



The Bugle

Battlefield Boogie Club

CREATE DANCE HISTORY



CREATE A MEMORY

Fredericksburg, Virginia

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President's Letter...Audrey Borja

As I write this letter we are coming up on the end of 2024. Where does the time go? I hope that you all are healthy and wise with many memories of the year to cherish. We have so many things to be thankful for as we approach Thanksgiving and Christmas. I want us to reflect on our blessings, family and friends. Our dance club is experiencing some challenges but they are not unlike other clubs. Venues that offer a dance floor, food and beverage are rare. I think the hotels and lounges have done away with dance areas. But, we are all resilient and we will find a way. We are an upbeat circuit of friends that like to dance and we all look forward to each

and every time we are together dancing to the music that we love.

Our homebase for the BBC is still the Fredericksburg Moose Lodge and they continue to permit us to use their lodge party room. We are thankful for the room and the available food and beverages. However, the policy remains that we cannot come regularly to dance unless you join the Moose Lodge membership. This policy puts a restriction on our BBC to attract new members. Thus, our dilemma. We searched around the area for an additional venue to dance. And, yay, we found the Highmark Brewery! We have had several dances there and the management have welcomed us. While we do not want to give up the security of the Moose Lodge, we will add the Brewery to our monthly dance nights. We will have our potluck Christmas party there and we expect a good turnout. While the Moose Lodge provides security for a dependable place to dance, our BBC membership really enjoys the Brewery. Plus, since the Brewery is open to the public, we just may attract some new members. It is all about open doors and high spirits.

Speaking of a good time at the Brewery. We had a Halloween party there that was fantastic. The costumes were original, the games, music and dancing were all just what we needed. The spirits were high and we so enjoyed the entire evening. The winner of the costume contest was dressed to the max

coming as Carmen Miranda. The test of her evening was to dance with a ton of fruit on her head. She did it and never removed the fruit. Ya gotta love it! Check out the photos in the newsletter.



So, for the Thanksgiving week many of us are attending a dance event called the "Turkey Trot". There will be a band showing off at the local Elks Lodge in Fredericksburg. The attendance will be a couple hundred folks that will come out to dance the night away. The Fredericksburg area really enjoys bands and the people come out of the cracks to come to the events. Our BBC will pass out small paper advertisements inviting folks to check us out at the Brewery and to share some good music by our DJ and dance with us. This is a good way to promote our BBC. Let's see if it works

As I close this letter, please keep our BBC member Darlene Weaver in your prayers. Darlene is still not well and has difficulty with her breathing. We miss her among us!. If anyone else has health problems, please let us know. We are a family and we care for each other. --Enjoy the upcoming holidays with family and friends and dance when you can. It is good medicine!

Let the good times roll! 😊

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Winner of the
Contest...
Carmen Miranda
better known as

"MITCH"
MITCH.







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What's Up!

**Dance Every 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month with the
Battlefield Boogie Club Fredericksburg, Virginia**

Lessons start at 7:00 pm—dance until 9:30

**Dance with the Northern Virginia Shag Club as announced* at the
Arlington-Fairfax Elks Lodge. 8421 Arlington Blvd. VA 6:30-10:30pm**

***Check NVSC web site for update <http://www.nvshag.org>**

BBC Dance nights with DJ's - Check Bugle Calls for nights

Wednesdays 2nd and 4th of each month - Fredericksburg Moose Lodge

Dance at Moose		11/13
Dance at Highmark Brewery	Fredericksburg, Va.	11/19
"Turkey Trot" Dance	Elks Lodge, Fredericksburg, Va.	11/23

No Dance Thanksgiving week -----

Moose Lodge Dance	Fredericksburg, Va.	12/11
Highmark Brewery – Christmas Party		12/17
Hand Dance NYE Party	Linthicum Heights, Maryland	12/31

No Dance on Christmas Day		
Happy New Year! - Next dance night		01/08/25
Mid-Winter SOS	N. Myrtle Beach, S.C.	1/16-19/25
Shaggers at Heart- Weekend	Hampton, Va.	2/7/25

Mid-Winter SOS	N. Myrtle Beach, S.C.	1/16/25
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Watch Bugle Call for updated information



