

THE BOOGIE BEAT

July 2015

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

I hope everyone is enjoying their summer and that this letter finds all in good health. What a great turnout for the June General Membership meeting. We had forty-three members join us at Mikki V's in Winter Springs. What a great location and the food was excellent.

Our next membership meeting will be held on September 13, 2015, at Mikki V's and will start at 4:00 p.m. It is also the time for nominations for officers. Your Board will be presenting for vote new by-law changes. Please plan to attend.

Being that we have no dancing the last Sunday of every month at the Post Time, we are trying to make arrangements with Mikki V's for those Sundays starting July 26th, from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. We will keep you posted via email. If we can make this happen, please make plans to attend to support your club and Mikki V's.

May I also suggest The Alley in Sanford. They have a Blues Jam Session every Sunday afternoon starting at 5:00 p.m. GREAT Music! You can plan on having a wonderful time. The second Thursday of every month is "Alive After 5" in Sanford. This month they are having the Smokin' Torpedoes playing at the Square, then at The Alley. The band plays our music so there will be a lot of dancing outside. Please plan on joining us on July 9th. We will meet at the Downtown Square.

Don't forget to send in your money for the July 18th Barbeque. You know our parties are the best, so register today. We have a great barbeque buffet and good music!

We have worked out with the Plaza Resort to rebuild our outside dance floor there at the hotel. Plans are to start at the end of August/first part of September. It will be ready for some serious dancing at the 27th Annual Orange Squeeze.

As always, enjoy life and I will see you on the dance floor!

HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!!!!

John O'Dell, President



Officers:

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General Information:

For any changes in your contact information (Phone number, address, e-mail address) please notify Dorothy Berdellans.

Contacts for:

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Articles, pictures, ads and announcements for the newsletter must be submitted by the 25th of the month. Please send or e-mail to:

Dorothy Berdellans
c/o Beach Boppers of Orlando
P.O. Box 160813
Altamonte Springs, FL 32716

Phone: 407-463-0776
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Our website:
www.beachboppers.com

Mission Statement:

The Beach Boppers of Orlando, Inc. was established in April 1986 to provide its members an opportunity to associate with others who share the enjoyment of dancing to "Carolina Beach Music" and for the advancement and preservation of the bop, shag and related dances.

Weekly dancing and meetings are held at the Post Time Lounge at the corner of Dog Track Road & Highway 17-92 in Casselberry, Florida 32707.

Dance nights are Sunday and Wednesday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. or a little later. Music is provided by our own DJs for dances including bop, shag, west coast swing, cha-cha & hustle.

Monthly Newsletter:

We hope everyone likes receiving the newsletter by email. If a member wishes to contribute to the newsletter or place ads, please let Dorothy Berdellans (email: dorothy@berdellans.com) know. She is at your command and will be more than excited to assist you!!!!!!!!!!!!

We can now be found on **Facebook:**

Beach Boppers of Orlando

Pass it along to your friends

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR JULY BIRTHDAY MEMBERS!

Monika Delillo	3-July		Chuck Konsler	23-July
Constance Glicken	4-July		Paul Slunt	23-July
Lany Beauchamp	9-July		Rick Lence	25-July
B.J. Miller Aldredge	10-July		Tommy Anderson	27-July
Dorothy Berdellans	11-July		Pat Barkley	28-July
Pat Langolf	11-July		Ana Lara	28-July
Bob Smith	15-July		Nora Batts	31-July
James Harris	21-July		Don Williams	31-July

Upcoming August Birthdays:

Aimee Nichols	1-Aug		Glen Ruch	19-Aug
Marcia Alford	3-Aug		Timothy Murnane	21-Aug
Gerald Love	4-Aug		Linda Caskey	22-Aug
Irene Morrissee	5-Aug		Kathy Vidal	23-Aug
David Wiggs	5-Aug		Jerry Massey	26-Aug
Richard Starcher	9-Aug		Bunny Jordan	26-Aug
De Pett	14-Aug		Midge Guthrie	26-Aug
Catherine Durkin	16-Aug		Jerry Munson	31-Aug
Barbara Christian	18-Aug			





CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

Here we are in July already. It seems like June just flew by. We are asking that you still be in prayer for a few people on our prayer list. They need to know that we care.

