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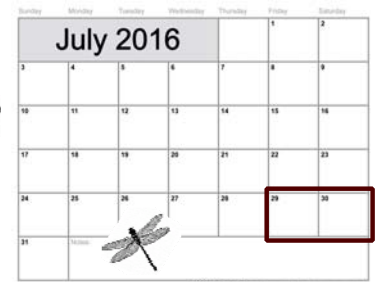
* *Newsletter of the Ohio Odonata Society* *

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SAVE THE DATE & SEE YOU THERE : 29 + 30 - JULY - 2016 (OOS ANNUAL MEETING)

By 2016 OOS officers

The 2016 Ohio Odonata Society Annual Meeting will take place in Marietta (Washington County) Ohio at Marietta College, at the Rickey Science Center, 214 4th Street, Marietta Ohio 45750.



DIRECTIONS : Marietta sets along the south central edge of Washington County Ohio near the confluence of the Muskingum and Ohio Rivers & is easily accessible from Interstate 77 at the junction of Ohio and West Virginia. *Small blue dot on map to left.* * In addition to the Muskingum and Ohio rivers, the Wayne National Forest is located near Marietta.

LODGING : Marietta has a number of hotels ranging from the historic [Lafayette Hotel](#) to a number of mid-range and budget hotels. Camping is available in the Wayne National Forest and at numerous private campgrounds.

PROPOSED AGENDA : Friday, July 29th

- *Preview trip: preview the following day's trip. A good chance to spend more time at the field sites we will visit the next day and for site hosts to learn about the sites they will be coordinating the next day. Meet at **Neader's Cone and Shake** on SR 7 (219 Pike St, Marietta, Ohio 45750) in Marietta at 12:00 noon. [Map](#)
- *Dinner: **Levee House Restaurant**, 127 Ohio St, Marietta, Ohio 45750, on the river in Marietta. Meet at 7:00 PM. [Map](#)
- **Neurocordulia* hunt: Leave from the restaurant to property owned by the Friends of Lower Muskingum River on the Muskingum River near the Devola Dam (west side). [Map](#)

Saturday, July 30th

- *OOS annual Meeting + Papers - Marietta College, Rickey Science Center, 214 4th St. [Map](#)
- *8:30-9:00am Snacks + Coffee / morning drinks
- *9:00am-Noon Papers and Business Meeting
- *Noon-12:30 - get lunches for the field
- *12:30 - ??? Field trips along the Little Muskingum River
- *Evening - Dinner at a local restaurant (to be determined)

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS : Have a presentation you would like to give? We welcome it. Please contact the program director **Dave McShaffery** at (mcshaffd@marietta.edu) or OOS President Rob Liptak at (rjliptak@gmail.com).

REGISTRATION : It is quite a bargain again this year = it is **FREE** !! All are welcome, please bring a friend and introduce them to the wonderful world of Odonates.

\$\$ SMALL GRANTS FOR CURRENT OOS MEMBERS (UP TO \$500.00) !

Have an idea for Odonata related research? Grab \$\$ to fund it. See grant details on page 2 of this newsletter / application is the last page of the newsletter and a fill-able form was sent electronically with the newsletter (for those OOS members receiving it via email). Will be discussed / included as part of the OOS business meeting.

Apply this year!

SMALL GRANTS FROM OOS? By the OOS Officers

Editors note : to date we have not been able to give away any \$\$... why ?? - Simple : only one team has applied / got the grant / then gifted it back to the society (see next entry)! You have a few months yet until the deadline for this \$\$

You should apply this year!

Attached to the email including this Dragonflyer newsletter was a fill-able form that members can use to apply for the OOS Small Grant for 2015-2016. A paper-copy of the application form can be found at the end of this newsletter.

Below is re-printed / updated from the dragonflyer Volume 21#2, 2011

This is the call for proposals that is open to current OOS members in good standing (i.e. paid for the year proposal is submitted (2016) & potentially funded). The recipient, or recipients, of the small grant (if any) will be expected to present their findings, or project overview and results, to that point at the annual OOS meeting the following year. (i.e. projects receiving a small grant in 2016 must present at the 2017 annual meeting).

Small grant proposals up to a maximum of \$500.00 will be evaluated and considered. The OOS officers serving at the time of the proposal submission will form the committee to evaluate, accept and potentially fund the proposal (or proposals). Duration of the small grants program will be limited by the amount in treasury that exceeds anticipated operating funds and will be suspended upon depletion of the OOS funds available. Application form and details, deadlines and evaluation procedures are in the attached application form. If you have trouble with this document please contact newsletter editor Steve Chordas III (stevechordas@sbcglobal.net) or contact Steve by phone at 614-421-7159 and we will get a form to you. Also see the motion for the small grants in the meeting minutes on page 4 of the 2011 Dragonflyer (Volume 21 Number 2, 2011).

Submit your winning proposal now (completed proposals are to be submitted to the OOS President : **Rob Liptak** at (rjliptak@gmail.com). Proposal submissions will be officially be accepted until 11:59pm on 1-July-2016. Announcement of the winning proposal (if any or proposals if more than one) will occur at the next annual meeting (30-July-2016). Best of luck!

