DISCOVER ARCHAEOLOGY ON THE SPACE COAST!



Wekiwa Springs State Park

1800 Wekiwa Circle, Apopka • 407-884-2008 www.floridastateparks.org/wekiwasprings

Step back into thousands of years of history at the park. Swim in this beautiful spring or rent a kayak and take off down the slow-moving river that humans have called home for millennia.



Museum of Seminole County History

300 Bush Boulevard, Sanford • 407-665-2489 www.seminolecountyfl.gov/parksrec/museum

Interpreting the history and families of Seminole County, the museum contains displays from all periods of human habitation in the area and also keeps research documents/maps available for study.



Oakland Nature Preserve

747 Machete Trail, Oakland • 407-905-0054 www.oaklandnaturepreserve.org

On the southern shore of Lake Apopka, the Preserve interprets the cultural and environmental history of the area. Plenty of hiking trails that hook up to the larger West Orange Trail.



Public History Center

301 W. 7th Street, Sanford • 407-936-1679 www.publichistorycenter.cah.ucf.edu

This 1902 schoolhouse takes on a new life as the center of UCF's Public History Department. The student-run museum inside interprets local history from the time of Native Americans to the present.



Osceola County History Museum

750 N. Bass Road, Kissimmee • 407-396-8644 www.osceolahistory.org

Florida crackers and cowmen used to roam Osceola county, though you might not think it to visit today. Check out the museum to learn about the Osceola county's early days and be sure to check their calendar for events.

Orange County Regional History Center

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65 East Central Blvd., Orlando • 800-965-2030 www.thehistorycenter.org

Get to know Orange County before The Mouse moved in and see how it has changed since he did. Also, be sure to check their calendar for educational opportunities or fun events.

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Sam's House at Pine Island Sanctuary

6195 N. Tropical Trail, Merritt Island • 321-449-4720 www.brevardcounty.us/EELProgram/Areas/ SamsHouseSanctuary/Home Tour the oldest standing home in Brevard County and check their calendar of events for frequent environmental and cultural programs.



Brevard Museum of History & Natural Sciences

2201 Michigan Ave, Cocoa • 321-632-1830 www.brevardmuseum.com

Check out the history of Brevard County and Windover Pond, a 7,000-year-old mortuary pond!



St. Cloud Heritage Museum

1012 Massachusetts Avenue, St. Cloud • 407-957-7587 www.stcloudheritagemuseum.com

Housed in a 1920s library, this museum offers visitors a glimpse at early settlers in St. Cloud as well as extensive archives including newspapers, historic photos and artifacts.



Fort Christmas Historical Park

1300 Fort Christmas Rd, Fort Christmas • 407-254-9310 http://bit.ly/1nQYvhP

Learn about the Seminole Wars at a replica of Fort Christmas—a Second Seminole War Fort—or tour pioneer and cracker homesteads moved to this location.



Greenwood Cemetery

1603 Greenwood St., Orlando • 407-246-2616 www.greenwood-cemetery.net

Established in 1880, Greenwood encompasses nearly eight city blocks and contains many of Orange County's most notable residents. Be sure to catch one of the Moonlight Tours.











DISCOVER ARCHAEOLOGY ON THE TREASURE COAST!



Indian River Citrus Museum

2140 14th Avenue, Vero Beach • 772-770-2263 www.veroheritage.org

Learn about Florida's rich citrus history in this beautiful 1935 community center. You can also brush up on your local history or check out one of the Historical Society's presentations.



Environmental Learning Center

255 Live Oak Dr, Vero Beach • 772-589-5050 www.discoverelc.org

The Center features winding trails through mangrove forests and maritime hammock, an environmental center with touch tanks and lots of fun programming. You can check out the Laura Riding Jackson House, a restored cracker cabin moved to the Center.



The Elliot Museum

825 Northeast Ocean Boulevard, Stuart • 772-225-1961 www.elliottmuseum.org

You can't miss the vintage car vending machine at this museum! Also be sure to check out displays on the history the area as well as lots of great traveling displays on history and archaeology. You can even stop in at the Frances Langford Outrigger Café for a bite to eat.



Indian Riverside Park

1707 NE Indian River Dr., Jensen Beach • 772-692-7501 http://bit.lv/1nsvn4J

Enjoy a beautiful view of the Indian River from atop a restored 1930s mansion built over an archaic shell midden. Or just check out the interactive fountain.



Lake Okeechobee

www/sfwmd/gov/okeechobee

Signs around the Lake tell of its more than 2000 years of occupation: prehistoric mounds, Seminole War battles, 19th century fishermen and 20th century hurricanes.





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Jonathan Dickinson State Park

16450 S.E. Federal Highway, Hobe Sound • 772-546-2771 www.floridastateparks.org/jonathandickinson Named after the Quaker shipwrecked in 1696, the park was also home to the World War II radar-school Camp Murphy. Paddle the Loxahatchee River, check out the view from the observation tower or visit the interpretive center.



McLarty Museum at Seabstian Inlet State Park

9700 S. State Road A1A, Melbourne Beach • 321-984-4852 www.floridastateparks.org/sebastianinlet Explore the archaeological evidence of 16th century survivor

Explore the archaeological evidence of 16th century survivor camps, the history of the ill-fated Spanish Plate Fleet of 1715 and other nearby submerged cultural resources.



Zora Neale Hurston Dust Tracks Heritage Trail

www.stlucieco.gov/zora

Tour Fort Pierce through the important sites in Hurtson's life, including schools she taught at, places she worked and her grave at the Garden of Heavenly Rest Cemetery.



St. Lucie County Regional History Museum

414 Seaway Drive, Fort Pierce • 772-462-1795 www.stlucieco.gov/history

Find out about life along the Indian River, from the earliest native inhabitants through the fishing and pineapple industries. You can even step back to the 1900s in the restored Gardner House.



House of Refuge at Gilbert's Bar

301 Southeast MacArthur Boulevard, Stuart • 772-225-1875 www.houseofrefugefl.org

Stroll through the last standing House of Refuge, built in 1876, to learn about these early life-saving stations, historic shipwrecks and even the people who live on Hutchinson Island thousands of years ago.



Florida's Underwater Archaeological Preserves

www.museumsinthesea.com



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Georges Valentine
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