

The Epic Journey of Naturalist and Bird Painter John James Audubon - His Life and Travels in Florida

Date/Time: Saturday, September 14, 2024 @ 10:00 am

Place: Anderson-Price Building, 42 North Beach Street, Ormond Beach, FL 32174

Presented By: **Joseph Vetter**

Event Type: In-Person

Free Admission: (Open to the Public)



The quintessential artist, woodsman and naturalist visited our shores to complete his monumental "Birds of America", which features many of the avian wonders of the South. From St. Augustine and Bulow's Plantation, to the Halifax and Tomoka Rivers, Audubon continued his travels to DeLeon Springs, the St. John's River and the Florida Keys. Come celebrate his illustrated masterpieces and legendary life. Presenter, Joseph Vetter, will be in character.

Joseph Vetter has been an educator for 25 years, and has taught as an adjunct professor at Daytona State College, and at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University. Organizing historic presentations and planting that seed in students to be inspired by their national story is his mission. He is the co-founder of the popular HistoryCon at the Museum of Arts and Sciences in Daytona Beach, and performs on

the stage annually dressed in historical clothing. He has a Bachelor's degree from Nova-Southeastern University, and a Master's degree in American History from Pace University.

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