

Who was Dixie Winter?

Dixie Winter was a resident of Fripp Island and her involvement and leadership were instrumental in the establishment of the Fripp Island Audubon Club in 1977. A retired school teacher, Dixie valued opportunities to learn about wildlife. Fripp offered Dixie, as it continues to offer us, a natural setting to observe and enjoy the marine life, and birds that live in the barrier island environments, along its shores and marshes.

We hope you have enjoyed the natural beauty on Fripp Island



By Dianne Faucette

Maritime Forest Animals & Birds

Trail Animals

White-Tailed Deer
Raccoons
Opossum
Squirrels
River Otter

Birds of Prey

Red-Tailed Hawk
Red-Shouldered Hawk
Screech Owl
Great Horned Owl
Barred Owl
Bald Eagle
Turkey & Black Vulture
Osprey

Forest Birds

Carolina Wren	Tufted Titmouse	Carolina Chickadee
N. Mockingbird	Tanager	Boat-tailed Grackle
Brown Thrasher	Blue Jay	Downy Woodpecker
N. Red Cardinal	Pine Warbler	Painted Bunting
Red Bellied Wood	Pecker	



Salt Marsh Birds and Animals

Marsh Birds

Egrets
Herons
Wood Storks
Black Skimmers
Osprey

Marsh Animals

Blue Crabs
Oysters
Clams
Marine Worms
Snails

For information about local flora or fauna contact the Fripp Island Naturalists at 843-838-1516.



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Dixie Winter Audubon Nature Trail and Habitat Guide

Welcome to the Fripp Island Audubon Trail. We hope you enjoy your walk.

We hope that your visit will be a source of enjoyment, inspiration and education. This trail guide has been prepared to acquaint you with different ecosystems and barrier island habitats which you will explore as you proceed along the trail. There will be informational markers and signs throughout the trail along with benches to allow you to observe, listen and enjoy.

The nature trail is a loop that proceeds through the forest and continues down and north through the tidal salt marsh to the island end. Please stay on the trail for your safety and to protect the natural beauty of the surroundings. Visitors are cautioned to check bodies and clothing for biting pests. We would also ask that you don't leave any litter behind and we encourage you to pick up any litter left behind by a previous hiker.

We hope you will enjoy your visit to the Audubon Nature Trail.

The Fripp Island Audubon Club