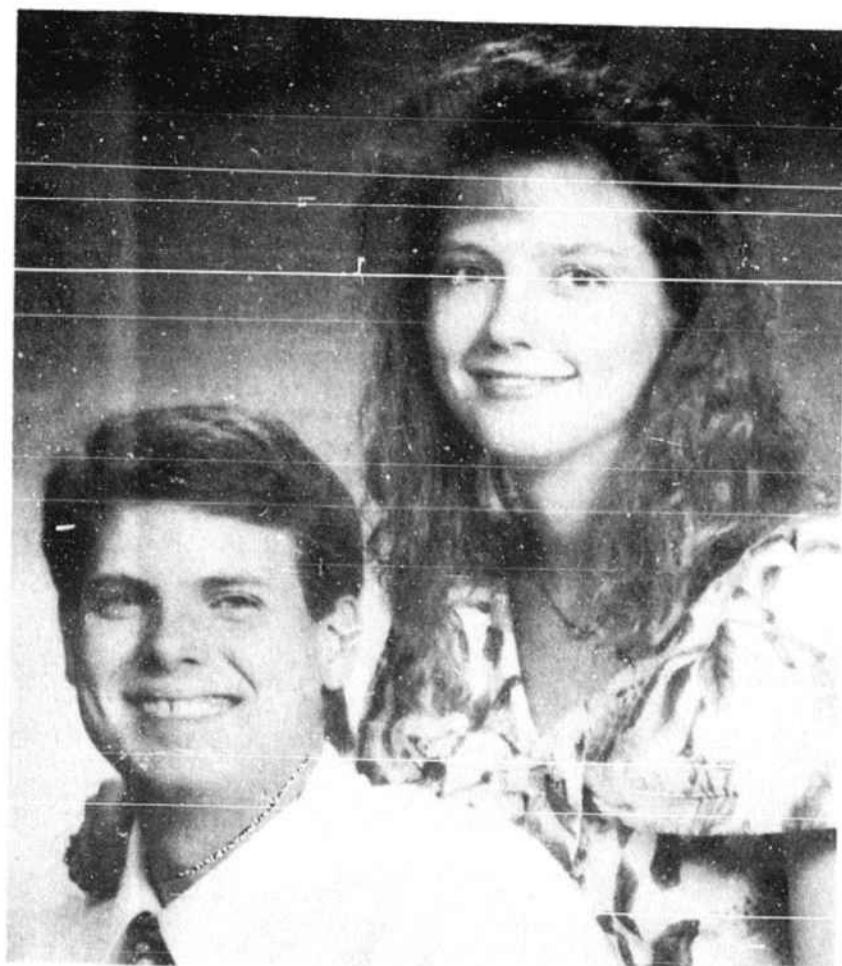




Bellamy, Carroll To Wed

Maitland and Gold Delain Bellamy of Holden Beach have announced the engagement of their daughter, Regina Bellamy, to Darin Carroll, son of Roger and Tammy Carroll of Jacksonville. A 5 p.m. wedding is planned Saturday, Aug. 8, at Long Leaf Baptist Church in Wilmington. Invitations will be sent.



To Wed August 29

Connie D. Zimmer of Greensboro has announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of her daughter, Rhonda Zimmer, to Christian L. Pigott, son of Harry and Sandy Pigott of Shallotte Point. Their wedding is planned Saturday, Aug. 29, at 1 p.m. at Mt. Hope Church of Whitsett. Friends and family are invited.

Local Singer Entertains At Southport Festival

Musical entertainment in Southport's Waterfront Park during Fourth of July festivities will have a Brunswick County flavor. Varnamtown's own Gaye Varnam Fulford, country-gospel singer and songwriter, will perform there Friday at 2:30 and 5:00 p.m. and Saturday at 2:00 and 4:30 p.m.

FULFORD

Gaye calls country her first love, with Mary Chapin Carpenter, Holly

Dunn and Emmy Lou Harris her favorite recording artists, but she also sings folk and gospel.

She loves the chance to perform her own songs, many of which have been inspired by her own life experiences, family and friends. Her work includes, "River's Cry," "Nothing Like A Good Man," and a local favorite, "Lockwood Folly Fun."

Accompanying herself on the acoustic guitar, Gaye has captivated audiences at festivals, fairs, graduations, banquets and other community events. She works at Brunswick Community College, where she earned her Associate Degree in Business Administration.

Birthdays And Anniversaries

Thursday, July 2

Sandra Hall, Audie Phelps, Orbie Eugene Inman, Mike Blandino, Jenny Rogers, Jeffrey Allen Gooch, Charlie O. Holden, Toni Benton, Ruth Kye, Chowan Simmons, Jonathan Carlisle, Dannie Sheffield, April Pigott; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leggett, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pigott, Tim and Susan Gible.

Friday, July 3

Elton Hewett, Vernon Payne, Lynne May, Motelle Knight, Kelly Baxley, Porter Sing, Jeanne Z. King; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Delie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hewett.

Saturday, July 4

Mike King, Susan Phelps Hewett, Jerry D. Lewis, Brian Thomas Furr, Mary Thomas Belmore, Chris Robinson, Suzann Schutte, Melissa Cheers, Lou Banner; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fulwood.

