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ShagAtlanta meets at Nemoe's Tavern & Grill located on Ga. 141 (Peachtree Parkway) in the Peachtree Corners area each 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 and see what's happening in our club

Peach Beat Deadline

The next deadline for the *Peach Beat* is set for **October 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. Submitted photographs can be prints or JPG files of adequate quality to print in high resolution. No "time/date" stamped photos please. E-mail your submissions to: Indcayce@bellsouth.net

President's Message

Hello fellow Shaggers! The year 2010 is zooming by and your EC is in full gear preparing for the upcoming Holiday Season. The Holiday Inn Select will be newly remodeled. I went over to have a look at it recently. When finished, it will be beautiful. There is still a lobby bar but in a different location.

The ACSC Summer Workshop in Fayetteville, NC was a great success. ACSC has a new Chairman, Ken Akins from the CSRA Shag Club. John Reynolds from the Beaufort Shag Club was elected Vice-Chairman. If you have any questions about what was discussed at the business meeting please feel free to ask me.

Our little dance exhibition in Fayetteville last May was a lot of fun and we even have some new members who have joined after seeing us down there.

Lester Stokes and I are selling Fun Monday tickets so please get yours before it's too late.

We will be having our August Jam at a new venue. It's called Brawner Hall in Smyrna. We'll get to go back to our covered dish format and it will be BYOB.

Summer is such a busy time for everyone and I really appreciate how all of ShagAtlanta has come out and supported the club and Nemoe's. Let's keep up the dancing.

Thanks for all your support. See you on the dance floor!

– Charles

Vice Presidents Social

We had our Grand Nationals' Kickoff Jam at Mudcatz. We were so lucky to have a workshop presented by Charlie and Jackie. Although there didn't seem to be enough room, fun was had by all. We had over 110 people attend. Our numbers are increasing every time we have a jam. This is exciting news so we can preserve shag dancing.

Our next jam with be held on Sunday, August 8th at Brawner Hall in Smyrna from 1:00-5:30. We had to change the times a bit because of their rules and regulations for Sundays. Although we had a change of plans from the 57th, we are excited about this new venue. Thanks to Lester and Betty Lou Stokes for finding this new place. We are also very excited that we are able to have our annual "covered dish" affair, and it will be BYOB. ShagAtlanta will supply set ups for your drinks. It will be \$10 for members that bring a dish to share and \$15 for members that just come to enjoy. Guests will continue to be \$15. One other change for this jam: the DJ. Wilkie Whaley will be in Atlanta spinning tunes for us for the weekend.

On Sunday, November 7, we will be having our annual Camp Sunshine fundraiser at the Benson Senior Center in Sandy Springs. We raise money to send children with cancer to summer camp. We will have a silent auction and bake sale as usual. Please contact Rick and Ann Sjöholm for any items you would like to donate for the auction; and please contact Nena Gavigan for any goodies you would like to donate for the bake sale. We will also need help with working the bake sale, silent auction, and collection of money at the door.

Our Christmas Party will be December 2, 3, and 4th at the Holiday Inn Select. It is never too early to be thinking about this party. If you have any ideas about giveaways for our goody bags, please contact Linda Purcell at lindapurcell724@gmail.com. There will be more information to follow in the Weekly Update.

Lastly, we have had so many new members and guests at ShagAtlanta every week. Please make an effort to welcome them to our club!

– Linda & Debbie

Treasurer's Report

As of July 16th income from memberships was \$9,385.00. Our expenditures to date total \$10,843.62. The payouts for lottery wins are reflected in this figure so don't let the size of it blow your mind. We are beginning to get reservations for our Christmas party and the deposit for the hotel is also a part of the figure above.

I have a report available that will give you a complete breakdown of all income and expenses. Feel free to ask me for a copy if you would like to have one. I hope you're having a great summer!!!!

– Kathy

Vice President Communications

Would love to have some articles submitted for my last, and all future, Peach Beats! These could be about yourself; about someone else; about past shag events or 'moments'; recipes; informational notes of interest, etc. Looking back at some old publications, I noted that there was much more participation - and good reading!