ARTICLE Here !

by You !!

Please submit materials to the editor Steve Chordas III at (stevechordas@sbcglobal.net) or snail mail at 1063 West 2nd Avenue, Grandview Heights, Ohio 43212.

OOS 2015 MINI-GRANT AWARD + REPORT

by Bob Glotzhober & Bob Restifo

At the 2015 meeting of the Ohio Odonata Society, the officers and members present approved a mini-grant for Bob Restifo and Bob Glotzhober to survey Odonata in Adams County, with special emphasis on Ohio Brush Creek and the 17 to 18,000 acres of the Edge of Appalachia Preserve. Recently, Bob and Bob met to review their accomplishments and prepare to submit final reports and specimens to the staff at the Edge of Appalachia (EofA). At that time, we both agreed to decline payment for the grant. It was good to "get the process moving" to apply for the grant and we are eager to see other applicants apply and conduct survey work or research and/or conservation efforts with Odonata in Ohio. We especially hope to get students and others who more critically need the funding to apply for grants to be able to accomplish their tasks.

Bob and Bob did make several trips to Adams County. Bob Glotzhober went to EofA on April 21st to check IDs within their existing collection, and add data from their collection to our database. He also presented an evening program to the public that evening, with about 25 people attending. Bob and Bob both went to EofA on May 28th & 29th, July 2nd & 3rd, and August 27th & 28th. Bob R brought two kayaks and we used both cars to float 3 to 6 miles of stream. The folks at the Edge of Appalachia were extremely helpful, not only taking us to various potential sites, and collecting with us, but also providing free overnight lodging at their facilities. In addition to working Ohio Brush Creek, they took us to several other sites with their extensive preserve system. What a wonderful area to explore!

To the communication with this newsletter entry, they attached a summary★ of species found within Adams County, which highlights new county records they discovered within their collection, and new county records that were collected during their trips. We are convinced that there are more new county records to find, and hope to make at least a couple of more trips next summer. We had fun!

★ *EDITORS NOTE : I CAN FORWARD THAT SPECIES REPORT TO ANYONE WHO REQUESTS IT / CONTACT EDITOR STEVE CHORDAS AT (stevechordas@sbcglobal.net) AND HE WILL FORWARD THE REPORT*

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2016 DRAGONFLY SOCIETY OF THE AMERICA'S

- From the editor / via DSA Home page + DSA facebook page

The 2016 Annual Meeting of the Dragonfly Society of the Americas (DSA) will be held in Provo, Utah, USA from 15-17 July. Check out the meeting website at <https://sites.google.com/a/udel.edu/nedsa/2016>. The meeting will combine local field trips with one day of talks (Saturday) and lots of opportunity to socialize. Pre-meeting and post-meeting 2-day field trips are also being planned. Anyone with an interest in Odonates is welcome and encouraged to attend. *Thanks !!*

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2015 PHOTO RECORDS DRAGON REPORT RESULTS & CALL FOR MORE!

By Bob Glotzhober & Larry Rosche (thanks Larry & Bob !!)

*AND OF COURSE KEEP 'EM COMING GENTLEMEN.

Larry Rosche, chair of the OOS "Photo Records Committee" recently sent Bob G the final report and list of new photo records approved by the committee during the 2015 year. A small number of these were actually taken in earlier years and just turned in to the committee this year, but most were taken during 2015. While it is still cold out – it will not be all that long before the flight season begins and you can report new county records or unusually early or late records, or even just rare or endangered species records.

The 2015 round ended up with 68 additional records – an all time high. These came in from 19 different photographers -- some of whom had only 1 photo submission, all the way up to 27 records from one individual! Jim Lemon (27 records) and Shane Myers (10 records) led the list, with the next greatest number of records (4 each) from Chad Arment and Kim Doran. Among Jim's records were 8 from a Champaign County private site known as Michael's Lakes, and with 5 new records from Cedar Bog Nature Preserve (which has a long history of Odonata study). It all goes to show that you never know when a new record might show up, and the more time you spend afield; the more likely you are to happen upon an important record. *Editors note: the Final PRC Report / Species + data is given in appendix A (attached to the end of this Newsletter)*

As a note of interest, we now have 372 photo records since the Photo Records Committee was started in 2002/2003. That year we had only 6 total records turned in. The first ten years saw lots of growth, with an average of 25 records per year, and the last three years have averaged 46 records per year. The growth, improvement and accessibility of digital cameras have really added to the relative ease of obtaining such photos, though it is still a huge challenge. Our Ohio database contains a total of 28,702 records (372 from Photos, 363 from only publications, resulting in almost 27,000 represented by specimens held in permanent collections). The database keeps all three types of records identified, so anyone wishing to analyze only 1 type of record can easily filter them out.

