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BIRDS IN AMERICAN ART

An outstanding exhibition of Birds in American Art can currently be seen at the Heritage Plantation in Sandwich, Massachusetts. The 161 original works, collected and beautifully displayed by Louis Stedman and associates, include examples ranging from early American primitives to the most popular modern artists. Pieces include a stunning Zuni owl effigy; a Tsimshian Raven rattle; weathervanes, and other examples of folk art; engravings by Audubon and Wilson; watercolors by Fuertes, Frisina, and Peterson; and a variety of outstanding pieces by Eckleberry, Coheleach, Singer, and many others. There are several Tony Angell sculptures, along with fine wildfowl carvings from the collection of George Ross Starr, Jr., and a most intriguing Turkey Vulture by Andrew Wyeth. Anyone interested in birds is strongly encouraged to visit this exhibit, which continues through October 31st. There is an admission fee of c. \$2.50 to the plantation, which includes admission to this and numerous other interesting exhibits, as well as extensive rhododendron gardens.

PELAGIC TRIPS

NORTH CAROLINA GULF STREAM

Saturday, September 2, and Sunday, September 3 leave from Oden's Docks, Hatteras Village, North Carolina. Leaders: Robert Ake, and Paul DuMont. Cost: \$30.00 per person. For reservations make check payable to: Paul DuMont, 4114 Fessenden Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20016. Telephone: (202)-363-8994 evenings until 1 A.M.

Another trip is planned for Sunday, October 8. All of these trips are very worth while for Massachusetts birders who have never been on a pelagic trip to the Outer Banks. Audubon's Shearwater, Bridled Tern and Sooty Tern are probable, with possible Black-capped Petrel, Noddy Tern, South Polar Skua, Sabine's Gull, Long-tailed Jaeger, White-tailed Tropicbird and maybe an albatross!

POLLOCK RIP

Sunday, September 24. Leave from Harwichport at 8:30 A.M. For reservations, send non-refundable deposit of \$7.00, payable to Herman H. D'Entremont, P.O. Box 207, Newton Centre, Massachusetts 02159. Note new telephone: (617)-734-1289.

PLYMOUTH

Sunday, October 29. For reservations, send non-refundable deposit of \$7.00 to Herman H. D'Entremont, as above.

FOR SALE: 10 x 50 CARTON WIDE ANGLE BINOCULARS w/case. \$35.00 or best offer. Also have Swift spotting scope w/4 eye pieces. \$50.00 or best offer. Contact: Bob Stymeist, 46 Beaver Street, Waltham, Massachusetts 02154.