By **Craig Jennings**



November 2, 2024 **The Beach Music Top 40** November 2, 2024

Fessa' Hook's Beach Music Top 40, 33 years in September 2023

Chart: [https://usmusicchartsmagazine.com/\(Cashbox/Record World\) \(2.1 Million hits /mo.\) jukinoldies.com - Sat's Beach Music Class Reunion. 4-7pm I Love Beach Music \(75K hits per mo.\) Facebook: John Hook's Beach Music Top 40 chart. Tuesdays 2 a.m. 100,000 watt KKFI, Kansas City, Mo or archive.kkfi.org for Fessa Hook's Soul Dancing 24/7](https://usmusicchartsmagazine.com/(Cashbox/Record World) (2.1 Million hits /mo.) jukinoldies.com - Sat's Beach Music Class Reunion. 4-7pm I Love Beach Music (75K hits per mo.) Facebook: John Hook's Beach Music Top 40 chart. Tuesdays 2 a.m. 100,000 watt KKFI, Kansas City, Mo or archive.kkfi.org for Fessa Hook's Soul Dancing 24/7)

No. of weeks	Last Week	This Week	Title	BPM	Year	No. of weeks	Last Week	This Week	Title	BPM	Year
			Artist	(LP or CD)	Record Co. & #				Artist	(LP or CD)	Record Co. & #
11	1	1	INTUITION			7	27	21	MOHAIR'SAM		2024
			DAVIS, CLAIRE						JONES, DANA		2024
16	2	2	HONEY		2024	7	28	22	MAN OF STEEL		2024
			KRAVITZ, LENNY						VUNCANNON, TERRY & RON HUTCHENS		2024
10	4	3	BIRDS OF A FEATHER		2024	7	29	23	GOT ME A WOMAN		2024
			EILISH, BILLIE						MANNING, DOUG		2024
10	5	4	THE DOOR		2024	26	18	24	GREEDY		2024
			SWIMS, TEDDY						MCRAE, TATE		2024
17	3	5	DREAMIN'		2024	49	19	25	WHOLE LOTTA ME		2023
			CARPENTER, PAT	Forevermore Music					TREXLER, SUSAN	Forevermore Music	
16	6	6	FEA THER		2024	36	20	26	LITTLE BIT OF YOUR LOVE		2024
			CARPENTER, SABRINA						TREXLER, DONNY	Forevermore Music	
20	7	7	FLOWERS2023		2023	14	24	27	PLEASE DON'T WALK AWAY		2024
			CYRUS, MILEY						GORE, JACKIE		2024
15	9	8	I'D BE LYING		2023	15	25	28	I CAN'T TELL YOU WHY		2024
			JONES, M.T.						DUKE, BARRY & ANGELA RESIGNALO		2024
11	11	9	YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT LOVE IS		2024	36	26	29	LOVE REALLY HURTS WITHOUT YOU		2023
			MIGHTY SAINTS OF SOUL						SMALL, MARLISA & JERRY WEST		2024
6	12	10	PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE (dean!!)	2024		28	31	30	LOVE LIGHTS		2024
			CARPENTER, SABRINA						SECOND NATURE w Hank Martin & Rene Littlell		2024
14	13	11	YOUNG HEARTS			7	30	31	DOWN WITH THAT		2024
			PANTQA, RAVENNE w Doug Manning Project						REV. BUBBA DELIVERANCE & CHIP'S		2024
24	8	12	AIN'T NO MOUNTAIN HIGH ENOUGH		2022	33	33	32	DON'T WALK AWAY		2024
			THOMPSON, GINGER						RIVERMIST		2024
19	10	13	TOO COLD TO HOLD		2024	20	35	33	CAROLINA SUNSHINE		2024
			CHRISTIE, PAT						RUSSELL, SONNY & CANNONBALL JOE		2024
22	15	14	CHANCES ARE		2024	22	34	34	END TO END		2024
			CASH, J.D.	Forevermore Music					BLACK, R. MARK		2024
34	14	15	I DON'T WANT TO CRY		2024	3	36	35	PARTY STREET		2024
			HOLIDAY BAND						CLAY, RANDY BAND		2024
7	17	16	ESPRESSO		2024	22	32	36	I HEAR YOU KNOCKING		2024
			CARPENTER, SABRINA						TO NEZ		2024
20	16	17	TOO SWEET		2024	31	39	37	LET'S WALK		2024
			HQZIER	Unreal Unearth Unheard					SMITTY & THE JUMP STARTS		2024
18	21	18	GONE FISHIN'		2024	33	38	38	FLIP FLOPS AND MARGARITAS		2024
			BOSCHRONCE	Forevermore Music					MAC DADDY'S BAND		2024
12	22	19	IT'S THE SIMPLE THINGS		2024	29	37	39	DOLADIES GET THE BLUES		2024
			CLAY, RANDY BAND						DION w Debbie Davies & Christine Ohlman		2024
21	23	20	IT'S OVER			19	40	40	DR. IN PARADISE		2024
			LOWDER, GARY						BRADFORD & BELL		2024

