

Jenny Strauss

*Tour Operator,
Ghost Walk of St. Simons*

Most popular local landmark

“The St. Simons Island Lighthouse and its ghost, Frederick Osborne (a former lighthouse keeper who died in March 1880 following an argument with his assistant). We’ve had people who were absolutely sure that Frederick was there. Icy cold patches, open windows that were closed when they went up (the lighthouse steps) – no one did it.”



Sharon Flores

*President,
Cassina Garden Club*

Plant that best symbolizes the coast

Sharon Flores has her own ideas about plants that have the look of home. “Down here it’s certainly Sago palms, cabbage palms. Azaleas look absolutely beautiful in spring,” she says. But she also polled fellow garden club members to get their opinions, and they chose a variety:

- Yaupon Holly (Cassina berry bush)
- Camellias
- Oleander
- Crepe myrtle
- Hydrangea
- Live oak
- Wax myrtle
- Spanish moss
- Sea oats
- Palmetto
- Marsh grass
- Dollar weed



Julie Hunter

*Founder,
Signature Squares*

Best historic downtown
Brunswick square
for people watching

“Since Jekyll Square is the only downtown square we have completed a full renovation on, that would be my choice. Because it is in the heart of the commercial area, there is usually a healthy amount of foot traffic to watch.”

