

## Myers Varn Floyd

## MYERS VARN FLOYD

Born on February 21, 1991, and raised in Bishopville, SC, Myers was introduced to shag by her parents at a very young age. She grew up listening to beach music and learned the basic from her father Jeff by the age of 12. She attended her first Junior SOS in Myers began competing in small 2007 and was hooked. contests throughout the Carolinas and competed in her first Shaq Nationals in 2009 in the Junior II Division. She continued to compete throughout her junior years winning several junior contests and placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in Junior II Division at Shag Nationals in 2011. She also was a member of the 2010-2011 Junior Shag Dance Team that traveled throughout the US and won several Team Division titles. Myers continued to compete as she aged out of juniors and moved into the Pro Division. In 2012, she graduated from the College of Charleston with a Bachelor's in Arts Management and married Matthew Floyd, also a former Junior shagger and Keeper of the Dance. In 2015, Myers won both the Advanced Shag Jack and Jill and Open Strictly Swing titles at the USA Grand National Dance Championships. She and her husband reside in Indian Land, SC with their two-year old son Briar and she works in Human Resources for KPMG. Myers continues to spread her love for the dance by attending local shag events and contests and teaching lessons throughout the southeast. She plans to raise her son to love this dance community as much as she does.