

THE BOOGIE BEAT

November 2017

THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

We just got back from our 28th Annual Orange Squeeze. Once again, we had another great turn out. The weather was perfect for our outside dancing!!!

I won't try to name everyone who made this happen. But I do want to give a big "THANKS" to all of the volunteers who worked so hard to make 2017 Orange Squeeze such a success.

For the record, in case you didn't know, we are already making plans for 2018, so mark your calendars - November 1st, 2nd and 3rd, 2018. The contract is in place to hold the 29th Annual Orange Squeeze at the Plaza Resort & Spa in Daytona Beach. If you missed the 2017 "Squeeze", you really don't want to miss next year!

Our General Membership Meeting has been postponed and moved to Sunday, November 19, 2017 at 5:30 p.m. at Mikki V's. This will allow us time to get accurate number of attendees and other information to share with you.

A group of our members went to the Space Coast Dance Club dance on October 28th and had a great time. Our own Frank "Porky" Umont deejayed and did a fantastic job as usual.

Our club membership for 2017 is currently 187. We are always looking for new members, so I am asking everyone to pledge to bring in at least one new member for the coming year.

Hope to see you on the dance floor!

Ron Petry, President



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Social	Pat Charles
Publicity	Sylvia Cowras
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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:

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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 Mikki V's on Aloma, 2960 W. State Road 426, Oviedo, FL 32765.

Dance nights are Sunday and Wednesday nights from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 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 NOVEMBER BIRTHDAY MEMBERS!

Peggy Garner	1-Nov	Linda Cordone-Cope	13-Nov
Regina Foley	2-Nov	Vicki Cash	15-Nov
BuddyGarner	2-Nov	Rudolph Bamundo	16-Nov
Pearl Desjardins	3-Nov	Sandy Malashchuk	19-Nov
Charles Castiglione	4-Nov	Patricia Engelhardt	20-Nov
Evelyn Munson	7-Nov	Vinny Delillo	23-Nov
Denise Willis	7-Nov	Dawn Duvall	23-Nov
Joseph Testa	9-Nov	Gloria Robin Slike	25-Nov
Ethel "Edee" Dickinson	11-Nov	Connie Mulidore	28-Nov
Gary Baker	13-Nov		

Upcoming December Birthdays:

Carol Johnson	1-Dec	George Schwan	15-Dec
Ray Rodriguez	1-Dec	Paul Girard	19-Dec
Brian Rowton	1-Dec	Rosemary Fernandez	25-Dec
Sue Cappetta	12-Dec	Phil Gordon	28-Dec
Gail Beitelman	14-Dec	Judy Urbancik	29-Dec
Jerome Schiff	14-Dec	Mark Charles	31-Dec





CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

It is an honor to have been chosen to serve as the club's new Chaplain. My thanks to all and to Mark and Pat Charles for their many years of being our Chaplains.

Please continue prayers for Gail Beitelman, David Cissel, Sherri Richardson, Jeri Williams, Betty Wilson and Dianne Yankelevitz.

Also Ted Hubbell had surgery at Moffitt Cancer Center in Tampa on Friday, October 27th. He will have a long period of recovery. Your prayers and good thoughts will be appreciated by him, Kathy and his family. Cards may be sent to Ted Hubbell at 8950 Spyglass Loop, Clermont, FL 34711.

As many of you know, my son passed away last week and I want to express my sincere thanks to all of you for your prayers, thoughts and cards. It is comforting to know that I have the support of my Beach Bopper family.

Your Chaplain,

Kathie Hentz

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TO ALL OF YOU WHO VOLUNTEERED TO HELP AT ORANGE SQUEEZE:

From Pat Charles, Hospitality Chairperson:

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped make Hospitality a huge success again this year. We could not have done it without you:

Dawn Duvall, Pat Barkley, Patti Cayll, Grace Merifield, Carol and Paul Girard, Emmalyn and Ron Smith, Linda and Rick Teeter, Jo Jo and Joe Testa, Andrea and Chuck Konsler, Anita Blanchfield, Cheryl Swanson, Jerome Schiff, Marlene Danio, Nancy Newman, Carol Johnson, and Sandy and Mike Malashchuk.

