



Judy started dancing in her teenage years, and growing up in North Carolina meant Summer and Spring breaks were spent at the beaches of the Carolinas.

In the early 1980's, Judy migrated back to Myrtle Beach for the first formation of SOS, it was so exciting to her to see old friends from her earlier years. Because of their excitement, she and a few friends went back to Burlington, NC and formed the Burlington NC Shag Club which is the oldest Shag Club in the Association of Carolina Shag Clubs.

Eventually, Judy moved and settled in Chattanooga, TN. and because of her love for the dance, she sought out places to dance and people who danced like her. She met a couple who danced the Shag, they become friends and began teaching the Shag and the rest is History.

In 1994 the Choo Choo Shag Club applied for it's charter and was accepted into the Association of Carolina Shag Clubs, Judy served as Vice President and was instrumental in starting the first Shag Tracks Dance now in its 22nd year.

While attending the Music City Bop Club annual dance, Judy met Delmus Aubrey who swept her off her feet (or should I say danced her off her feet) and in 1996 they were married. Delmus (originally of the Derby City Bop Club) introduced Judy to many of his friends and to a whole new type of dancing and of course she caught right on to the BOP.

In 2011, Judy lost Delmus and her only son Kevin, Judy's strength was unbelievable and unstoppable, and the support from the dance world was one of her strengths.

In 2012, Judy was diagnosed with cancer, it did not keep her down, she has always and still is actively promoting her passion of dance because it is her way of life.

Rose Kellar and the members of the Cho Choo Shag Club are very proud to have nominated Judy to the American Bop Association Hall Of Fame. Congratulations to Judy Aubrey who was inducted into the American Bop Association Hall Of Fame November 9th, 2016 at the Cincinnati Bop Club "Move Across The River" dance. Congratulations Judy.....

On behalf of the Choo Choo Shag Club, we thank the Hall of Fame Committee for accepting Judy into the Association Hall of Fame, we love you Judy.

Written by Rose Kellar 2016