Bubbling Under Spotlight

LOVE LOVE LOVE
OCEAN DRIVE BLUES
TONIGHT I'M FALLING IN LOVE
TWO STUPID FEET
SUNSHINE AND SUMMER
SIZE OF THE SHIP
SWIPE RIGHT
CAROLINA SUMMER
KNOCKIN' DOWN DOORS
NEED LOVE
SHE GOT THAT COUGAR LOVE
CAROLINA SUNSHINE IS CALLING ME
BAITSHACK BLUES
BEACHA GOGO

AUTUMN TYDE
BRADFORD & BELL
CAROLINA BLUE DOTS
CHUCK JACKSON
DEB BROWNING & MARLISA
DIEDRA
DR. WU AND FRIENDS
I42 BAND
MARSHA MORGAN
MARTIN DAVIS BAND
MR. WILLY & MS JODY
SONNY RUSSELL & CANNONBALL JOE
SONYA GRIER
STARBUCK

SPRING BREAK SHAKE
SEDUCED BY THE BLUES
THUNDER STEALER
BEAUTIFUL ISLAND
MEMPHIS ROCKS
LAST SUMMER
MOVIN' ON 2024
MAKE THE NIGHT A LITTLE LONGER
ANOTHER DAY
GOTTA LET YOU GO

STARBUCK
STEFAN HILLESHEIM BAND
STEPHANIE PICKETT & AMANDA SOVER
STEVE BYERS
STEVE BYERS
STEVE CHEEK
TERRI GORE
TOMMY HUNT
TOO MUCH SYLVIA
WILLIE CLAYTON

Top Beach Music Ballads

CHANCES ARE

J.D. CASH

DJ Schedule

CRAIG JENNINGS

WEDNESDAY JUKINOLDIES.COM



9:00-11:00

**BOOGIE WOOGIE
DANCE PARTY**



CRAIG JENNINGS

SUNDAY

WVER FM 88.1

5:00-7:00

**BEACH BREEZE & GROOVES
COLONIAL BEACH**



DJ DATES TO BE ANNOUNCED IN BUGLE CALL



**DICKY ESTES
NOV/DEC**

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DICKY ESTES



**RON LIPPS
NOV/DEC**

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RON LIPPS



CHECK THE WEEKLY BUGLE FOR IN SCHEDULES

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LOGO ITEMS

BBC logo items are on sale every Wednesday night and through e-mail. Don Borja can be reached through his e-mail (ledgestonemanor@aol.com) and Dennis Bushor on Wednesday nights. They are our BBC member representatives for logo sales. Please support your club while getting quality merchandise at reasonable prices. We recently added shoe bags to our inventory. So, if you don't have these items, check them out and plan to get one of each.

Shoe Bags- *We are now*
Shirts - *Taking*
Hats - *Orders...*
Huggies-
Bags - \$ 30.00

Weather Emergencies!

Watch your Bugle Call emails for weather emergency notices.

*We try to be cautious in coming out to dance. Lets think safety!
Thank You!*

DVD's

Want to practice and perfect those basic dance steps? See Wes or Audrey to purchase Beginner DVD's for just \$10.00.

BBC NEWSLETTER- CAN YOU HELP?

If you have computer skills and would like to help the BBC to compile and produce the BBC Bugle newsletter, please contact a board member listed in the newsletter. We have a staff that has carried the responsibility of the newsletter for years, and we would like for someone else to have the opportunity to experience this fun filled activity. We look forward to hearing from you.



We extend a warm welcome to new BBC members!



Noreen Hamilton

(Renewal)



Kim Blair

(Renewal)



HOW TO LOSE LBS AND HAVE FUN AT THE SAME TIME...

SEE YOU ON THE DANCE FLOOR

Dance like no one is watching.

Because they're not.

They're checking their phones.



HAPPY DANCE FEEL GOOD!





We need you to serve our BBC!

Committee Opportunities focusing on:

Treasury

Membership

Newsletter

Promotion and Social

To inquire as a volunteer, please contact a Board Member or the President.

Thank you!

Battlefield Boogie Club



Fredericksburg Dances

*Come Join Us
Be fancy or do
Your own thing*



Beach Music Carolina Shag



**Loyal Order of Moose Lodge #1655
11917 Cherry Rd, Fredericksburg, VA 22407**

Every 2nd & 4th Wednesday Of The Month

Time: 7:00-9:30+ pm - Free Dance Lessons

Check our website www.battlefieldboogieclub.com

For more Information: 703-401-5050

Jukin Oldies Presents:



Free
ENTRY



Wednesdays 9-11pm



**Craig
Jennings**

**CJ's Boogie
Woogie
Dance Party**



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SUNDAYS 5-7 PM

REPLAY TUESDAY 9-11 PM

Host **CRAIG JENNINGS**



**BEACH, SHAG, MOTOWN,
R&B, BLUES, BOOGIE**

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