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Celebrate the Season's Night Sky with the Museum of Arts & Sciences (MOAS)

Daytona Beach, FL (November xx, 2014) – Join us at the Museum of Arts & Sciences on Friday, December 5th for our Night Sky Celebration held that evening from 5:30pm to 9:00pm. Celebrate the wonders of the season's night sky with your friends and family by enjoying live Planetarium shows, telescope viewing, hands-on activities and documentaries.

If you haven't had the opportunity to do so already, it is the perfect night to experience our new state-of-the-art Planetarium by attending the "Splendors of Stargazing", a live interactive show scheduled for 6:00pm, 7:00pm and 8:00pm. Weather permitting, take a walk outside to see the real thing through the plethora of telescopes that will be setup to enjoy. An assortment of hands-on activities will be held inside that will teach the fundamentals of astronomy as well as exciting documentaries about the universe that will be shown hourly throughout the evening in our large auditorium.

Admission is free to MOAS members. For non-members pricing is \$7.00 for adults, \$6.00 for seniors and \$4.00 for children ages 6 and up. We look forward to celebrating the season's night sky with you!

Certain aspects of this event are weather permitting and subject to change.

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Call 386.255.0285 or visit www.moas.org for more details or images.

About the Museum of Arts & Sciences - The Museum of Arts & Sciences (MOAS) in Daytona Beach, Florida, is the primary art, science and history museum in Central Florida. Located on a 90-acre Florida nature preserve, the 100,000 square foot facility is host to over 30,000 objects including the finest collection of American art in the Southeast, one of the most significant collections of Cuban art outside of Cuba, a Chinese art collection, Florida's prehistoric Giant Ground Sloth, a large Coca-Cola® and Americana collection, a rare Napoleonic Collection and the new Helene B. Roberson Visible Storage Building. The MOAS collection also includes a wealth of historic paintings and African artifacts. The Museum's auditorium, state-of-the-art planetarium, and Charles and Linda Williams Children's Museum make for a truly interactive experience.

Museum Hours are 9am-5pm (Tuesday-Saturday) and 11am-5pm (Sunday). Closed Mondays. Museum admission is \$12.95 adults; \$6.95 children 6-17; \$10.95 seniors and students; members and children 5 and under are free. Daily Planetarium and weekly laser shows. Museum admission includes one Planetarium show. Additional Planetarium shows are \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children 17 and under. Parking is free. Admission is FREE for Volusia County residents the first Tuesday of each month (does not include Planetarium show). MOAS is fully accessible to the handicapped. MOAS is located at 352 S. Nova Road, Daytona Beach, Florida 32114. For more information call 386.255.0285 or visit the website www.moas.org

MOAS is a not-for-profit educational institution founded in 1955 and chartered by the State of Florida in 1962. The Museum is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums and is an affiliate of the Smithsonian Institution. Programs sponsored in part by the State of Florida, Division of Cultural Affairs, and the County of Volusia.