From Dorothy Berdellans, Registration Desk Chairperson:

When I passed around the sign-up sheet for volunteers for the Registration Desk earlier in the fall, I was amazed at how quickly it was filled. You did a wonderful job and I want to thank you all for your help:

Sandy and Mike Malashchuk, Pat Barkley, Patti Cayll, Carol Johnson, Judy Urbancik, Bruce Drake, Dawn Duvall, Anita Blanchfield, Joyce Peters, Vicki Cash, Grace Merifield, Joni Bastian, Carol and Paul Girard, Evelyn Munson, Kathy Vidal, and Pat and Ed Langolf. Thank you, thank you, thank you.

And a very special thanks to Sylvia Cowras, who co-chaired the Registration Desk with me. And an even bigger thank you to her for stepping up and helping with the 50/50 ticket sales.

The table decorations looked great. We can thank Anita Blanchfield for all the work she did in putting together the centerpieces.

We look forward to working together again next year.

**** Notes of Interest ****

NOW HEAR THIS: The General Membership Meeting originally scheduled for Sunday, November 12, 2017, at 5:30 p.m. has been postponed. The new date is Sunday, November 19, 2017, 5:30 p.m. at Mikki V's.

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SPECIAL THANK YOU: We just want to give a special Thank You to Betty Wilson for all her hard work over the years selling 50/50 tickets at our events. She has done a great job and we appreciate all she has done in the past.

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ORANGE SQUEEZE: The 28th ANNUAL ORANGE SQUEEZE is over and, once again, it was a major success. The weather was absolutely perfect. Not a single drop of rain and it was not too hot!!!!!! So dancing outside under the tent was fantastic. We again had over 400 people. It was great! When I was checking out on Sunday, so many people came over to say what a wonderful time they. There were a lot of new faces who attended and who are looking forward to coming next year.

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NEW CLUB CHAPLAIN: Just a reminder that Kathie Hentz is our new Club Chaplain. If you or someone you know need prayer and support, please contact Kathie by email at kathiehentz26@gmail.com or by phone at 407-968-7897. Thank you, Kathie, for stepping up to the plate.

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NEW MEMBERS: Welcome to Alan Brown, who joined BBOO. Our membership keeps growing – even at this late time of the year.

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AFTER CHRISTMAS “CHRISTMAS” PARTY: We are working on the After Christmas “Christmas” Party. As soon as we have the date and place, we will let you know. Remember, the party is free to all 2017 members.

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Something to ponder

A veteran is someone who, at one point in their life, wrote a blank check made payable to The United States of America for any amount, up to and including their life.



And remember this – Dancing is like dreaming with your feet.

Your Newsletter Gal,

Dorothy B.



“THE CALENDAR”

NOVEMBER 2017

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
			1 No Dancing at Mikki V's Unofficial Start of Orange Squeeze	2 28 th Annual Orange Squeeze	3 28 th Annual Orange Squeeze	4 28 th Annual Orange Squeeze
5 No Dancing	6	7	8 Frank Umont DJ Dancing at Mikki V's	9	10	11 
12 Edee Dickinson DJ Dancing at Mikki V's	13	14	15 Edee Dickinson DJ Dancing at Mikki V's	16	17	18
19 5:30 General Membership Meeting Jerry Munson DJ Dancing at Mikki V's	20	21	22 Jerry Munson DJ Dancing at Mikki V's	23 Happy Thanksgiving 	24	25
26 Frank Umont DJ Dancing at Mikki V's	27	28	29 Frank Umont DJ Dancing at Mikki V's	30		



BEACH BOPPERS OF ORLANDO

2017MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Mission Statement:

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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, 2017.**

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 ____/____/____