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Dear ACSC Presidents.

This is certainly a busy summer for us all with family and shag club activities. I plan to send you monthly e-notes in conjunction with "Tips and Tidbits". Please pass this information to your officers and membership.

Fun Monday Tickets:

Fun Monday Raffle tickets are due August 31, 2014, which gives each club 1 month to sell more tickets. This is very important not only for the success of Fun Sunday and Fun Monday, but also the success of SOS/ACSC as well. Here are some suggestions you might want to consider in selling Fun Monday tickets:

Divide tickets between Board members (these folks are the backbone of your club and should gladly help sell Fun Monday tickets).

Have a dollar raffle at all your shag club events. Example: you sell \$200 dollars worth of \$1 raffle tickets, post the winning 20 raffle ticket numbers, and make sure you capture the winner's information on the Fun Monday tickets that are won.

Approach business owners and solicit donations and honor the business with Fun Monday tickets in the amount donated.

Half and Half drawings: Pay the recipient with Fun Monday tickets

Have club members split the cost of the ticket (be sure to include both names on the ticket).

As you can see we have lots of ways to make a difference in the selling of Fun Monday tickets. I would like to send Rosemary Parten a special "THANKS" for her hard work in coordinating the Fun Monday Ticket sales. If you have any questions she will gladly answer those by calling her at 919-774-8090. She will be excited to send you extra tickets if needed.

The Fun Monday drawing was started as a way to finance the events of Fun Monday. The drawing generates the income that pays for all the activities. There is no charge for people to attend the events of Fun Monday. It only takes you \$10.00 to make you eligible to be in the drawing. The first ticket drawn wins \$7,500, the second wins \$2,000, the third wins \$1,000, the fourth wins \$500, and the fifth and final ticket wins \$ 250. After all the bills are paid there is a donation made to Caring For Kids which is the chosen charity for the Fun Monday Enhancement Committee. The Caring for Kids charity is a great organization that helps a lot of kids. There are 100 tickets dispersed to each shag

club that attends the A.C.S.C meeting at the spring S.O.S. The representative that receives the tickets then takes the tickets back to the club for the members to buy or sell all the tickets. If you would like to have a chance at winning see your local shag club president or call 1-919-774-8090. You can email questions concerning the Fun Monday raffle and ticket sales to the Fun Monday Chairperson for ticket sales at randbparten@windstream.net.

Don't forget: No coolers or umbrella's during these events. It is very important to stay hydrated during this time. Also, don't forget your sunscreen!

SOS News:

It's UMBRELLAS ONLY on the Beach from May 15 to September 15 annually!

A new law is now in effect in North Myrtle Beach that bans the use of shading devices other than umbrellas on the beach from May 15-September 15 annually. Tents, tarps, cabanas, pavilions, sport-brellas or devices similar to sport-brellas, or any material mounted on supports are prohibited on the beach May 15-September 15.

In the new law an umbrella is defined as being a "...collapsible circular shade consisting of a natural or synthetic fabric shade stretched over hinged ribs radiating from a central pole without grounding lines or ropes." An umbrella is further defined as having a center pole "...no greater than 7 feet 6 inches in height and a circular shade no greater than 9 feet in diameter.

Public safety concerns led to the creation of the new law. On any given day during the summer season, there are around 100,000 people in North Myrtle Beach, many of whom like to enjoy the beach. Prior to the early 2000's, visitors and residents mainly used beach umbrellas for shade from the sun. However, especially over the past several years, the use of tents on the beach as a method of providing shade from the sun grew exponentially. Their proliferation on the beach made it very difficult for public safety personnel to reach those with medical and other emergencies in a timely manner. It is easier for public safety personnel to move one or more umbrellas to access an emergency than it is to remove one or more secured tents.

For a copy of the complete ordinance on shading devices, visit www.NMB.us and on the homepage click on the link entitled, "It's UMBRELLAS ONLY on the Beach" or click on the link entitled, "Beach Laws."

Please remember to return any unsold SOS cards to:

SOS P.O. Box 4456 North Myrtle Beach, SC 29597 **The SOS Cruise** is going very well with over 230 people already booked and there are still 14 months before this cruise sails. For more information please go to www.shagdance.com and book your cruise by using the links provided for you there. You don't want to miss out on this fantastic opportunity to join many of your friends and meeting many new friends.

ACSC News:

We all know how important the success of monthly parties and shag club events are to your club. Please support your sister and neighboring clubs! This promotes our dance and creates a positive environment in our shag community.

Lisa Caveny, ACSC Secretary has a new email address for the sole purpose of directly contacting her. Please use the following address to communicate with Lisa about ACSC issues. Her email is acscsecretary@aol.com.

As noted at the Summer workshop, we are always open to ideas and subject matter for the ACSC Winter Workshop which will be held at OD Resort January 17, 2015 at 10:00 AM. Please share with the ACSC Board Team any information that would benefit your shag club.

Information on Operation Preserve Shag will be coming to you soon. I am in the process of gathering all contacts that have been furnished to me.

Look forward to seeing you at fall SOS,

The ACSC Board Team

Ken, Robin, Lisa and Allen