## Popular band is back again for Second Saturday

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The Matthew Davidson Band is returning to Marshall yet again to perform on the Telegraph Stage as part of the Second Saturday festivities.

With the different events happening on Saturday including the Harrison County Historical Museum opening, Second Saturday, a car show and a hunting and outdoor safety camo expo, the free concert will close out the day's activities, beginning at 8:45 p.m.

"This will be one of the best Main Street Second Saturday weekends ever," co-director of the Birthplace of Boogie Woogie Program Jack Canson said. "The whole town is excited about the grand opening of the Harrison County Historical Museum. The exhibits are spectacular and with all the other festivities including Camo Expo, the classic car show and the fantastic music all over town, there is something for everyone of all ages."

The Shreveport guitarist Matthew Davidson and his band will perform a number of songs including their new single "Heartbreaker." Davidson has done 225 concerts and has been a part of and headlined festivals in Ark-la-tex area. His musical influences range from The Beatles to Maroon 5.

He was recently featured in At Guitar Center magazine and was nominated for 2012 "Best Emerging Artist" by Offbeat magazine. The 15-year-old award-winning guitarist and vocalist began performing professionally in 2010 and since then "has achieved an immense amount of recognition, support and admiration," according to International Musician magazine.

Nancy Canson, co-director of the Birthplace of Boogie Woogie Program, said though he's young he puts on a show that residents will enjoy.

"Matthew just puts on a fantastic show and is a great showman for his age, he's so professional and experienced and he's played in so many big arenas already in his young career," she said. "He's super polished and polite and a good entertainer. He's a good kid."