We have had some phenomenal crowds these past few months and tons of new faces every week. Please be sure to speak to those visitors and new members and make them feel welcome.

Jam, fundraiser and our 'famous' Halloween parties coming up. Be there and support our club!

– Diane

Vice President Membership

We have had such a great response to having pictures on the Weekly Update and in turn, on the ShagAtlanta website. It has been something that has been enjoyed immensely by our out of town members and those that are unable, though health or other reasons to come out to Nemoe's. It has made those that attend regularly eager to get the newsletter, and it has brought us many visitors.

The Executive Committee, as well as many others, have been trying to become more friendly and hospitable to those visitors. (We had been hearing through the grapevine that we were getting a reputation for being an unfriendly club.) So we truly have been trying to be better, and it's paid off. We are getting more and more visitors and many of them are becoming members after a few visits. We've even had people comment on our ShagAtlanta page on Facebook that they enjoyed our hospitality. This makes us very proud.

I've been putting as many of our visitors' pictures

as I can on our Update, as well as trying to post the pictures of our new members. I encourage you to go up to these people and get to know them. I know it seems strange to go up to people you don't know, but you get use to it. A lot of you don't do it because you think you should know if someone's a member or not and you don't want to offend a member by not knowing them...but come on, we are 313 strong now and geographically we are spread all over. I have asked people if they are visitors, only to get told, "No, I'm a member." They don't get mad, and I don't feel embarrassed. I'm the membership VP and I don't know everybody, but if I weren't going around to different tables every Saturday, saying hello and introducing myself, I would know a whole lot less people. We are a big club, bigger than most and that makes it even more important that we break out of our comfort zone and our regular group, and get out and meet the people we party with.

Hope to see everyone out and about as we move through the rest of the summer and into the fall. We have lots of great things coming up, so invite some of your non-shagging friends out, and let's get them interested in dancing!

– Debbie

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Please note that this listing of new members is current at the time of this Peach Beat printing. Members joining after this publication will be recognized in the next issue of the Peach Beat.

BIRTHDAYS

AUGUST

Leonard L. Gazaway	Aug-01
J.J. Miller	Aug-01
Sharon Shaver	Aug-01
Rhonda Butterworth	Aug-08
Bob Cookson	Aug-10
Bruce Yates	Aug-11
Mike Foran	Aug-17
Gary Jackson	Aug-17
Isabelle Cledaras	Aug-19
Merrilee Waterstone	Aug-20
Tim Mylod	Aug-22
Laurie Yarbrough	Aug-23
Kerry Frost	Aug-25
Paulette Stern	Aug-28
Ronnie Vaughn	Aug-29
Lester Stokes	Aug-30
Debbie Hicks	Aug-31
Jerry Munson	Aug-31

SEPTEMBER

Everette Cooper	Sep-03
Judy Britt	Sep-04
Robert Zuelke	Sep-04
Robin Cookson	Sep-08
Connie Michael	Sep-10
Doug Payne	Sep-10
Pam Taylor	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
Tim Webb	Sep-20
Ralph Henry	Sep-24
Ernie Ahlquest	Sep-25
Carl Simonetti	Sep-26
Karen Mitchell	Sep-30
Deanie Woodie	Sep-30

Jerry Westbrooks	Oct-07
Jill Rosenberg	Oct-09
Marcia Baynes	Oct-10
E.J. Johnson	Oct-11
Fred Jordan	Oct-11
Don Allen, Jr.	Oct-12
Jessie Griffin	Oct-12
Frank Patten	Oct-12
Ann McElroy	Oct-13
Ronnie Walker	Oct-13
Tim Hammett	Oct-15
Guy Mitchell	Oct-15
Connie Moat	Oct-16
Nancy Connell	Oct-17
Richard McElroy	Oct-18
Bill New	Oct-20
Charlie Womble	Oct-20
Cheryl Phillips	Oct-22
Donna Ross	Oct-22
Norma Melvin	Oct-25
Wanda Pratt	Oct-25
Allen Davis	Oct-27
Kevin Lomax	Oct-27
Don Reichardt	Oct-27
Madge Caldwell	Oct-29
Bill Guilford	Oct-29
Barbara Jones	Oct-29
Kathy Stowers	Oct-29
Bonnie Bubenheim	Oct-30



OCTOBER

Steven Croft	Oct-04
Ronnie Goodwin	Oct-04
Bob Steen	Oct-04
Walt Bubenheim	Oct-06

Shag Dance Instructors

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

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If any other member of ShagAtlanta offers lessons in shag dancing, please contact the editor to be listed.

