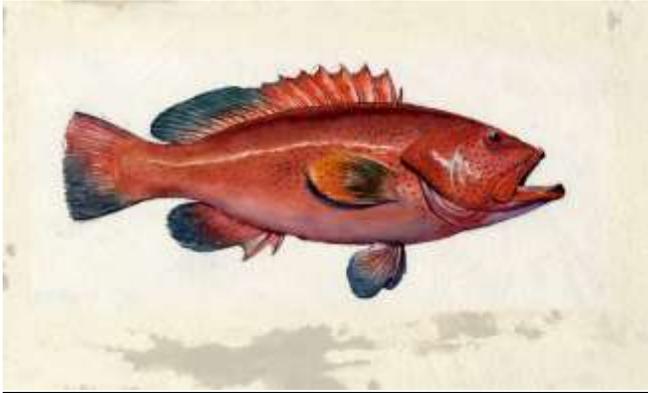


Roanoke Island Festival Park November, 2017 Events

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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.

A Fish Out of Water - Watercolor Exhibit by Frank Stick



MANTEO, NC— "A Fish Out of Water – Watercolors by Frank Stick" an exhibit featuring fish watercolors by Frank Stick will be on exhibit at Roanoke Island Festival Park November 22 – December 31. The exhibit can be seen daily 9a.m. to 5p.m. in the small gallery in Ticket Sales. The exhibit is sponsored by Twiddy & Company Realtors. The paintings are part of the permanent collection at the Outer Banks History Center.

Frank Stick began his career as an illustrator in the early 1900's, and popular publications such as *Sports Afield*, *Field and Stream*, *Redbook* and *Saturday Evening Post* regularly published his work. Stick's love for fishing and the out-of-doors led him to North Carolina's Outer Banks. He played key roles in the establishment of the Cape Hatteras National Seashore, Fort Raleigh National Historic Site and Wright Brothers National Memorial. He also began developing an area that later became the town of Southern Shores.

Later in his life, Stick painted more than 300 watercolor depictions of fish. "Frank Stick was a renaissance man, this exhibit celebrates his work as an artist, I welcome the community to enjoy his beautiful fish paintings" stated Kim Sawyer, Executive Director Sawyer announced that RIFP will be launching a new line of Frank Stick merchandise that will be available at the Park's Museum Store featuring note cards and posters with selected fish images. A portion of the sales of the Stick merchandise will go to the Frank Stick Memorial Fund at the Outer Banks Community Foundation in support of the Outer Banks History Center. For more information call (252) 475-1500.

