



**A.C.S.C MEETING MINUTES
2019 SPRING MEETING – OD CAFE
NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC
SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2019**

I. CALL TO ORDER

A.C.S.C. Chairman, Robin Morley, called the Association of Carolina Shag Clubs meeting to order at the OD Cafe on Saturday, May 4, 2019 at 10:00 am. Robin asked if there were any additions to the agenda. There being no additions proposed, Robin asked for a motion to accept the agenda as written. Motion was made by President Tommy Davis of Rock Hill Shag Club and Charlie Leonard of Charleston Shag Club. Motion passed.

Robin next introduced guest speaker Mike Pace of the HOFF. Mike spoke of the charitable work that the HOFF does. Mike stated that if anyone, not just shaggers, needed help that the application was online and could be downloaded and emailed to him. Mike stated that Nick Mathis worked hard at negotiating to help those in need. Mike stated that \$.99 of every \$1.00 goes to Friends Helping Friends. Mike mentioned that 3 of the A.C.S.C./S.O.S Officers were on the Board of the HOFF. Those being Ron Whisenant, Ken Akin and Robin Morley. Mike asked that if you were out during SOS and saw any HOFF Board member, to please donate to the “Give Me a Dollar” campaign. Over the last 3 years, they HOFF has raised \$8,000.00 from the “Give Me a Dollar” campaign.

Robin introduced the A.C.S.C. Board members. They are as follows: Lisa Caveny, A.C.S.C. Vice Chairman, Becky Berry, A.C.S.C. Secretary, Cecil Martin, A.C.S.C. Treasurer, and Ken Akin, Past President of the A.C.S.C. Robin also introduced the S.O.S. Directors/Board. They are as follows: Ron Whisenant, S.O.S. President, John Gilstrap, S.O.S. Vice President, Wanda Cavin, S.O.S. Secretary, Foster McKinny, S.O.S. Treasurer, Ronnie Gregory, S.O.S. Board Chairman, Susan Harrell, S.O.S. Board Member, Dwayne Baggett, S.O.S. Board Member, David Galloway, S.O.S. Board Member and Doris Keaton, S.O.S. Board Member.

Robin turned the floor over to Becky Berry, A.C.S.C. Secretary.

II. A.C.S.C. SECRETARY'S REPORT

Becky thanked Doris Keaton, Ann Sigmon and Judy Vick for helping everyone at the sign-in desk. Becky then asked if there were any additions or corrections to the minutes from the Mid-Winter Workshop. Hearing none, Becky asked for a motion to accept the minutes as written. President Lenny Peaden of River City Shag Club made the motion and Bayne Hayes of the Florence Shag Club seconded. Motion passed and Becky stated the minutes would be recorded as written.

Becky also asked everyone to check their packets. In the packets were the updated Officers/Directors sheets for the White Reference Book, the Treasurer's financial statement and three sheets from the ICON committee regarding criteria for recommending someone for an ICON.

III. A.C.S.C. TREASURER'S REPORT

Cecil Martin gave his financial report ending on March 31st, 2019. The ending balance was \$5,835.93. Cecil stated that revenue was down due to last year's hurricane, which cancelled Fall Migration. Cecil noted that he had received a check from SOS which would increase the balance. Cecil asked for a motion to accept the financial report. President Whit Blanton of Sumter Shag Club made the motion to accept and President John Carpenter of Sandy Beach Shag Club seconded. Motion passed.

Cecil noted that Shag Lauderdale had been removed from the list of A.C.S.C. Shag Clubs due to non-attendance and non-payment of dues.

IV. A.C.S.C. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Robin introduced Novelene Powell and Dot Smith with the ICON committee. Novelene introduced the five new ICONs for the year 2019 and asked that they come forward to receive their award. The ICONS are Kathy Cole of Carolina Shag Club, Ronnie Gregory of Burlington Shag Club, Susan Martin of Palmetto Shag Club, Jackie Matthews of Virginia Beach Shag Club and Nancy Strother of Charleston Shag Club. Robin offered her congratulations to each of the new inductees.

Robin spoke again on the HOFF Charity Golf Tournament. Robin encouraged every club to sponsor to hole or co-sponsor a hole in the tournament.

Robin asked that a representative from Rock Hill Shag Club to come forward to talk about the Summer Workshop to be held in Charlotte in July. President Tommy Davis and Frankie McConnell came forward to speak. Tommy spoke about the different DJ's that will be playing. They are Eddie Anderson, John Smith, Buck Crumpton, Gene Hensley, Phil Long and Frank Price. Scott Campbell and Nikki Kontoulas will be giving shag workshops at the event. Frankie stated that tee shirts for the workshop were being sold at the SOS store and would be on sale at the workshop and that they will be having a class to bling up the tee shirts for the ladies if they are interested.

Robin asked that any club interested in bidding on the 2021 Summer Workshop to please contact her as soon as possible. Presentation will take place at the Summer Workshop along with voting.

V. A.C.S.C. VICE CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Lisa congratulated all the new Presidents and returning Presidents. Lisa noted that according to the shagdance.com website there had been several changes in Presidents since the January meeting. Those changes were Beach Shaggers of Birmingham, Electric City, First Coast, Lake Hickory, Lake Wylie, Twister's, Macon, Columbia, Sandy Beach, Sandhills and Statesville. She asked that each President check their information on the website and make sure their information had been updated. Lisa wished each of them a great year ahead. Lisa reminded everyone of the A.C.S.C. Workshop in Rock Hill and that it was a mandatory meeting. Lisa also asked that the Presidents share with their members the E-Notes she sends out. Lisa also asked the clubs to send to the Officers/Board members a copy of their newsletters in order to help them to stay up to date with what was going on in their clubs. Lisa asked Atlantic Beach Club and Mountain Shag Club to see her after the meeting to get their Past President's Pin and certificate.

VI. S.O.S. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Ronnie Gregory asked that Rosemary Parten and Kevin Harrell come forward to speak. Rosemary spoke on the sale of Fun Monday tickets. Rosemary asked that any club that had not picked up their packet to see her before leaving. Kevin Harrell came forward to speak on vendors for Fun Monday. Kevin said that the cost of fees had dropped from \$150.00 to \$100.00. Kevin said he would love to see the shag clubs participate in Fun Monday by becoming a vendor. Ronnie asked that the shag clubs support the Enhancement Committee in any way they could.

Ronnie turned the floor over to Ron Whisenant, President of SOS. Ron reminded everyone that this is the 35th year of the Association of Carolina Shag Clubs and that he thought it was appropriate that it was being put on by the Rock Hill Shag Club. Ron spoke of the start up of the ACSC and his, Phil Sawyer and Ken Hudspeth's involvement in the start-up. Ken and the Rock Hill Shag Club arranged what was to become the first Winter Beach Classic in 1984. The Presidents agreed to name it the Association of Carolina Shag Clubs.

Ron asked Don David, former SOS Chairman and former Chairman of the SOS Parade to come forward to be presented with a plaque for this 20 plus years as parade chairman. Don thanked everyone for their support through the years.

Ron then gave a brief update regarding the current funds for SOS. Ron spoke of the HOFF Charity Golf Tournament and encouraged everyone to participate.

VII. OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business to discuss.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business to discuss.

IX. CLUB PARTY INFORMATION

Those Presidents who are hosting parties between now and July were allowed to come forward to promote their club party.

X. ADJOURN

Motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting.

**** All 95 Full Member Clubs and 2 Subscriber Clubs were represented. ****

Respectfully submitted,

Becky Berry

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