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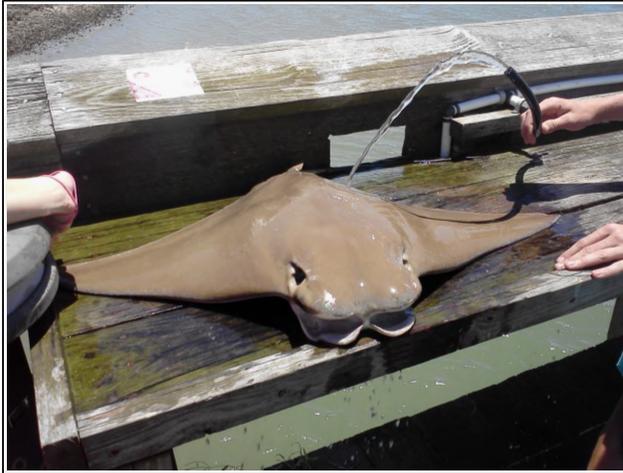
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**South Carolina State Parks**

at 0:30:01 on 7/19/2013 UTC · 🌐

Check out the cownose ray that was caught and released from the Hunting Island pier this week. Want to hear a cool story? In 1608, Captain John Smith, was stung in the shoulder by a cownose ray. The pain was so terrible that the crew were convinced Smith was dying, so they dug a grave for him. But John Smith overcame the pain and felt well enough that evening to eat the ray for supper. The place where this happened is still known as Stingray Point!



**Angie Jenkins** Making a trip to Hunting Island real soon. I would love to see of these.....

at 0:34:21 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Debbie Hughes Benton** That's an interesting piece of history.

at 0:37:00 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**James Berry** Give your source for this story. It's of interest to science and history teachers.

at 0:45:50 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**James Berry** Please

at 0:47:57 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Karen R Herrington** Hope they threw him back.

at 0:51:43 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Dawn Watson Weaver** That's cool! I've never seen a cownose ray before!

at 0:53:23 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Nick Counts** Cool pic. Cool tid bit of history too. Makes for a great day at work to see this I'm sure.

at 1:10:45 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Brandy Langley** So beautiful!

at 1:13:04 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Pedro Sans Pants** Bobby Klaus the time is right!

at 1:23:16 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Sharon McCain** Interesting

at 1:40:53 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Donna Michalski** I don't ever want to see one of those upclose that's all I know  
at 1:44:50 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Mia Guinther** Tracey Taylor Olson  
at 2:08:15 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**South Carolina State Parks** They did Karen Herrington!  
at 2:49:45 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Karen R Herrington** Thanks, BTW, Hunting Island is my favorite spot in all of SC.  
at 2:51:38 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Cheryl Thomas Lowe** Where is Hunting Island?  
at 3:29:58 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Becky Bunting Bernardo** Was fishing beside someone at that same pier who caught a little baby stingray. It was the cutest thing and made the cutest little noise also.  
at 3:41:09 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Tom Martin** This is impressive. I know you acted quickly to get this fellow back into the water.  
at 3:44:15 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Jenni Trammell Tonkin** Lol - probably!!!  
at 6:00:35 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Lisa Wicks** Love Hunting Island :)  
at 6:22:00 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Steve Masters** Where is the pier located? Was at both north shore where the lighthouse is located and south shore for a week of vacation over 4th July week and never saw any pier.  
at 12:30:28 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Susan Simmons Williams** WOW!  
at 14:00:41 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Bonnie Wright** Conservation is always encouraged at HISP  
at 16:06:12 on 7/19/2013 UTC



**Sandy Baker** If you go down futher than the state park before Fripp its on the left at the bridge.  
at 20:32:28 on 7/20/2013 UTC