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SEPTEMBER NATIONAL MUSEUM DAY CELEBRATION WILL TRAVEL VISITORS THROUGH TIME

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(Naples, FL) - On Saturday, Sept. 26, the Collier County Museum will celebrate National Museum Day from noon to 4 p.m. with many activities for history enthusiasts of all ages.

“John the Magician” will perform a family-friendly magic show for kids at 1 p.m. Then at 2:30 p.m., the film Distant Drums will be shown, which was produced more than 50 years ago in the Everglades starring Gary Cooper. Chick-fil-A Restaurant is providing free sandwiches for the public in support of National Museum Day.

When the Smithsonian Institute began the National Museum Day celebration four years ago, the big stipulation was that museum admittance be free on that day. Collier County Museums are always free and will be providing entertainment and guided museum tours at no cost to the public. Group tours of the Collier County Museum located at 3301 E. Tamiami Tr. will lead visitors through local history. The tours will take place on the hour and the half hour mark beginning at 12:30 pm. through 4 p.m.

“This is a great way to learn about our Collier County history and have fun as well,” said Collier County Museum Director Ron Jamro.

The Collier County Museum is located at Airport Road and US 41 East in the Government Center Complex. This event is brought to you by The Friends of the Museum and is sponsored by Chick-fil-A. For more information, please call the Collier County Museum (239) 252-8476.