Jeri (Sissy) Williams – the doctor is making adjustments on her device regularly to help control her seizures.

Dennis Cope - Dennis just finished his chemo treatments and we pray that the cancer is gone.

Dianne Yankelevitz – Dianne is still undergoing chemo. We pray for that she will continue to improve.

Carole White – We continue to pray for her recovery.

Betty Wilson – Betty has amazing strength and a fantastic attitude. What a class act. She is still collecting for our DJ's and dancing and enjoying every minute of it.

We are also asking for prayer for a speedy recovery for Marcia Alford, who fractured her knee and other injuries while on vacation and for Trent Smith who has undergone a hip replacement.

You can send cards to:

Marcia Alford, 49 Michael Lane, Banner Elk, NC 28604

Trent Smith, P.O. Box 277, Riverview, FL 33568

It won't be long until July 4th. We hope everyone has a fun and safe holiday. We know everyone is getting geared up for the barbeque. We are really looking forward to it and looking forward to seeing old friends and making some new ones.

We love all of you and are always here if you need us.

"ANYONE DOING GOD'S WORK IN GOD'S WAY IS IMPORTANT IN HIS SIGHT."

God bless,

Mark & Pat Charles
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BBOO “SPOTLIGHT”

By Dorothy Berdellans



History of American Flag.

In May of 1776, Betsy Ross reported that she sewed the first American flag.

On June 14, 1777, in order to establish an official flag for the new nation, the Continental Congress passed the first Flag Act: “Resolved, That the flag of the United States be made of thirteen stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new Constellation.”

Between 1777 and 1960, Congress passed several acts that changed the shape, design and arrangement of the flag and allowed for additional stars and stripes to be added to reflect the admission of each new state.

Today the flag consists of thirteen horizontal stripes, seven red alternating with 6 white. The stripes represent the original 13 colonies, the stars represent the 50 states of the Union. The colors of the flag are symbolic as well: Red symbolizes Hardiness and Valor, White symbolizes Purity and Innocence and Blue represents Vigilance, Perseverance and Justice.

**** Notes of Interest ****

NOW HEAR THIS: There is still time to make your reservations for the Barbeque on July 18, 2015, at the Tuscawilla Country Club in Winter Springs. The flyer is on the last page of the newsletter for your convenience.

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REMINDER: Just a reminder that we will not be dancing the last Sunday of each month at the Post Time Lounge, due to the car show that is scheduled on those Sundays. And keep in mind that the times for our Wednesday and Sunday nights dancing were changed. We now dance from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

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NEW MEMBERS: Welcome to Midge Guthrie, Toni Migliore, Mary Price, Trent Smith, Bunny Jordan, Joanna Moss, Karen Starcher, Richard Starcher, Fern Stone and Rita Taylor. We look forward to seeing all of you on the dance floor!!!!

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SEPTEMBER CRUISE: There are now more than 60 people going on the cruise in September. That is awesome. We will definitely have a great time!!!!

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Something to ponder

It doesn't matter if your glass is half empty or half full. Be thankful that you have a glass and grateful that there's something in it.



At the end of the day, you will not remember the person with the most beautiful face, but you will remember the person with the most beautiful heart and soul.

And remember this – dancing is like taking a mini vacation from the stress of the everyday.

Your Newsletter Gal,

Dorothy B.



