2023 Media Kit



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40th Annual Kingsland Catfish Art & Food Festival

Coastal Georgia town comes alive with food, entertainment & arts Historic Downtown Kingsland, Georgia Saturday, November 18, 2023

KINGSLAND, GEORGIA—OCTOBER 2023—Get ready to savor the flavors of local seafood, indulge in a diverse selection of beverages, groove to live music, and explore an array of antiques and collectibles. Combine this with a dedicated children's amusement area, over 200 arts and crafts vendors, and you have the recipe for one of the region's most cherished and enduring traditions—the 40th Annual Kingsland Catfish Festival. This year's festival will take place from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday, November 18, 2023. Lining the street of the historic district in downtown Kingsland, this November event has been a beloved highlight for both locals and visitors for four decades.

Nestled on the picturesque southeastern coast of Georgia, merely three miles from the Georgia/Florida border and a short 25-mile drive north of Jacksonville, Florida, Kingsland epitomizes the essence of a charming, Southern small town. It boasts natural beauty, warm Southern hospitality, delectable seafood, intriguing shopping opportunities, and an abundance of unique adventures. During the Catfish Festival, the streets of downtown Kingsland come to life, serving as the perfect backdrop for a delightful blend of food, entertainment, arts, crafts, and more. It's worth noting that both parking and admission to the festival are entirely free.

Festival highlights include a Lions Club pancake breakfast, an extensive array of arts and crafts vendors, a diverse selection of food trucks, a treasure trove of antiques and collectibles, a fun-filled children's amusement area, and a hospitality tent offering a delightful variety of spirits, and local and regional performances by renowned artists, including Full Moon Folk, SaraLisa, Saltwater Gypseas, and VOX, who will be headlining the event.

For those attending the festival, there will be a wealth of culinary delights to explore. In addition to an enticing assortment of catfish dishes, the menu includes everything from classic hot dogs and hamburgers to crispy fries, onion rings, barbecue, Asian cuisine, meat kabobs, chicken, sausages, mouthwatering funnel cakes, homemade ice cream, delectable sweets, treats, and ice-cold beverages.

Celebrating its 40th anniversary, the Kingsland Catfish Festival has expanded significantly in size and scope, thanks to the support and sponsorship of the Kingsland Downtown Development Authority and The City of Kingsland. Today, it stands as one of Camden County's largest and most well-recognized festivals, having garnered multiple regional and national accolades.

If You Go

Kingsland, conveniently located just off I-95, offers an array of lodging options, including big brand hotels, inns, and RV parks. For a comprehensive list of lodging choices in Kingsland, please visit <u>www.VisitKingsland.com/stay/</u>.

MEDIA CONTACT

Kingsland Convention & Visitors Bureau Tonya Harvey, Executive Director (912) 729-5999 VisitKingsland.com





9am - 6pm Saturday, November 18

7:00 AM - 11:00 AM Lions Club Pancake Breakfast

9:00 AM - 6:00 PM Festival in Downtown Kingsland Arts & Crafts Vendors; Amusement Areas

9:00 AM - 6:00 PM Neutral Zone Studios Guided Tours

9:00 AM OBX Sip & Savor Station Opens Beer, Wine & Mimosas

11:00 AM Main Stage: Full Moon Folk

11:00 AM Cocktails & Catfish Dinners Begin @ OBX Sip & Savor Station 12:00 PM Train Excursions Depart (Superhero Express & GA Coastal Railway)

> 12:30 PM Main Stage: SaraLisa

2:00 PM Main Stage: SaltWater Gypseas

3:00 PM Train Excursions Depart (GA Coastal Railway & Murder Mystery)

4:00 PM Main Stage: VOX JAX

6:00 PM Train Excursions Depart (GA Coastal Railway & Murder Mystery)

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Train Experiences

Step aboard a historic railcar and take a scenic ride through Kingsland.

Ticket prices vary by experience. Be sure to purchase your tickets early as these experiences can sell out quickly! <u>www.TheGeorgiaTrain.com</u>



Super Hero Express 12:00pm

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Georgia Coastal Railway Experience 12:00pm, 3:00pm, & 6:00pm (Access to Open-Air Car!)



Murder Mystery Express: Death by Disco 3:00pm & 6:00pm







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Kingsland Lions Club Pancake Breakfast Pancakes, Bacon or Sausage & Choice of Coffee, Milk or Juice

120 W. William Avenue | Kingsland, GA Tickets at the door | \$8 per person or \$15 for two 7:00 AM - 11:00 AM Saturday, November 18, 2023