

Raleigh Shag Club Meeting
July 10, 2011

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

Bill Mears called the meeting to order at 6:10 p.m.

Stacy welcomed everyone and thanked TJ's for giving a place to meet, dance and socialize. He reminded everyone that Don Bunn has dance lessons on Monday and Tuesday nights at TJ's. He also asked everyone to remember Madeline May who is dealing with medical problems. Stacy also rejoiced about his daughter's recent wedding and what a fine time was had by all attending. He then commented on his mother's death and thanked everyone for all their caring thoughts and support and that the Raleigh Shag Club was family for him and there when he needed them.

It was announced that Margaret Griffin could not attend as she was on vacation.

Secretary's Report: Ann reported that the minutes had been posted on the website. There were no additions or corrections. Don Bunn moved that the minutes be approved as printed and Karen Brown seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Patti reported that we have a balance of \$4,115.68. The report will be filed with bills and receipts for the year-end audit.

DWTS Report: Deb Baker, Bill Mears and Stacy were recognized and gave the following report. The dancers were here earlier for a meet and greet and those present were recognized: Edna Denton and Martin Jackson, Lynn Dupree and Carlton Vinson, Mike Edge and Kathie Fly, Scott Smith and Linda Bivins, John Adkins and Krystal Bravo and Grace Holcomb and Garrett Spencer. It was announced that all dancers are current members of the Raleigh Shag Club. The judges for the event were also announced. They are Debbie Peterson, Kevin Payne, Brennar Goree, and Madeline May if health allows. The MC for the night will be John Moore of radio station 107.9 in Greenville, N. C. The event will get good radio coverage from John. Patty Easley and Karen Brown will be dance attendants. Bill reported that all event info would be posted on the website on July 12th including the seating chart and prices with early dates and event dates. He also reported that we still have two (2) openings for sponsors. Stacy said what a great event it will be with all parties working together. He stated that communication with club members is very important and if anyone is not receiving their e-mails or phonetree announcements to please let any board member and Don Bunn know so this can be corrected.

Membership Report: Barbara announced that we have a total of 229 members including 42 new members. New members present were recognized. She also stated that shag club membership cards were at the meeting for pick up and to please check with her to get

your card. The rates for membership as of July will be \$10.00 for singles and \$20.00 per couple.

Ways & Means Report: Tommy said there would be a 50/50 tonight and that Bill Mears would be helping him with it. Tommy reported that the board was considering selling Raleigh Shag Club license plates and by a show of hands how many people would be interested in purchasing one. About 50% of the members were in favor. The plate would have the club logo, be made of aluminum and cost \$10.00 each. They will be for sale late August or September of this year.

Warren Grant announced that the annual David Humphrey golf tournament would be held October 15, 2011, at Lochmere Club in Cary, N. C. More information would go on the website and by e-mails. He invited everyone to play and to invite friends. Also volunteers will be needed to help on that day and that there would be music and dancing after the meal. He reminded everyone of what a great event this is for the club and that there would be a raffle held that day also.

It was announced that TJ's would be having Boogie Woogie Nights starting July 13th. It will start at 7:00, pizza will be served and Butch Metcalf will be the DJ. The admission prices are: adults - \$10.00, Jr. Shaggers - \$8.00 and 14 and under - \$5.00. There will be a dance contest each night at 9:00 or 9:30. The flyer will be posted on Facebook at BoogieWoogie@g-mail.com.

Stacy recognized all member birthdays and those present were told to go to the head of the line at dinner.

Terry Mears reported that dinner would be spiraled ham and that she had ham bones available for anyone who wanted one and dog treats also.

Earl Fowler blessed the meal.

Tommy Smith moved that the meeting be adjourned and Patti Battle seconded. The meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Bartholomew, Secretary
Raleigh Shag Club