



Friends of the Museum of the Everglades

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January 2011

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

FME Board Meeting
Wednesday
February 2, 9:00 am

Pauline Reeves Gallery

***'Murder and Mayhem, the
Life and Times of
E. J. Watson'***
January Exhibit

Presentation
by David Southall

**Thursday, January 13
2 3:30 pm**

Reception by
Friends of the Museum
of the Everglades

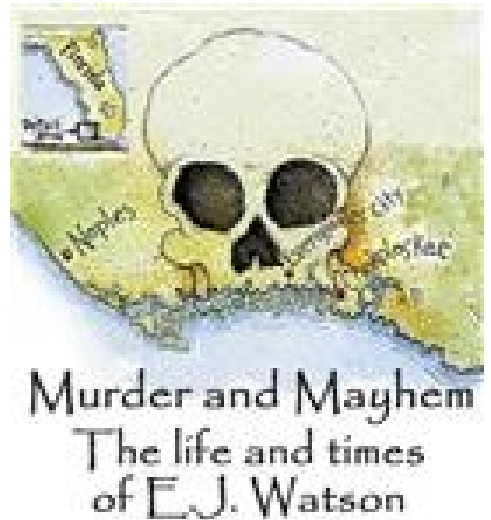
Seafood Festival

February 5 - 6
Tom & Tina and
the US Express
Raffle of the
Festival T-Shirt Quilt
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January Exhibit in the Pauline Reeves Gallery

Presentation
Thursday, January 13, 2 - 3:30 pm

The Friends of the Museum of the Everglades will host a reception with a presentation about the *Life and Times of Mr. E. J. Watson* on Thursday, January 13 from 2 to 3:30 pm. at the Museum, 105 West Broadway, in Everglades City. This year marks the 100th Anniversary of the Mr. Watson's death which was the subject of Peter Matthiessen's popular book *'The Killing of Mr. Watson.'* Please come to the January 13 presentation and visit the exhibit through the end of January.



Remember to renew your membership for 2011.
We have received 35 renewals for the current year.
Be sure to send in your membership dues to continue
receiving the monthly newsletter and other benefits.

Renewal form on Page 2

Thank you for your continued support of our Museum

Volunteers Are Needed ! Please stop by the Museum and sign up
as a greeter at the front desk and meet new people

**The Museum is located at 105 West Broadway, Everglades City, telephone (239) 695-0008
Open to the public Tuesday through Friday, 9 am to 5 pm, and Saturday, 9 am to 4 pm**

Deaconess Harriet Bedell



On Saturday, January 8, the Museum celebrated the feast day of Deaconess Harriet Bedell with a slide presentation by Marya Repko and a visit from the Deaconess (Patty Huff) who read her Rules of Life and the Invocation she presented at the 1947 Dedication of the Everglades National Park. The Deaconess died on January 8, 1969, at the age of 94. She worked for 30 years among the Seminoles and Miccosukees in this area. For more information about her life, the book *Angel of the Swamp* by Marya is available for purchase in the Museum Gift Shop.



Seafood Festival February 5-6, 2011



Stop by the Museum Booth during the Seafood Festival to purchase your favorite gift shop item. Maureen Sullivan-Hartung will be present on Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm to autograph her new book *Hidden History of Everglades City* now available in our gift shop.

Tom & Tina and the US Express will be providing music inside the Museum from 1 to 3 pm both Saturday and Sunday. Don't miss all the events and fun!

We also need Volunteers to help out at our booth. Please stop by the Museum to sign up for a few hours on either Saturday or Sunday. It's always a lot of fun to meet new people during the Festival.

RAFFLE

Quilt of T-Shirts from the Historic Seafood Festival now on display at the Museum
\$10/ticket or
3 tickets for \$25

Get your tickets early at the Museum of the Everglades. Drawing to be held on Sunday, Feb. 6.



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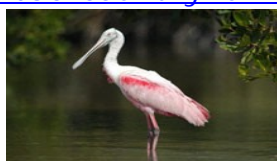
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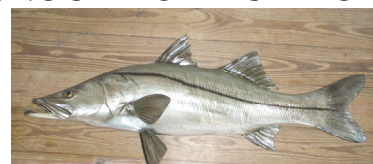
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