11 YEARS AGO

- The Atlanta Hot Flashes and their Studs took First Place for Best Choreography at the 1999 SOS Line Dance Competition. Alan Halpern and Kathy Stowers were members of the team
- Len and Diane Cayce, Dick and Nena Gavigan and David and Brandy Moore became new members of ShagAtlanta

DJ Schedule

Aug 7	Wilkey Whaley	Marion, SC
Aug 8 Jam	Wilkey Whaley	Marion, SC
Aug 14	Ronnie Vaughn	Marietta, GA
Aug 21	Cliff Capps	Birmingham, AL
Aug 28	Carl Simonetti	Birmingham, AL
Sept 4	Buddy Hayes	Birmingham, AL
Sept 11	Joe Tutt	Augusta, GA
Sept 18	TBD	
Sept 25	Rich Kopels	Alpharetta, GA
Oct 2	Joanne Johnson	Matthews, NC
Oct 9	TBD	
Oct 16	Mike Williford	Doraville, GA
Oct 23	Sue Kestner	Joelton, TN
Oct 30	Jim Agee	Lawrenceville, GA
Nov 6	TBD	
Nov 7 Jam	Jim Agee	Lawrenceville, GA

NOTE: As always, the DJ schedule is subject to change and is also listed at shagatlanta.com. The DJ for the upcoming Sat. night is also provided in the weekly Email Update and phone message. No DJ will be scheduled for the the Saturday night of the ShagAtlanta December 4th. Christmas Party.

THE LIVING LEGEND OF EARLINE DOWNING

Dedicated to my dear, dear friend Earline

Contributed by Linda L. Sweat

24 years past, little did I know
I'd meet a funny little lady at Flamigo Joe's
Over the years our friendship grew and grew
For me, a friend like this was rare and few

10 years new, between us have been miles
Spoke often on the phone, I could hear her smiles
Our friendship wavered not, it stood true
She was a blessing to me, I hope to you, too

Earline would greet you with a hug and you had to be kissed
Hey DARlin', haven't seen ya in a while, you've been missed
She loved to prance, loved to dance
Would take your hand if given the chance

She'd light up a room with more than a joke or two
Laugh so hard, hey bartender, another brew
Loved doing shooters, giving a hearty toast
Raising her glass, love you all, she would boast

Earline loved her family ever so much
Always telling stories, tales, bragging and such
Unconditional love she had for her friends
Always looked forward to seeing you again

Many memories of her too numerous to share
Fortunate for us, they are ours to bear
She was like a little kid with a new toy
What a delight to know her, what a joy

Short in stature, but TALL and BIG as life
Fought hard her battle with cancer and its strife
As you walk down memory lane with her in mind
Remember, a more loving friend, we were lucky to find

So our little munchkin, you have gone away
Still though, you live in our hearts every day
She 'say, don't be sad, do a shooter for me, make a hearty toast
We'll raise our glass, we love you Earline, and WE SHALL boast



EARLINE DOWNING

November 25, 1936 July 3, 2010

Earline Downing, one of ShagAtlanta's most beloved members, lost her battle with cancer Saturday, July 3, 2010.

She, and her late husband Jerry, were involved with this club from the beginning, and they were such good friends to so many of us. She will be greatly missed, but our hope is they are dancing together once again all over the heavens.

— Sharon Clark

OUR HATS OFF TO YOU

ShagAtlanta is proud to announce honors that have been bestowed on some of our friends.

* **Allen Henry** is our newest Shagging Icon. A special decal plaque will be applied in his honor on our dance floor.

