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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Pauline Reeves Gallery

*“Rubbing Up Against
the Everglades”*

Meet the Artist

Bonnie Warecki

Saturday, March 3

1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

Museum of the Everglades
105 West Broadway

SUPER SATURDAY March 10

ART IN THE GLADES

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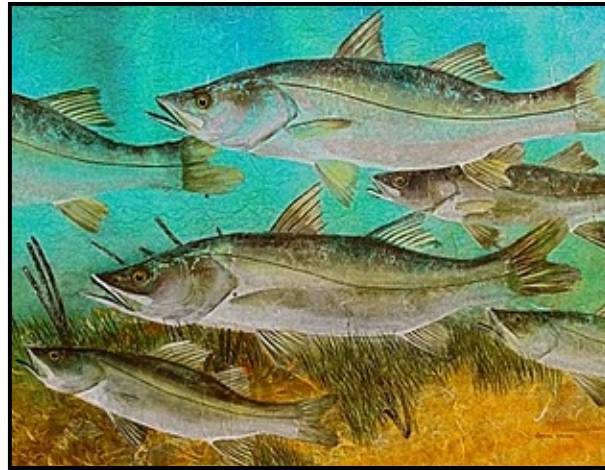
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Thanks to all our winter
residents who have so
generously volunteered at
the Museum this season.
We'll miss you!!

Pauline Reeves Gallery

Bonnie Warecki, Gyotaku Artist



From “early on”, art, fishing, and the call of open water have always been an integral part of Bonnie’s life. Her husband and sons are all former commercial fishermen.

While “snow birding” in Florida, Bonnie was introduced to the

ancient oriental art form known as Gyotaku, meaning “fish rubbing” in Japanese. Having become popular in Japan during the 1800’s, as a way for anglers to record their catches, the technique is so precise that it is still used in Japan to determine the winner of fishing contests. Today, the popularity of the art is growing rapidly on both of the U.S. coasts.

Bonnie’s background includes a major in fine arts from Mount Mary College in Milwaukee. She is currently an active member of the Nature Printing Society, the Art Center of Manatee in Bradenton, Fl, and the Door County Art League.



The Friends of the Museum will have their next Board meeting at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday, **March 7**, at the Museum. All members are welcome to attend and to volunteer for committees and events.

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