

## Moonshine Festival Opens Friday

The fifth annual New Straitsville Moonshine Festival is slated to open Friday with four action-filled days to conclude on Monday, Memorial Day. Actually, activities will begin on Thursday, which has been designated as "Preview Day," and all rides will be featured from 6 to 10 p.m. for \$2 per person. Judging of Little Miss Moonshine contestants will begin at 6:30 p.m., followed by formal wear judging of Miss Moonshine at 7:30 p.m.

Friday will be "Queen's Day." Activities will begin at 6:30 p.m. Crowning of the 1975 Miss Moonshine and her court is scheduled for 7 p.m. The new queen will be crowned by the reigning Miss Moonshine, Wilma Kincaid of Hemlock. Exotic dancing will follow the coronation at 7:30. Ray Marlier and the Star Valley Boys will provide music for street dancing starting at 8 p.m.

Saturday will be "Kids Day." Activities will be kicked off at noon with a pet and bicycle parade to feature the Miller High School Band, Susy Q's, Glouster Twirlettes, past Little Misses, pets and decorated bicycles.

Games and contests, such as apple dip, sack races and pie eating contests, will start at 1 p.m., followed by a frog jumping contest at 2, and the Little Moley Jo show at 2:30 p.m. Flippo the Clown from Channel 10's Early Show will perform at 3, and there will be a puppet show at 4.

Crowning of the 1975 Little Miss Moonshine and her court is scheduled for 5 p.m., followed by family en-



SATURDAY FEATURE—Performers at Saturday evening's events of the New Straitsville Moonshine Festival will be the Red Wilson Show (top photo) with a three-hour Country and Western Show. Featured in the show will be Eibel Delaney and her Buckeye Strings (bottom photo). Street dancing to the music of the Country Beaver and Rhythm Drifters will follow.



LITTLE MISS—Crowning of the Little Miss Moonshine and her court will be just one of the features on "Kids Day" Saturday at the New Straitsville Moonshine Festival. Reigning Little Miss Moonshine is Michele West, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger West, New Lexington.

Thomas H. Boyle. The parade will feature unicycles, bands, drill teams, baton groups, horses, antique cars, floats, Shrines and other entries.

The Adelphi Community Band will present a concert at 4 p.m., followed by Part 2 of the talent contest at 4:30. Street dancing to the music of Mirror will round out the four-day festival.

The State Department of Liquor Control will have a moonshine still on display. The Brush Marks will have an art display, and downtown shop windows will be filled with interesting displays for the four-day festival.

Did you ever hear of Moonshine Pie? It will be sold each of the four days, and there will be food booths and other civic booths.

Robinson's Cave, the birthplace of the United Mine Workers of America, will be available for sightseeing. All amateur talent is eligible to enter the Talent Show. All acts must be registered. Prizes will be \$50 for first place, \$25 for second place and \$10 for third place winners.

To pre-register call 394-2917. There will be a record player, but contestants must bring their own props necessary for the act.

Judges will be radio MC's and professional dancers or actors. Participants are asked to be in the stage area ready to check in no later than 3:30 p.m. Sunday.



TV CLOWN—Flippo, star of Channel 10's Early Show, will be on hand for a 2 p.m. performance Saturday during "Kids Day" at the New Straitsville Moonshine Festival.

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