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**SARC**LUB  
SHELBY AMATEUR  
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51<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL

**SHELBY<sup>NC</sup>  
HAMFEST**

*THE GRAND-DADDY OF THEM ALL*

To Be Held At The

***CLEVELAND COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS***

On US 74 Business, at intersection of NC 180

3½ miles East of Shelby, NC

**AUGUST 31, SEPTEMBER 1 & 2, 2007**

Talk-in - 146.28/88

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HAMFEST

# SHELBY HAMFEST

## AUGUST 31 - SEPTEMBER 2, 2007

GATES OPEN AT 7:00 AM ALL THREE DAYS

NEW DEALER BUILDING OPENS AT 8:00 AM

NO X-RATED MATERIAL WILL BE DISPLAYED OR SOLD!

NO WEAPONS WILL BE PERMITTED AT THE HAMFEST!

THE SARC IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THEFT OR ACCIDENTS!

No member of the SARC or immediate family is eligible to win any award

### Pre-Registration Form



I would like to pre-register for the SHELBY HAMFEST

Enclosed is my check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Hamfest Tickets at \$5.00 each



CALL: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

*This is for a gate admission ticket only (Ages 12 & under FREE)*

**SASE PLEASE Mail to: SARC, PO Box 2206, Shelby, NC 28151-2206**

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**REGISTRATION:** \$5.00 for pre-registration and \$6.00 at the gate (Children 12 and under are FREE). All tickets will be good for all three days. Pre-registration ticket requests postmarked after August 21, 2007 will be held for pick-up at the front gate. **NO pre-registration tickets will be sold on Fairgrounds.**

**FACILITIES:** Indoor spaces for new equipment dealers. Outside dealer and tent spaces available. Over 15 acres available for tailgating.

**FREE PARKING:** Enter the gate at the intersection of US Hwy 74 business and Kemper Road (near Hwy 180 intersection). **LEFT turns into the fairgrounds are not allowed.** This parking area in the **ONLY** area available on Friday, August 31. Additional parking, located across from the main entrance (on Hwy 74 Business), in the Cleveland Community College parking lot will be available on Saturday and Sunday. Handicap parking will be available in both lots.

**CAMPING:** Campsites will be available on Sunday, August 19, 2007 on a first come basis. (ENTRANCE OFF KEMPER ROAD) NO campsites will be reserved under any circumstances (Over 115 sites with full hook-ups (water, power and sewer), plus other campsites with water and power choices). All campers parking in the area of full service will be charged the full hook-up price. All campsites have a maximum 30 AMP drop available. Camping charges begin when camper is parked or space is rented and should be paid in advance. Unlimited field space is available for self-contained units (NO power, water or sewer).

\$15.00 per day for full hook-up (power, water & sewer)

\$10.00 per day for space with power and water (camper or tent)

\$5.00 per day for tent camping with NO hook-ups (space only)

Motor homes leaving the campground should use "campsite occupied" sign while away. An approved 2A fire extinguisher is required in all tents as required by the NC fire code.

**FOOD:** Most of Shelby's restaurants are within a few minutes drive of the Hamfest site. Food will also be available from several on-site vendors at the fairgrounds, but **NO FOOD OR DRINK SALES WILL BE ALLOWED without a permit from the Cleveland County Health Department and the Fairgrounds management.**

**FLEA MARKET:** Spaces are available with a *paid admission* at a charge of \$10.00 per space (10 feet). No more than 5 spaces may be reserved by any person or vendor. Flea Market space is available on a first-come basis and is not transferable. No power is available in the flea market area. **NO ONE WILL BE ALLOWED TO ENTER THE FAIRGROUNDS UNTIL MARKING IS COMPLETED ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 19, 2007 (ABOUT 3:00 PM).** Entrance to the Fairgrounds will be **ONLY** from **KEMPER ROAD (Off of Business US 74) on Sunday, August 19th.**

**GOLF CARTS:** Operation of Golf Carts on the Fairgrounds will be limited to licensed drivers 16 and older. For the safety of pedestrians, **NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES (including cars, trucks and scooters) WILL BE ALLOWED TO DRIVE WITHIN THE FAIRGROUNDS** between 8:00 AM and 3:00 PM on Friday and Saturday unless “escorted” by an official SARC golf cart. **ONLY HANDICAPPED DRIVERS WITH VISIBLE IDENTIFICATION CARDS (and authorized SARC carts) will be permitted to operate during this time period.**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** 10:00 am Sunday morning, located near the Fire Department

**BINGO:** Immediately following Sunday School (11:00 am) for all ladies and for children 12 years of age and younger. SARC members and immediate family are **NOT** eligible for prizes.

**PRIZES: Pre-Registration** prize given on Friday, August 31, at 12 NOON. Drawing for “**Grand Prize**” radios will be Friday at 4:00 pm, Saturday, at 4:00 pm and Sunday, at 1:00 pm. **Hourly Prizes** (2 Meter Radios) will be given on Friday at 1:00 pm, 2:00 pm and 3:00 pm. On Saturday, prizes will be given each hour from 11:00 am until 3:00 pm. Sunday prizes will be given at 11:00 am and 12 Noon. **Small Prizes and Promotional Items** will be given on all three days. All names from these drawings will be returned to the barrel to be eligible for the main prizes.

**FORUMS:** Held in the meeting room at the Fire Station on Saturday.  
10:00 ARRL Forum by Dennis Bodson W4PWF  
11:00 MARS Forum  
1:00 SKYWARN Forum by Greg Sellers WB4HRR  
2:00 TBA

**QSL CHECKING** at the ARRL booth in the Dorton building

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**LODGING:** Some of the motels in the area are listed below. Please call well in advance for reservations.

**Shelby, NC**

Holiday Inn Express: 704-480-0881

Hampton Inn: 704-482-5666

Econo Lodge: 704-482-3821

Super 8 Motel: 704-484-2101

Days Inn: 704-481-1800

**Boiling Springs, NC**

AmericInn 704-434-9996

**Kings Mountain, NC**

Holiday Inn Express: 704-734-0014

Comfort Inn 704-739-7070

**Forest City, NC**

Comfort Inn: 828-248-3400

Ramada Ltd.: 828-248-1711

Jameson Inn: 828-287-8788

Holiday Inn Express:

**HAMFEST INFORMATION:** visit our Website at [www.shelbyhamfest.org](http://www.shelbyhamfest.org)

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Please call direct to the Hamfest site beginning August 19 thru September 2, 2007.  
704-480-6928

**DEALER INFORMATION**

**(INSIDE)**

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**(OUTSIDE)**

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**VOLUNTEER EXAMINATIONS:** By WCARS/VEC

No Pre-Registration - Walk-Ins only.

Monday - Thursday @ 4:00 PM in Fire Department at Fairgrounds

Saturday, September 1 - 2:00 PM

Sunday, September 2 - 2:00 PM

Applicants must bring photo ID, original license and photocopy of present license and CSCE's. Make checks payable to WCARS/VEC for \$10.00.