



OSSABAW ISLAND

Foundation & Education Alliance



2022 by the Numbers

Ossabaw Island is a 26,000-acre undeveloped barrier island on the Atlantic Ocean, owned by the State of Georgia. Georgia's first Heritage Preserve, accessible only by boat, is set aside for natural, scientific and cultural study, research and education; and for environmental preservation, conservation and management of the island's ecosystem.

The Ossabaw Island Foundation is a non-profit 501 (c)3. Through a partnership with the State of Georgia, TOIF inspires, promotes, and manages exceptional educational, cultural, and scientific programs that are designed to maximize the experience of Ossabaw Island, while minimizing the impact on the island's resources.



723 turtle nests recorded. A tribute to 50 years of turtle conservation along the Georgia coast.



268 program days, a 90% increase over 2021. 25 were open-to-the-public trips.



2,900

hosted visits, a 28% increase over 2021 — 11 months of on-island events.



1,495

butterflies counted by 26 citizen scientist volunteers over 9 weeks.

1,196 Gulf Fritillary

286 Cloudless Sulphur

13 Monarch

*data collected over 9 weeks of a 10 week survey.



49 U.S. States are home to Ossabaw friends — all states except South Dakota

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Ossabaw Island Foundation & Education Alliance Partners

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Sea Turtle Conservation Program
 State Parks and Historic Sites Division
 Wildlife Resources Division

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Coalition to Save Butler Island

Coastal Museums Association

Georgia Conservancy

Giving Kitchen

Moon River District

National Center for Preservation Technology & Training

One Hundred Miles

Ossabaw Island Writers' Retreat

Pin Point Heritage Museum

The Landings Association

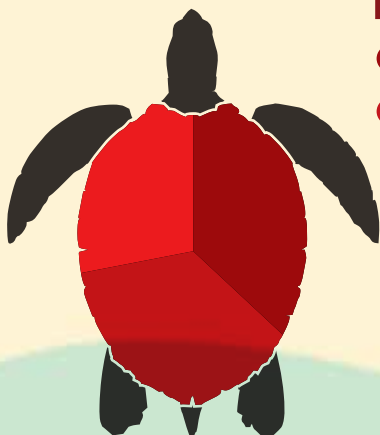
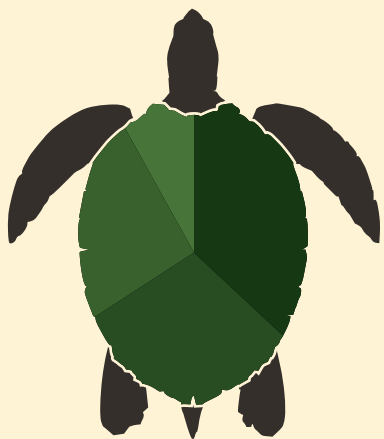
2021/2022 Financial Report (July 31-August 1)

REVENUE • \$512,800

- On Island Revenue: 37%
- Pig Roast: 26%
- Donations: 29%
- Grants: 8%

EXPENSES • \$512,800

- Reserves 37%
- On Island Expenses: 35%
 - cleaning, maintenance & repairs of buildings & equipment
 - transportation to/from Ossabaw
 - on-island staffing
- General & Administration 28%
 - staffing
 - printing & postage
 - Ossabaw Night in Savannah expenses
 - Pig Roast expenses
 - audit fees



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