



Lamore

Lori Lamore worked as a journalist, editor and freelance writer in Washington, D.C., and Maryland for 15 years. She is a recipient of a National Newsletter Association Award for Instructional Journalism. As a D.C. reporter, Lamore represented her employer at the annual Washington Correspondents Dinners, during the elder George Bush Administration, where she had a first-hand glimpse into the lifestyles of the rich, infamous and downright silly.



Custer

Janna B. Custer A native of Athens, Georgia, Janna obtained her B.S. from UGA, her M.S. from Utah State University, and her J.D. from UGA's School of Law. Before becoming a lawyer Janna worked in natural resources, serving as a research assistant for various land management agencies, as the Assistant Director of the Tennessee Wildlife Center, and as the Executive Director of the Stokes Nature Center in Utah. Janna and Clay are avid outdoor enthusiasts who enjoy hiking, backpacking, snow-skiing, and canoeing. Janna practices law on St. Simons Island at The Jordan Firm.



Harris

Bonnie M. Harris grew up in Tallahassee, Fla., and attended Florida State University with a major in accounting. She and her family moved to St. Simons Island in 1979. She practiced accounting in the Golden Isles professionally for many years. Her writing endeavors include a book to her first granddaughter, Kinslee, and articles published in The Florida Times Union. Her inspirational short story, "The boat that brought daddy home" was published by Guideposts and included in Guideposts Best Loved Stories. Bonnie lives on St. Simons with her husband, Mike, her golden, Annie and two cats.



Morrison

Mike Morrison has been a reporter and freelance writer in and around the Golden Isles for 25 years. Over the years his pieces have appeared in The Brunswick News, The Georgia Times-Union, The Islander, and Golden Isles Magazine. A winner of more than 65 writing awards from state journalism organizations, he spends his free time contemplating re-hiking the Appalachian Trail or taking another extended backpacking trip around Europe.



Presley

Ami Presley is a Toledo, Ohio native who recently found herself transplanted in Coastal Georgia. She and her husband, Mike, have settled in Brunswick, where he had lived for many years previous. She spends her days teaching preschool, and her evenings writing, reading and all kinds of other creative things. In her free time, she is also the mother of six children – three by birth and three by choice.



Kaszans

Dr. Rosemary Kaszans has been a resident of historic Brunswick since 1983, an enthusiastic advocate of historic preservation, the arts, and community awareness. She is a local chiropractor whose love of writing has produced three books and numerous articles, including her infamous run in the Harbor Sound in the 1990s as "The Rabid Environmentalist". Dr. Kaszans currently resides and works in the Windsor Park neighborhood, where she can watch rugby games from her front window.



Williams

Kathi Williams is currently the Assistant Editor of Coastal Illustrated. She moved to Coastal Georgia in 2006 by way of New Jersey, Illinois, Michigan and Massachusetts and immediately fell in love with the beauty and special community of St. Simons Island. Kathi is pleased to call the island her home now, and you can often find roaming the Village with pen and camera in hand and son, Declan, in tow.



Messer

Josh Messer was born and raised in middle Georgia. He moved to St. Simons Island in January, 2006 with his now-wife, then-fiancée, Anna English Messer. Now a resident of Brunswick, Josh is a Personal Banker at the Coastal Bank of Georgia and a contributor to Golden Isles Magazine.

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