

## Outline

### Naturalist Training - Boardwalk Tour

#### Major Goals:

- Inspire participants and enhance knowledge of Barefoot Beach Preserve
- Foster proper use of natural areas, facilitate appreciation
- Enhance image of organization, promote support and encourage active participation

#### While doing the nature walk:

- Discuss origins of Barefoot Beach Preserve
- Describe our barrier island
- Define "native" plants
- Discuss major invasive plants (melaleuca, Australian pine, and Brazilian pepper)
- Identify major plants in the maritime forest and describe their use
- Identify major plants in the dune areas and describe their use
- Foster proper use of natural areas, facilitate appreciation
- Return to the Learning Center
- Reference the Nature Notes that are posted at [www.friendsofbarefootbeach.org](http://www.friendsofbarefootbeach.org) website
- Thank everyone for participation and tell them our programs are sponsored by the Friends of Barefoot Beach. Let them know a schedule of current listings for naturalist walks/talks and Lecture Series is available at the Learning Center--donations are welcome and may be put in the "yellow" donation box at Learning Center in chickee hut