

October Raleigh Shag Club Meeting
October 9, 2011

Present: Stacy Marshall, Margaret Griffin, Ronn Knott, Debbie Brooks, Barbara Fields, Tommy Smith and Ann Bartholomew

Absent: Patti Battle, Bill Mears, Terry Mears

Stacy Marshall called the meeting to order at 6:10 p.m. at TJ's Nightlife.

Stacy welcomed everyone and thanked them for their attendance. He said that we had many important items to discuss this evening. He commented that those who attended the Shooter Party at SOS definitely saw "The Good Times Roll" at the Tiki Bar. He said our topics for the evening would be: 2012 Officer Nomination, David Humphrey Golf Tournament and the 2011 Christmas Party. He also thanked the owners of TJ's for allowing us a place to meet, socialize and to enjoy dancing.

Vice-President's Report: Margaret Griffin said that she wanted everyone there tonight to make an effort to speak to someone they didn't know before the evening was over. She said there would be a full report of the Shooter Party in the next newsletter. There were 145 people who attended and five (5) new members were signed up at the event. She thanked all the people who helped, volunteered and participated in this club event. Margaret announced that 2012 SOS cards were for sale at a cost of \$30.00. These cards will be available until all were sold out or until the end of December 2011. They may be purchased with cash or credit card. Margaret reminded everyone of the upcoming Fall Cyclone and said it was a great party to attend. Information about the party could be seen on the following website: www.FallCyclone.com. Margaret then announced that the Christmas Party would be December 4, 2011, at TJ's Nightlife beginning at 6:30 p.m. She thanked the owners of TJ's for allowing us a place to have the party. The DJ for the party will be Jimmy Pearce. Heavy hors d'oeuvres would be served beginning at 7:00 p.m. An e-mail will be sent out with all the party info. If club members RSVP by November 13, 2011, there will be no charge. If they do not RSVP by that date, admission will be \$5.00 per member and \$10.00 per guest. She said that we needed a lot of volunteers and that we hoped to have a large attendance. A special charity project would be planned and all suggestions would be welcomed. She said this party is also a great way to meet new people.

Stacy introduced the 2012 Nominating Committee members: Debbie Wrenn, Terry Mears and Earl Fowler. Elections of officers for 2012 will be held at the November 13, 2011, meeting. Any member in good standing is eligible to be nominated and the committee welcomes all input. The incoming 2012 President will pick the chairs of the committees. If anyone wants to serve, please contact a committee member.

Treasurer's Report: In Patti Battle's absence Margaret Griffin gave the report. As of September 30, 2011, we have a balance of \$3,090.35. Margaret reminded members that the RSC license plates have been paid for and we really need to sell these plates. The

plates cost \$10.00 each. We also will be receiving a check for \$400.00 for our ACSC workshop attendance. The report was accepted and will be filed for year-end audit.

Secretary's Report: Ann B. reported that the minutes of the August meeting had been posted on the website. Gordon Privette moved that they be accepted as posted. A second was made and the minutes were approved.

Communications Report: Debbie Brooks reported that she would not be returning as our webmaster for 2012. She said she has all the information needed and anyone with good computer skills could handle the job. If anyone is interested in this position, please let the board and/or nominating committee know. Ronn Knott was recognized for his great work on the past newsletters. He needs information for the newsletter by the declared deadline date. This date is to be enforced for submitting information.

Membership Report: Barbara Fields announced that we have a total of 255 members including 9 new members this past month. That is a total of 61 new members for the year. She welcomed all new members and recognized those present at the meeting.

Ways and Means Report: Tommy Smith thanked Ronn for selling RSC plates at the door this evening. There are 130 plates for sale and it is a great way to support the club and have recognition as a club member.

Stacy then recognized the Golf Tournament Committee Members: Gray Pike, Warren Grant, Earl Fowler and Stacy Marshall. Warren pointed out that they were sending out an SOS after the fall SOS. The SOS reminders were on the table for everyone to see. More participation is needed in this tournament. It is the 8th Annual David Humphrey Golf Tournament and it will be held at the Lochmere Country Club on October 15, 2011, with a starting time of 1:00 p.m. It is held in David's honor and is a fundraiser for the Eastern N. C. Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. Warren said we needed more players and that this is one of the two charity fundraisers we hold during the year. Please contact any committee member if you would like to play, volunteer, sponsor a hole or make a donation. There will be a Wall of Remembrance in memory of a loved one for a \$50.00 donation. It will be displayed at TJ's next to the RSC Banner. Registration is at 11:30, it is \$75.00 per player, a catered meal will be provided by Backyard Bistro, a silent auction will be held, and there are lots of prizes to win. Anyone interested in coming for the meal after the tournament needs to RSVP so we will have a headcount for the caterer. Gray Pike reminded everyone of what a great guy David Humphrey was and that he was a very active member of the Raleigh Shag Club. Stacy thanked TJ's and their staff for all their help and support for this event.

Stacy recognized two(2) new members just joining tonight from Goldsboro, N. C.; Michael and JoAnn Williams.

Stacy thanked Johnny and Dana Lamm, Kimberly Hayden, Ronn and Barbara Knott, Judy and Jackie Inscore, Warren Grant, Debra Fearing and Marilyn Collins for providing the main course for dinner tonight.

Stacy then recognized the October birthdays and told them to go to the head of the dinner line tonight. He also announced that there would be two (2) dinner lines tonight.

Gray Pike then announced that he thought everyone attending tonight would love to see Jim Adcox do the “Watusi”, a dance he is known for.

Jackie Inscore gave the blessing for the meal.

Margaret Griffin moved that the meeting be adjourned. Debbie Brooks seconded and the motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 6:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Bartholomew, Secretary
Raleigh Shag Club