


Thursday Oct 12, 2023

Thu-HC ETCHED FEATHERS: A HISTORY OF THE PRINTED BIRD" AT THE TAMPA BAY HISTORY CENTER

Meet at Tampa Bay History Center, 801 Water Street, Tampa  in maps below

Meet at 2:00 pm.

Parking fees depend on where you park. Selmon Expressway is toll.

Leaders: John Costin, noted local artist

“A History of the Printed Bird: Birds have mesmerized and inspired artists for centuries. Etched Feathers examines the works, and artistic processes, of John Costin and other bird artists and devotees, whose creations capture the essence of winged beauty.” John will be your leader through the exhibit! It includes both his own works as well as some of the historic books and prints of birds that he has collected through the years.

The museum is located at the waterside of Garrison Channel, and next to the Cotanchobee Fort Brooke Park in downtown Tampa. You can choose to eat lunch at the Columbia Café in the History Museum, or any other location in the area. Or bring a picnic to enjoy in the park across the street.

Directions:

Take I-275, Adamo Drive or Leroy Selmon Expressway to downtown Tampa, exiting for Channelside Drive.

There is no dedicated parking lot for the Center but the Channelside Garage (across from the FI Aquarium) offers covered parking and is about .2 miles from the History Center. Sometimes groups also try to park together in the Garrison Lot, but spaces fill up there a bit quicker. Additionally, there are a few metered spots open along Water Street around the entrance to the History Center, but due to limited spaces and construction, they usually fill up quickly. The parking fees vary by location.