Sunday, July 5

Phillip Brinsfield, Al B. Milliken, Morris T. Hall, Helen White, Eloise Inman, Gwen Causey; Charles & Josefa Williams.

Monday, July 6

Roy Havenga Jimmy Stanley, John Schwab II, Tom Roberts,

Robin Caison, Teresa Moore, Gail H. Hewett, Paula James, Doug Baxley, Kathern Fulford, Allison Harris; Michael and Brenda Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Galloway.

Tuesday, July 7

Porter McQuain, A.J. McCullough, Rodney Babson, Ricky Hawes, Joshua Wesley Gaughf, David Everette Kelly III, Richard "Richie" Brennan, Edwin Holden, Charles Todd, Wanda C. Canady, Buster Dowless, Harriet Bellamy, Alanna McCarthy, Kathryn Louise Wilson, Tom Dennie, Joe Gupton, Bill Ellis, Rebecca Watson, A.J. McCullough; Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Lewis.

Wednesday, July 8

Ricky Parker, Cindy Inman Noble, Beth Schwab, Delana Raines, Mariellen Bessent, Dianne Loughran, Jean Gold, John F. Parker Jr., Willie R. Caison, Mike Parker, Jimmy Watson, Donna DeBoise, Greg White, Cecil Logan, Lori Hewett, Ginger Smith; Mr. & Mrs. Pli Barefoot, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Hewett, Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Eugene Inman.

The Independence Day weekend will once again bring throngs of visitors to the town of Southport, home of the North Carolina Fourth of July Festival. Another three days of non-stop activities and fun await people of all ages on the waterfront, in Franklin Square Park, Middleton Park in Long Beach, and the Southport Community Building.

Official opening ceremonies will take place at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday (July 1) at Southport Baptist Church, but the real action begins Thursday morning with the kickoff of an all-day beach day competition at Long Beach Cabana, arts and crafts in the park and a book sale in Old Catholic Church.

Music, dancing in the street, exhibits, food of all kinds, children's entertainment, and, of course, the spectacular televised parade, are all part of the festivity in store all day Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The whole affair is concluded appropriately with the display of fireworks on the Southport Waterfront at 9 p.m. Saturday.

Those who might want to hang around for the very last flicker of fun will be rewarded on Sunday afternoon by the annual firemen's competition in the parking lot of Southport City Hall, from 2:00-5:00

p.m. Then it's time to go home and rest up for next year's festival.

N.C. Fourth Of July Festival 1992 Schedule Of Events

WEDNESDAY, JULY 1

- Used Book Sale, Old Catholic Church, 9:00-5:00 p.m.
- Opening Ceremonies, Community Church Service, Southport Baptist Church, 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, JULY 2

- Beach Day Competition, Long Beach Cabana, 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- Used Book Sale, Old Catholic Church, 9:00-5:00 p.m.
- Arts & Crafts, Franklin Square Park, 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
- Old Brunswick County Jail, Corner of Rhett & Nash Streets, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- 12th Annual Art Exhibition, Franklin Square Gallery, 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- Heritage House, Southport Community Building, 12 Noon-6:00 p.m.
- Beach Music Concert & Shag Contest, Band Of Oz, Middleton Park, Long Beach 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, JULY 3

- Used Book Sale, Old Catholic Church, 9:00-5:00 p.m.
- Children's Field Events, Garrison Lawn, 10:00 a.m.-12 Noon
- Old Brunswick County Jail, Corner of Rhett & Nash Street, 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- 12th Annual Art Exhibition, Franklin Square Gallery, 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- Heritage House, Southport Community Building, 12 Noon-6:00 p.m.
- Military Exhibits, Waterfront Park, 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- Children's Entertainment, Franklin Square Park, 1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
- Waterfront Entertainment, Waterfront Park, 1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
- Street Dance, North Tower, Waterfront, 6:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, JULY 4

- Pancake Breakfast, Trinity United Methodist Church, 7:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
- Freedom Run, Waterfront Park, 8:00 a.m.
- Arts & Crafts, Franklin Square Park, 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
- VIP Reception, Ships Chandler Restaurant, 10:00 a.m.
- 12th Annual Art Exhibition, Franklin Square Gallery, 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- Flag Raising Ceremony, Waterfront Park, 10:30 a.m.
- Parade, Live TV Coverage (WVAY-TV), 11:00 a.m.
- Hospitality House, Fourth Of July Headquarters, Open to Festival Sponsors, VIPs & Patriots, 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- Heritage House, Southport Community Building, 12 Noon-6:00 p.m.
- Military Exhibits, Waterfront Park, 12:00-4:00 p.m.
- Children's Entertainment, Franklin Square Park, 1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
- Waterfront Entertainment, Waterfront Park, 1:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m.
- World's Largest Ice Cream Sundae, Moore Street, 3:00 p.m.
- Sea Notes Concert, Southport Baptist Church, 3:00 p.m.
- Wind Surfing Contest & Exhibition, Waterfront, 2:00-3:30 p.m.
- Flouilla, Waterfront, 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
- Boat Raffle, Southport Waterfront, 8:45 p.m.
- Fireworks, Southport Waterfront, 9:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, JULY 5

- Firemen's Competition, Southport City Hall Parking Lot, 2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

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