



Martinsville Uptown
"A Virginia Main Street Community"

E-Newsletter for Martinsville Uptown

TGIF Tonight with Johnny White and the Elite Band

You don't want to miss TGIF tonight! We have a new band with community roots!

Please join us tonight for Johnny White and the Elite Band from Durham, NC. Johnny White has over 40 years in the music industry and has been touring nationwide with the Elite Band for over 5 years. This concert will be filled with Motown hits, Beach music classics and Top 40 songs! Something for everyone to enjoy.

Kenny Hairston, musical director and keyboardist for the Elite Band, is originally from the Martinsville area. Hairston began performing at age six at the St James Pentecostal Holiness Church in Fieldale. He later went on to write hits for greats like Cyndi Lauper and Vanessa Williams. We are very excited to have Kenny come back to perform in his childhood community. Please come out tonight and help us welcome him, Johnny White and the entire Elite Band to Martinsville!

Great music is not the only thing to come out for! Bring your appetites! Ernie's Tailgate Grill will be serving up delicious specialty sandwiches as well as hot dogs, hamburgers and more! Daily Grind will have hand-dipped ice cream. We will also have Pepsi Products and Coors, Coors Light & Smirnoff Ice to help quench your thirst!

Come out and join us! Admission begins at 6:30pm at the Uptown Farmers' Market located at the corners of Main, Moss & Church Streets (across from the Martinsville Fire Dept). Music begins at 7:00pm. Admission is \$5, children 12 and under are free. Bring your friends, family and neighbors out for this wonderful event! Make sure to bring chairs or blankets if you want to sit and enjoy the show. There is a jumpy castle on site for the children. Please no pets, bikes, or skateboards for insurance purposes.

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