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Orange County Regional History Center celebrates one year anniversary of award-winning exhibition with Figurehead Encore Weekend

ORLANDO, Fla. (July 17, 2023) – The Orange County Regional History Center is celebrating the one-year anniversary of its nationally award-winning exhibition *Figurehead: Music & Mayhem in Orlando's Underground* with Figurehead Encore Weekend, September 8 – 10. The exhibition tells the story of how Orlando concert promoter Figurehead invigorated the music scene in Central Florida in the 1980s and '90s. The weekend event will include three exciting opportunities.

Downtown Walking Tour

Friday, September 8, 6:00 p.m.

Figurehead's Jim Faherty will give a guided tour of downtown Orlando's music history, with stops at venues that hosted some of the city's most memorable shows and an after-hours visit to the History Center's exhibition *Figurehead: Music & Mayhem in Orlando's Underground*. Admission includes a Figurehead pint glass, screen-printed exhibition print, and one Figurehead beer from Ten10 Brewing Company.

The Downtown Walking Tour is available only to All Access ticketholders. All Access tickets are limited and include all three events for \$100.

Figurehead Night Out

Saturday, September 9, 6:00 p.m. doors/7:00 p.m. show

This concert celebrating the Orlando music scene of the 1980s and '90s features live performances from Steven Foxbury, The Riddlers, Greg Reinel, and The Tremolords. All attendees will receive a commemorative concert poster designed by Thomas Scott (Eye Noise). Cash bar - Ten10 Brewing Company's Figurehead beer will be available for purchase.

Tickets: \$25/\$20 – History Center Members

The Morning After Brunch

Sunday, September 10, 12:00 p.m.

Wrapping up the the weekend's festivities, a buffet-style brunch features a live performance by Orlando-based Americana artist Terri Binion. Food included with ticket, cash bar.

Tickets: \$45/\$40 – History Center Members

Ticket presale for History Center Members will be Thursday, July 20; tickets go on sale to the general public the following day. More information about tickets, Figurehead Encore Weekend and other events at the Orange County Regional History Center, visit TheHistoryCenter.org/events. For questions, email historycenter@ocfl.net or call 407-836-8500.

Orange County Regional History Center, housed in a historic courthouse at 65 E. Central Blvd. in downtown Orlando, features four floors of permanent and special exhibitions. The museum is a Smithsonian Institution affiliate and accredited by the American Alliance of Museums. It is funded in part by Orange County Government through the Community & Family Services Department under Orange County Mayor Jerry L. Demings and the Board of County Commissioners. The Historical Society of Central Florida Inc. is supported by United Arts of Central Florida and sponsored in part by the State of Florida, Department of State, Division of Arts and Culture, and the Florida Council on Arts and Culture. For more information, visit TheHistoryCenter.org.

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