* The National Living Legends of Dance has announced that **Charlie Reese, Linda Reese and Jerry Westbrooks** are now members of their organization.

* The Sand Flea and Living Legends Association has selected former ShagAtlanta member **Barbara Black** as a member of their association. Barbara now resides in North Myrtle Beach.

Congratulations to all you for these very well deserved awards.

DID YOU KNOW???

- 26 years ago, Ann Martin and Richard McElroy were married. Karen Williford introduced them.
- 14 years ago, Nancy Puckett and Bob Connell were married, as were Diane Hastings and Len Cayce.
- 14 years ago, new ShagAtlanta members included Jim Agee, Linda Reese and Leonard Gazaway.
- 14 years ago, the city of Atlanta hosted the Summer Olympics and member Dewitt Hinson played a significant part in coordinating "The World-Wide Presentation of Carolina Shag Dancing" in Centennial Olympic Park.

ShagAtlanta Hosts the 16th USA GNDC



2010 USA GNDC Partial Results

(Go to www.usagrandnationals.com for complete results)

Junior Shag I

- 1st Austin Pope & Karlee Martin
- 2nd Kolten Ellis & Kaylee Bravo
- 3rd Noah Veon & Allison Pittman
- 4th Johnathan Kemp & Ivy Claire Huiet
- 5th Bradley Kemp & Katie Turner

Junior Shag II

- 1st Brennar Goree & Torri Smith
- 2nd Brady Ellis & Kalin Ellis
- 3rd Cody Edwards & Chase Forrester
- 4th Will Dallas & Sydney West
- 5th Jeremy Webb & Kayla Grainger
- 6th Kody Brown & Jessica Thames

Carolina Classic Division

- 1st Michael Norris & LeAnn Norris
- 2nd Sam West & Leslie Jennings
- 3rd Joey Sogluizzo & Jennifer Sogluizzo
- 4th George Hamrick & Kristal Taylor
- 5th Gene Pope & Sarah Kemp
- 6th Trae Anderson & Lee Warren

Shag Masters Division

- 1st Gene Pope & Nancy Pope
- 2nd Frank Brantley & Ellen Taylor
- 3rd Rick Little & Maureen Little
- 4th Archer Joyce & Pat Joyce
- 5th Les Rose & Marsha Rose
- 6th Butch Dukes & Kathy Dukes

Jack & Jill - Shag (Non-Pro)

- 1st Vaughn Royal & Joan Byrens
- 2nd Kevin Byrnes & Karen Workman
- 3rd Larry Milton & Sandee Potier

Jack & Jill - Shag (Experienced)

- 1st Brennar Goree & Lee Warren
- 2nd Rick Ward & Vickie Chambers
- 3rd Gene Pope & Mandy Holt

Teams Division

- 1st National Shag Dance Team
- 2nd Team Joe
- 3rd Shag Shack Shakers

ShagAtlanta Members and Guests - Out and About



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For "Boomers" and Shaggers Close to - or In - Retirement

Submitted by Sumner Waite

Without question, the latest meltdown has hurt many 401K Plans and Individual Retirement Accounts' owners. In some cases, up to 50% or more of value is gone. However, there are other Individual Retirement Account or IRA owners who have not lost a dime. In fact, they made money -- not a lot, and suffered no losses.

Here's what they have going for them:

1. Principal and all credited interest is locked in and guaranteed by the company; in other words, your account is permanently immunized against any negative market forces. Putting it in a simpler fashion, the meltdown would not have hurt you.

2. The financial instrument is a tax shelter and has been around for more than 380 years.

a. Your principal earns interest; your interest earns interest; and the money you would have paid in taxes stays in and earns interest. Thus, a triple compounding effect happens.

3. In the event of financial need, up to 10% may be withdrawn. If the withdrawal is prior to age 59½, the government may charge a 10% surtax.

4. An estate advantage is in place. When one names a beneficiary, death proceeds typically avoid the probate step and are promptly paid. This saves time and reduces estate settlement costs.