“THE CALENDAR”

JULY 2015

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
			1 Frank Umont DJ	2	3	4 
5 Edee Dickinson DJ	6	7	8 Edee Dickinson DJ	9	10 BBOO Board Meeting 1:00 p.m.	11
12 Jerry Munson DJ	13	14	15 Jerry Munson DJ	16	17	18 BBQ 
19 Frank Umont DJ	20	21	22 Frank Umont DJ	23	24	25
26 NO DANCING	27	28	29 Edee Dickinson DJ	30	31	



Beach Boppers of Orlando Annual Bar-B-Que



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WHEN: Saturday, July 18, 2015

WHERE: Tuscawilla Country Club,
1500 Winter Springs Blvd., Winter Springs, FL

Members \$15.00

Guests \$25.00

- Cash Bar – Special Drink Prices – at 6:00 p.m.
- Buffet Dinner - 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
- Dancing - 7:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.
- 50/50 Raffle

Reservations must be made and paid for by July 10th
*******THERE WILL BE NO "PAY AT THE DOOR" FOR THIS EVENT*******

Name_____ Phone_____

Number of Reservations_____ Amount Paid _____

Guest(s) Name(s):_____

Make checks payable to Beach Boppers of Orlando and mail to:

BBOO
PO Box 160813
Altamonte Springs, Fl 32716-0813

Or give checks or cash to Dorothy Berdellans (Treasurer) any Wednesday or Sunday dance night at the Post Time Lounge during regular dancing.

Beach Boppers of Orlando

26th Annual Orange Squeeze

October 29st thru October 31, 2015



at Plaza Resort & Spa
600 North Atlantic Ave., Daytona Beach,
FL 32118

1-800-500-5630 or 386-255-4471

Room Rates \$119 per night
(Ask for Beach Boppers 2015 Room Block)

Tickets: \$65 until Sept. 23, 2015
(\$75 after Sept. 23, 2015)
Daily tickets \$40

No refunds – Tickets held at registration desk



Guest DJs – Buck Crumpton & Billy Waldrep
playing your favorite music along with BBOO DJs!!

• **Free Beer** Friday & Saturday while
it lasts

• **Hospitality**

• **Dancing Beach Side** – Thurs., Fri., &
Sat – Noon to 6 p.m.

• **Smoke Free Ballroom** –
Dancing 7 p.m. to 1 a.m.

• **Free Shag & Swing Workshops** –
Friday & Saturday (with paid registration)

• **Golf Scramble** – Fri. Morning
Call Pat Jones @ 407-886-5874

• **Halloween Contest** – Friday Night

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Please Print

Name _____ Guest: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Club Affiliation _____ Phone #: _____

E-Mail: _____

of Tickets _____ Amount enclosed: \$ _____

Make checks payable to Beach Boppers of Orlando

Mail to: BBOO PO Box 160813 Altamonte Springs, FL 32716-0813

BEACH BOPPERS OF ORLANDO

2015 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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We MUST have this completed form for each member. Please DO NOT SAY "same as last year" and couples must fill out individual forms and each must sign the release.

PLEASE - **CLEARLY PRINT** THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____

CELL PHONE: _____ E-MAIL: _____

If you have an e-mail address, please make sure you write it clearly. We do a lot of notification by e-mail.

(All information is for the club only and will not be given to others without permission)

Date of Birth (month & day only) _____

I authorize any of the above information may be given to any other **club** member. YES NO

I authorize any of the above information may be used in the Membership Directory YES NO

On what committees would you volunteer to serve (Please check those you are interested in):

___Finance ___Ways & Means ___Social ___Publicity ___Telephone ___Nominations ___By-Laws

Please forward this completed form and your check made out to BBOO to:

Beach Boppers of Orlando P.O. Box 160813 Altamonte Springs, Fl. 32716-0813

Referred by: _____

In consideration of the mutual benefits derived from membership in the Beach Boppers of Orlando, Inc. and acknowledging that injury may occur while dancing, the undersigned does hereby assume all risks and absolves, releases and waives all liability claims or demands against BBOO, Inc., its officers, board members and each and every member thereof which may arise out of an act related to an injury.

Signature of above member: _____ Date ____/____/____

Membership dues are \$40.00 per calendar year. Current members may renew for the discounted rate of \$30.00 **prior** to mid-night on **January 31, 2015.**

PLEASE DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

For club use only: Date rec'd ____/____/____ Amt. Rec'd _____ Cash () Ck# _____

Member # _____ Date entered into system ____/____/____ Card mailed ____/____/____