Mystery Shagger appears to be a scholarly young man and great things were expected in his future life

after graduation. Perhaps even becoming a great leader. I could drop a lot of hints, but then it would make it too easy to guess who this is.

The first member who guesses the identity of this shagger will win a free shag music CD. You can Email your guess to me: [mwilliford@labsinc.com](mailto:mwilliford@labsinc.com) or phone me at 678-427-9936.

Don't forget to submit in your early life photo for consideration, also.



# Calendar of Shag Club Events

## JULY

**July 13-15:** 2007 ACSC Summer "Dancing in Dixie" Workshop  
Location: Augusta Marriott Hotel and Suites located on the Savannah River in downtown Augusta. Cost: \$55 if postmarked by 6/8/07 then \$65. Great DJ's all weekend. When you contact The Augusta Marriott Hotel and Suites use the following booking codes for reservations CSRCSRA--hotel tower; CSRCSRO--suites tower. The shag group rate is \$99 plus applicable sales tax. The cut off date for the hotel is June 12, 2007, so you need to book early. After that date, group rates do not apply. The flyer with party registration form is on the website [www.csrashag.com](http://www.csrashag.com). Hotel: Augusta Marriott Hotel and Suites 1-800-316-5958. Party Contact: George Perkins 706-825-5199 or email [musicman@knology.net](mailto:musicman@knology.net)

**July 27-28:** 17th Annual Boogie & Bogy in the Pines in Rockingham, NC. Location: The National Golf Club, Southern Pines, NC. Time: 7 p.m. 7/27 thru 1 a.m. 7/29. Cost: \$45 per person, \$50 after 7/7. DJ(s): Ray Scott, Gene Sistare. Dancing at the National Golf Club Ballroom. Friday 7 p.m. to 12 a.m., Saturday 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Hors d'oeuvres, cash bar and door prizes. Smoke free inside, free shuttle. Golf at the Jack Nicklaus designed "National" special rates of \$40 Friday and Saturday morning. (Call Roger Racster 910-673-2547 for tee times). World famous pool party 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, free food and beer. Hotel \$58 + tax until 7/7/07. First 75 rooms are pool-side. Profits from this party to our charity, The KT Foundation (a crippling disease in children) Call or email for flyer and pre-registration form. Hotel: The Days Inn, US 1 N. S. Pines, NC. 800-262-5737 or 910-692-8585. Contact: Joan Gibson 910-895-3183 or email [jgib@carolina.net](mailto:jgib@carolina.net).

**July 27-28:** Sparkle City Celebration in Spartanburg, SC. Hosted by R&B Shag Club of Spartanburg. Location: The Marriott at Renaissance Park, 299 N. Church St. Spartanburg, SC 29306. Time: 6 p.m. Friday - Sunday A.M. Cost: \$60 before June 30 - \$65 after June 30. Limited to 400 tickets. One day tickets available after June 30. DJ:(TBA). A Park & Party weekend in an elegant hotel with a smoke-free ballroom with a very large wooden dance floor. Free Shag Workshops with all pro and experienced instructors, pool party with duck race, hospitality room, dances each night with great DJ's who are members of the DJ Association, split the pot, silent auction, vendors, fun & friendship, gold tee-times available. Cash bar with reasonable prices & free pours. Supper Friday at 6:30. Snack by the pool Saturday afternoon, fried chicken dinner Saturday night, and continental breakfast Sunday. We're at the crossroads of I-26 and I-85. Hotel: Marriott at Renaissance Park - ask for Sparkle City rates of \$79 per room. 864-596-1211 or [www.marriott.com](http://www.marriott.com) CODE CITA. Contact: Phyllis Drake 864-583-4656 or email [drakepg@aol.com](mailto:drakepg@aol.com).

**July 27-29:** Capital Shag Classic in Herndon, VA. Hosted by Northern Virginia Shag Club. Time: 4 p.m. Friday - 12 Noon Sunday. Cost: \$75. DJ: Kyle Beam and our NVS ABSCDJ's. New Location Hilton Washington Dulles Airport, 13869 Park Center Rd. Herndon, VA. Weekend Dance Party and Roaring 20's Celebration with legendary Instructors Sam and Lisa West. FREE Shag workshops and private lessons available. Ticket cost include, FREE workshop, some meals, All-You-Can-Eat dinner, 2 breakfasts, Special guest entertainment, FREE pours of your favorite beverages, over 20 hours of beach music for dancing, pool party, all in a smoke-free, junior friendly environment. Hotel: Hilton Washing Dulles Airport 703-478-2900 features luxurious rooms, \$89/night, (mention NVSC) Directions at [www.washingtondulles.hilton.com](http://www.washingtondulles.hilton.com). Contact: Larry Boyer 703-739-0441 or [boyer@flazyl.us](mailto:boyer@flazyl.us)