5. A retirement income rider is available at the start. When triggered, the rider guarantees to pay a monthly income that lasts as long as you do. This income can be made tax-free according to current government regulations regarding the Roth IRA. While the IRA accumulates, the rider earns 7.5% interest guaranteed by contract for 10 years. You have an option to renew the rider for another 10 years at 7.5%. An alternative is to select 6% guaranteed for life until triggered. 7.5% means assets double in 9.6 years. 6% means assets double in value in 12 years. A requirement is to leave the assets alone until retirement income is triggered or desired.

USA Grand National Dance Championship



Besides witnessing the usual fantastic dance competitions and the opportunity to visit with great friends in the dance community, the rumors were rampant about who the new owners of the USA Grand

Nationals would be since Charlie and Jackie had announced they intended to sell the event. Over the weekend's festivities and presentations, there were so many times when we could not help but become emotional and brought to tears. Finally on Sunday evening, it was announced that **Michael and LeAnn Norris** would become the new owners of this very prestigious event with the continued guidance and presence of Charlie and Jackie. ShagAtlanta - the USA Grand Nationals host dance club, shaggers everywhere, as well as the large competitive and swing dance community, congratulate Michael and LeAnn and wish them only the very best success in the future of this great dance event that does a remarkable job of promoting the shag all over the country, and even, the world. We are also extremely proud to have them as members of ShagAtlanta. *Mike Williford*

ShagAtlanta Event Schedule

August 8	Jam & Membership Meeting - Brawner Hall, Smyrna
October 30	Halloween Party - Nemoe's
November 7	Camp Sunshine Fundraiser - Benson Sr. Ctr., Sandy Springs
December 2-4	Christmas Party - Holiday Inn Select, Atlanta
December 31	New Years Eve Party - Nemoe's

Shag Club Parties

AUGUST 2010

August 6-7: Meet Me In The Middle For A Sand Flea Reunion in Greenville, SC. Hosted by: Carolina Shag Club. Location: Greenville Hilton, 45 West Orchard Park Drive, Greenville, SC 29615. Cost: \$40 until June 1, \$45.00 after June 1. Time: Doors Open @ 6:30 on Friday. DJ(s): John Wilson, Jack Moore, Billy Waldrep, Butch Metcalf, John Campbell, Terry Hopper and Nick Columbus. Details: 2 dance floors, Vinyl Party Friday and Saturday night. Free Pour 1 Hour each night. Hotel: Greenville Hilton special rate of \$82.00 per night. Register on line at <http://.hilton.com/en/hi/groups/personalised/GSPSCHF-SHG-20100805/index.jhtml> Contact: Jim Coley, jrcoley@charter.net or 864-915-9851. Please see party flyer @ <http://carolinashagclub.com>

August 19-21: Choo Choo Shag Club / Shag Tracks XVI in Chattanooga, TN. Location: Pool Parties at Comfort Inn and Suites. The dance will be held at the Alhambra Shrine Temple. Free shuttle to the dance Friday and Saturday. Kick Off Party: Thursday dinner and dancing. Location TBA Cost: \$60 before July 1st ... DJ(s): Tootie Brown, Jessie Griffin, David Sessoms, Mike Hall & Ken Hughes ... Details: Dance Workshops with Charlie and Linda Reese; Pool Party Friday and Saturday, Breakfast for all Hotel Guests; Dinner each Evening; Poolside Lunch and Shooter Party, Duck Races on Saturday; Sponsored by Ducks of North Myrtle Beach and Seven Hills Shaggers. Hotel: Comfort Inn & Suites: 423-893-7979. Exit #1 East Ridge and I-75 You must call the hotel direct. SPECIAL RATES. (2 night minimum stay.) ... Over flow Hotel : Holiday Inn Express (423) 308-0111 Shuttle from both hotels to the dance. ... Contact: ROSE KELLAR (423)334-2882 OR E-MAIL rmkellar@aol.com Web Address: WWW.CHOCHOOSHAGCLUB.COM

SEPTEMBER 2010

Sept 18-25: SOS Fall Migration - No. Myrtle Beach

OCTOBER 2010

October 12-16: Shag-A-Rama 2010 hosted by the Beach Shaggers of Birmingham. Location: Boardwalk Beach Resort, Panama City Beach, FL; Free Intermediate Shag Workshops; DJs: Billy Waldrep, Cliff Capps, Buddy Hayes, Larry Huff, and Carl Simonetti; Tickets \$60 thru 7/31/10 then \$65 and \$70 at the door; Contact Judy Larkins at larkins9494@bellsouth.net or go to www.beachshaggers.com for the flyer and registration.

