

Raleigh Shag Club Meeting
May 15, 2011

Present: Stacy Marshall, Margaret Griffin, Patti Battle, Bill Mears, Ronn Knott, Terry Mears, Barbara Fields, Ann Bartholomew and Tommy Smith.

Bill Mears called the meeting to order at 6:15 p.m. The meeting was held at TJ's Nightlife. Stacy Marshall said hello and welcomed everyone attending. He said there was a lot to cover and he would greatly appreciate everyone's attention to upcoming club matters. Stacy said that everyone had a good time at SOS and a report on the Shooter Party would be given later by Margaret Griffin.

Secretary's Report: Ann Bartholomew stated that the minutes of the last meeting had been posted on the website for all members to read. Tommy Smith moved and Margaret Griffin seconded that the minutes be approved as written. They stand approved.

Treasurer's Report: Patti Battle reported a balance of \$4,444.29. She said that the Shooter Party had almost paid for itself. She stated that all bills and receipts will be filed for year-end audit.

Margaret Griffin thanked all the workers at the Shooter Party. A full report will be written in the newsletter. Another Shooter Party will be held in September and if anyone has any ideas or suggestions, please contact Margaret.

Margaret Griffin also ask that if any members knew of someone in the club being sick or deaths in the member's family to please contact a board member.

Margaret Griffin reported that an article had been featured in the "Shag Mag" about Cabin Fever Throwdown and what a success it was. The article was written by Patti J. Easley.

It was announced that Stacy Marshall will be attending the ACSC Workshop in Augusta, GA, July 8th – 10th. If anyone else is interested in attending the workshop, contact Margaret Griffin.

Membership Report: Barbara Fields reported that we have a total of 203 members after gaining 11 new members. The new members present were recognized and welcomed.

Ways & Means Report: Tommy Smith thanked everyone for all their help with projects and events throughout the year especially charity events. He said we should be especially proud of the amount of money raised in February for Hospice of Wake County and reminded everyone how Hospice has touched the lives of Raleigh Shag Club members and families in a very positive and meaningful way. Tommy then reminded members of the upcoming annual golf tournament in October that would benefit the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. He said the members of the Raleigh Shag Club should be proud of

what this club does to give back to the community and support charities. He then stated that we have a 50/50 tonight and encouraged everyone to buy a ticket.

Stacy Marshall again thanked the shag club members for all they do during the year to support events and projects.

Terry Mears reported that the hot dog and hamburger dinner tonight was sponsored by Wayne and Ann Bartholomew.

Ronn Knott announced that the deadline for information in the upcoming newsletter was May 23, 2011.

Don Bunn reported that the phonetree list had been updated and if any current member isn't receiving their calls, to please let the board members and/or him know.

New Business: It was announced that Fun Monday tickets were available for sale for \$10.00 each. It was announced that Dancing With the Stars would be held on August 14th at TJ's Nightlife with a time to be determined. Ray Hall spoke briefly about TJ's club revenues and how it would not be cost effective to give us a Saturday night for DWTS but he definitely wants TJ's Nightlife to continue to be the home of the Raleigh Shag Club. He stressed the fact the DWTS could be a wonderful event with everyone working together. A club member suggested that an article go out in an e-mail or the newsletter to let members know they can volunteer to dance. Stacy Marshall said that everything would be co-ordinated through a committee as yet to be determined.

May birthdays of members were announced and told to go to the head of the food line along with new members.

It was announced that DJ Jimmy Pearce would be playing music for the rest of the evening and for everyone to enjoy the music and socialize.

Warren Grant gave the blessing for dinner.

Tommy Smith moved and Bill Mears seconded that the meeting be adjourned. The meeting adjourned at 6:46 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Bartholomew
Secretary
Raleigh Shag Club