

Roanoke Island Festival Park October, 2016 Events

OCTOBER

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October 1- 31

Roanoke Island Festival Park is an interactive family attraction that celebrates the first English settlement in America. Visitors board and explore the park's centerpiece, a 16th Century representational ship, *Elizabeth II*. Climb aboard and help costumed 16th Century sailors. Try traditional woodworking, play Elizabethan games, and watch the blacksmith at the Settlement Site. Discover 400 years of Outer Banks history in the interactive Roanoke Adventure Museum. See *The Legend of Two-Path*, a mini-movie about Native Americans Manteo and Wanchese. Experience the American Indian Town exhibit that includes a wide variety of true-to-scale structures, role-play environments, and places to explore, plant, dance, build and play. The Museum Store offers historically themed gift merchandise and much more. Enjoy the Fossil Pit full of treasures, and the marsh-side Boardwalks that surround the site. November 22, 2013 marks the 30th Anniversary of the Christening and Launching of the *Elizabeth II*, the Parks 16th Century representative sailing ship. (252) 475-1500.

The North Carolina Shad Boat

A lecture on the State Boat of NC

Earl W. Willis Jr.

October 11 2-2:30 p.m.

Indoor Theatre

Shad boats earned a reputation of hard-working, practical and handsome boats. Come learn the history of this historic boat. Admission is included in the general admission ticket to the park. (252) 475-1500.