The Florida Heritage Project: Multicultural Florida Digital Public Humanities

Thursday, January 12th

Join us for the Florida Heritage Projects inaugural event as we explore Greek American culture in Tarpon Springs at the **Cape Coral Library**, 921 S.W. 39th Terrace, Cape Coral, FL 33914.

This event is free and open to the public.

2-3:30 PM Screening of the 1953 classic film **Beneath the 12-Mile Reef**



Inspired by Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet. The children of rival Gulf Coast fisherman fall in love. Can they end the dispute between their families? This film was shot on location in Tarpon Springs and the Florida Keys.

3:30-3:45 PM Q&A and film discussion

3:45-4: Break

4-5 PM: The Greek Community of Tarpon Springs: History, Culture, and Why It

Matters



Dr. Tina Bucuvalas (virtual talk)

Director of **Florida Cultural Resources, Inc.,** Dr. Bucuvalas is an award-winning, nationally recognized Folklorist, ethnographer, and author. She is the premier scholar on the Greek community of Tarpon Springs.

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