## AUGUST

**Aug 16-18:** Shag Tracks XIII in Chattanooga, TN. Hosted by Choo Choo Shag Club. Location: Alhambra Shrine Temple. Time: TBA. Cost: \$50 til June 1, 2007. DJ: TBA. Details are being finalized for a great party weekend. Free Dance workshops. Free Shuttle to the dance each evening. Fabulous Pool Party. Duck Races, Door Prizes, 50/50 drawings. BYOB!! Free set ups. Free Adult beverages. You must be 21 to attend. Great dance floor and large spacious facilities. More information soon on this great party. This is a Charity Event for the Alhambra Shrine Temple. Hotel: Comfort Inn and Suites East Ridge, TN. Contact: Rose Kellar [rmkellar@aol.com](mailto:rmkellar@aol.com).

**Aug 31, Sept 1 & 2:** Labor Day Dance Party in Daytona Beach, FL. Hosted by Daytona Beach Shag Club. Location: Daytona Beach, FL. Time: 9 a.m. to 1 a.m. for 3 days. Cost: \$40 now, after August 2 \$50, \$30 each day event. DJ(s): Bill Waldrep, Clyde Waller, Larry Jones. Co-Sponsors, First Coast Shag Club, Jacksonville, FL. Sun Coast Shag Club, Tampa FL. Free Carolina Shag Dance Workshops, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. \$10 advanced workshops on Saturday and Sunday. Florida Shag Dance "Hall of Fame" Induction on Saturday at 9:30 p.m. Free Pours, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Hotel: The Hilton Daytona Beach Oceanfront Resort, 100 North Atlantic Avenue, Daytona Beach Fl. Rooms \$119 plus tax cut off date August 2, ask for Labor Day Dance Party Rate. 386-254-8200. Contact: Frank Anderson 386-341-7900 or email [frankanderson@cfl.rr.com](mailto:frankanderson@cfl.rr.com).

## SEPTEMBER

**September 14-23 SOS FALL MIGRATION** in North Myrtle Beach, SC. Hosted by SOS Time: Noon til 4 a.m. Cost: SOS Membership fee (\$35) DJ(s): See Schedule of Events for each SOS Club Location The Fall Migration is the Granddaddy of the SOS parties. It is the absolute time of the year to be at the beach, sunning during the day, dancing and partying all night with your friends. Fun Sunday and Fun Monday are street parties that have become the highlight of Fall Migration. Many music artists are brought in to play in the street for your enjoyment. Purchase your Fun Monday raffle tickets. You may be the happy winner of \$7500.00. Many other prizes too. Fun Monday is a community street party and there is no admission. You must be twenty one (21) to be an SOS member. Contact: Ron Whisenant 888-767-3113 or 803-371-4731 or email [rwhisen686@comporium.net](mailto:rwhisen686@comporium.net)

## OCTOBER

**Oct 10-14:** Shag-A-Rama 2007 in Panama City Beach, FL. Hosted by Beach Shaggers of Birmingham. Location: Panama City Beach, FL. Cost: \$45 thru July 31; \$50 thereafter. DJ(s): Billy Waldrep, Jessie Griffin, Jerry Munson and Club Deejays. The Shag-A-Rama now includes Wednesday, plus an Early Bird Party on Tuesday night. Dance at a pavilion on the beach! Free Shag Workshops by Dwight Langley and Annette Johnson. Hotel: Boardwalk Beach Resort 1-800-224-4853. Party flyer at [www.beachshaggers.com](http://www.beachshaggers.com). Contact: John Harper 205-879-1531 or email [harptax@bellsouth.net](mailto:harptax@bellsouth.net).

**Oct 19-21:** GeeChee Blast in Mt. Pleasant, SC. Hosted by Charleston Shag Club. Location: Alhambra Hall - Mt. Pleasant, SC. Time: 6:00 p.m. Friday. Cost: \$50 per person. DJ: Gary Gibson, Dick Hamrick, Betty Brown, Walter Upchurch. Hotel: Best Western 1-888-865-5455 code shag 4. 2nd hotel: RedRoof Inn 1-800-733-7663-Code Shag Club--singles welcome. Contact: Polly Bulman 843-971-6730 or email [dancepollydance@hotmail.com](mailto:dancepollydance@hotmail.com).

**NOTE:** This is only a partial listing of the various shag club parties. One day parties and parties that would conflict with ShagAtlanta's parties are not listed. Go to [shagdance.com](http://shagdance.com) for a complete listing.

# Chateau Elan's & Dewitt Hinson's SHAGGING ON THE GRAPEVINE '07

Saturday	July 28th	Joe Pope and the Tams
Saturday	August 11th	The Embers
Saturday	August 18th	The Jesters
Sunday	September 2nd	The Swinging Medallions

Concerts Begin At 8:30

For Reservations Call 678-425-0900

FREE SHAG LESSONS 7:30 - 8:30

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