



## The 69th annual N.C. Herring Festival

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The 69th Annual North Carolina Herring Festival is gearing up for Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31.

A weekend of quality music, good food, fun rides and multiple vendors will entertain people of all ages.

N.C. Herring Festival Director Sharon Britt wants motorists to be aware that Main Street will be closed from noon on Friday, March 30 through midnight on Saturday.

Carnival rides will be available through Fun Time Amusements of Danville, Va.

Armbands can be purchased in advance, or the night of the event for Friday night only. The armbands price is \$12 in advance, \$15 at the door.

"Tickets will have to be purchased Saturday for the rides that

day. The armbands are only good for Friday night," Britt said.

To purchase armbands in advance, contact the following Herring Festival Committee members: Cassidy Ward, Jackie Gillam, Ray Bowen, Gina Bowen or Molly Long.

The festival will host a variety of musical entertainers through-

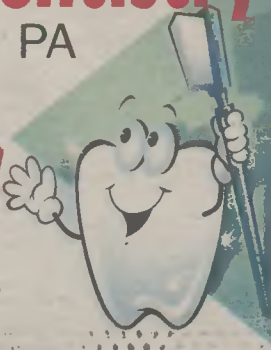
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