October 15-17: Geechee Blast hosted by the Charleston Shag Club. SORRY this Party has been SOLD OUT. Location: Alhambra Hall in Mt. Pleasant, SC; Workshops by Jerry & Barbara Wade and Linda Walker; DJs: John Wilson, Chuck Clodfelter, Betty Brown, and Walter Upchurch; Tickets \$60; Host Hotels: Best Western (888-865-5455) Code Shag 7 and Red Roof Inn (800-733-7663) Code: Geechee; Contact Elmyra Upchurch 843-572-9994 or elupchurch@comcast.net or go to www.charlestonshagclub.com.

October 22-23: MESS Fall Bash - Hosted by Mountain Empire Shag Society - SOLD OUT as of March 3rd. Location: Holiday Inn, I-26 at Exit 20, Johnson City, TN. Cost: \$45.00 per person. DJ(s): Billy Waldrep & Eddie Teeter. Details: FREE workshop with Steve & Kathy Day on Saturday. Hospitality suite both days with heavy hors d'oeuvres, MESS-aholic punch, beer & wine. Multi-course dinner Saturday evening. FREE beer each day at dance while it lasts. Cash bar for other drinks. 50/50 raffle both nights. Door prizes. Club attendance trophy on Saturday night. Hotel: Holiday Inn, 101 West Springbrook Drive, Johnson City, TN 37604, 423-282-4611. Room rate: \$82 thru Oct 1st, but you must mention Mountain Empire Shag Society for the special rate. Check out www.messdance.com for party details & facility pictures. Contact: Terry Etter at 423-753-5909 or email at notime2@yahoo.com to be added to the waiting list.

NOVEMBER 2010

November 5-7: The 20th Annual Fall Cyclone Party hosted by the Twister's Shag Club Fun Bunch at the old skating rink in Mooresville, NC. Multiple DJ's plus a great shag band on Sunday morning. Free munchies, free meals, and three days of non-stop free adult beverages. Free shag workshops by great, pro dancers. All this and much, much more will be part of our 20th anniversary event. More details will be announced this spring at www.goshagging.com.

November 19-20: The 29th Annual Columbia Invitational hosted by the Columbia Shag Club: Location: Hilton Garden Inn, 434 Columbiana Dr., Columbia, SC 29212 - Call 800-548-8690; Ticket Cost: \$60 till 11/1/10, \$70 after then. DJs: Butch Davidson, John Wilson, Larry Edwards, & Billy Waldrep. Details: Free Beer, Liquor, and wine all weekend!; Hors d'oeuvres; Workshop on Saturday afternoon; Contact: Felicia Howle at 803-788-8787 or email at fhowle@nexsenpruet.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 own parties are not listed. Go to shagdance.com for a complete listing.

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TO:

Halloween Happens at Nemoe's October 30th

**ShagAtlanta Jam
and Membership
Meeting Party**

August 8, 1:00 – 5:30

Brawner Hall

3180 Atlanta Road, Smyrna, GA
Our afternoon DJ is Wilkie Whaley

This will be a covered dish affair and a BYOB. ShagAtlanta will be providing turkey, ham and iced tea.

**\$10.00 per person if you bring a dish
\$15.00 if you do not.**

**ShagAtlanta's
Camp Sunshine
Fundraiser Jam**

November 7, 2:00 – 7:00

Benson Sr. Ctr.

Sandy Springs, GA
Our afternoon DJ is Jim Agee

Silent Auction, Bake Sale,
Cherries Jubilee and Entertainment
\$10 Members; \$15 Non-members
BYOB and set-ups

All proceeds after expenses are donated to
ShagAtlanta's chosen charity, Camp Sunshine.