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## SAFETY ON THE TRAILS

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Heat index (2021-June)  
Heat related illnesses (2022-June)  
Lightning (2019-June)  
Poison Ivy (2019-Oct.)  
Stinging caterpillars (2021-Aug.)  
Sunscreens (2020-Aug.)

## TRAIL INFORMATION

### TO HELP ANSWER VISITOR QUESTIONS

Birds: Barred Owl & Great Horned Owl (2022 Feb.)  
Birds: general trivia (2020-Feb.)  
Galls: cypress-oak-bay-poison ivy (2021-Oct.)  
General: dry-downs & wildlife (2019-Dec.)  
General: hunting on CREW lands (2020-Dec.)  
Habitat: glossary of habitat terms (2022-Oct.)  
Habitat: wet prairie, marsh differences (2022-Oct.)  
Insects: Horse's Paper Wasp (2021 Oct.)  
Insects: Pine bark beetles (2021-June)  
Insects: Thread-waisted Wasp (2021 Dec.)  
Mammals: River Otters (2019-Aug.)  
Plants: Coastal Plain Willow (2021-Apr.)  
Plants: natural plant succession (2021 Dec.)  
Plants: pollen, especially pines (2021-Apr.)  
Plants: Thorny plants: Hog Plum & Smilax (2022-Apr.)  
Reptiles: Alligator questions (2019-Apr.)  
Reptiles: Common black snakes (2020-Oct.)  
Spiders: Zipper web weavers (2021-Apr.)  
Tracks: Hoof, Paw & Claw (2022-Oct.)

## MISCELLANEOUS

Accessibility project (2022-June)  
Book review: *Mirage* (Florida water history) (2021-Feb.)  
Lessons from an experienced trail guide (2020-Dec.)  
Mortenson trail cam photos (2021 Oct.)  
Trail gear (2018-Aug./Oct./Dec.)  
Volunteer jobs (2016-Oct./Dec., 2017-Feb./Apr./June/Aug./Oct.)

## IDENTIFICATION TIPS

- coming in December, 2022
  - \* Birds: Anhinga & Double-crested Cormorant
  - Birds: aging juvenile Bald Eagles (2021-Feb.)
  - Birds: Downy & Hairy Woodpecker (2020-Dec.)
  - Birds: juvenile night-herons (2020-Aug.)
  - Birds: male-female woodpeckers (2022-Aug.)
  - \* Birds: Mourning Dove & Common Ground Dove
  - \* Birds: Osprey & white phase Short-tailed Hawk
  - Birds: Small white wading birds: (2021-Apr.)
  - Butterflies: Monarch & Viceroy (2021-Oct.)
  - Holes in ground: Ant Lion & Fire Ant (2020-June)
  - Mammals: Cottontail & Marsh Rabbits (2022 Apr.)
  - Shells: Florida & Island Apple Snails (2022-Oct)
  - Snakes: large black snakes (2020-Apr. & 2020-Oct.)
  - Treefrogs: Green & Squirrel Treefrogs (2021 Aug.)
  - Turtles: Red-bellied & Peninsula Cooter (2021-June)