If you obtain a photo record you think might be a valuable addition, send it along with all the data: where taken (even GPS if possible, but county and as much location detail as possible), date, and of course your name (as the photographer) and how you can be reached. Send the photo and the data to chair Larry Rosche at: larryrosche@gmail.com. The members of the Photo Records Committee (PRC) who put in many hours making difficult calls on the ID include: Ian Adams, Linda Gilbert, Bob Glotzhober, Rob Liptak, Shane Myers and as mentioned, chair Larry Rosche.

Special thanks belongs to Larry, who has the huge job of logging submissions and organizing them for the other members to vote on. For more information about the PRC, and the judging guidelines, or a listing of county records (up to 2002 - sorry), go to the OOS web page at <http://w3.marietta.edu/~odonata/index.html>

CALL FOR 2017-2019 NOMINATIONS : OOS PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORDS COMMITTEE MEMBERS

By Steve Chordas III

We are soliciting nominations for two new OOS members to serve on the Photographic Committee (PRC) starting in 2017. Members serve on the committee for the duration of 3 calendar years (1-January through 31-December). Two new members will be elected at the 2016 OOS meeting and begin their 3 year tenure as a contributing committee member on 1-January-2017. Send nominations to the newsletter editor Steve Chordas (stevechordas@sbcglobal.net) or contact Steve by phone at 614-421-7159. *Thanks !!*

** If you have a photo record of a Dragonfly or Damselfly, please contact a current committee member to have your photo evaluated for acceptance as an official Ohio record. The 6 member Photographic Records Committee currently consists of the following individuals with their e-mail contact:

LINDA GILBERT (lkg38@roadrunner.com)

BOB GLOTZHOBER (rcglotzhober@wowway.com)

IAN ADAMS (ian@ianadamsphotography.com)

ROB LIPTAK (rjliptak@gmail.com)

LARRY ROSCHE (larryrosche@gmail.com)

SHANE MYERS (rebo429@gmail.com)

OHIO AMPHIAGRION SAUCIUM SPECIMENS NEEDED!

From Bob Glotzhober

Help needed with fresh specimens of Eastern Red Damsels, *Amphiagrion saucium*. Ken Tennessen of Wisconsin is exploring the possible hybridization of Eastern Red Damsel with a western species. He



suspects some of this may be happening in Ohio, and is eager to get specimens this coming season. Here is his note:

"I would like to see if there are any Ohio folks who would be willing to look for and collect some *Amphiagrion* for me in early summer. I remember we talked about this briefly at the DSA meeting in PA, but we didn't firm up anything. Let me know if you still want to get involved in that work. Thanks, Ken Tennessen ktennessen@centurytel.net"

If you are interested in helping -- or know excellent collection sites for this species -- contact Ken directly for more information, and please CC Bob Glotzhober (rcglotzhober@wowway.com) who will be working with him somewhat.

Thanks !!

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NEW PUB ON ALLEGHENY RIVER CRUISERS – CALL FOR WATCH

by Bob Glotzhober

If you have spent any time chasing River Cruisers (genus *Macromia*) with either net or camera, you know they are a challenging group. So when someone comes up with a new record, it is pretty exciting. In this case, a new state record for Michigan of the Allegheny River Cruiser (*M. alleghaniensis*). The paper by Julie Craves and Darrin O'Brien (2015) reported a male taken in the Three Rivers State Game Area, Cass County, Michigan. This is at about 41.861° north latitude, and the northern most unequivocal record for the species, as analyzed in their paper.

The article is interesting in and of itself, but it also brings to my mind a need for intensive searching for this species in Ohio. Our Ohio database lists 28,702 total records, of which 578 are for species of the genus *Macromia*. Only sixteen of these are for the Allegheny River Cruiser, and 3 of those are somewhat questionable. One is from an immature larva in Franklin County (even mature *Macromia* larvae are difficult to ID), one from Scioto County is known only from a publication with no voucher specimen, and one from Ottawa County (Stone Lab) has some other questions, as outlined in the Craves/O'Brien paper. The records represent 9 counties: Adams (6 records), Fairfield (1), Franklin (2), Gallia (1), Hocking (1), Ottawa (2), Scioto (1), Vinton (2), and Washington (1). As you can see, with exception of Ohio Brush Creek and tributaries in Adams County, none of these are consistently repeated. And how strong are six records scattered between 1993 and 2002? We really need more information about this species in Ohio.

Identification of the Allegheny River Cruiser can be found in a variety of sources, including Dennis Paulson's *Dragonflies and Damselflies of the East*, and in our 2002 *Dragonflies and Damselflies of Ohio*. You are not likely to identify one on the wing – and if you photographed *Macromia*, you know opportunities for good ID photos are few and far between. So a good photo or a good specimen most likely will require a capture. If you don't want to retain a specimen, make sure your photos record all of the key ID characters as mentioned by Paulson and by Craves/O'Brien: nearly complete yellow rings on S2 (short break dorsally) and on S7 and a very short keel on the middle tibia. Read up in Paulson about the proper type of stream/river habitat and spend some intensive time in those habitats in southern Ohio. We really need more records – and perhaps the consideration of listing this species as Ohio endangered. If you find a record, please contact me ASAP at rcglotzhober@wowway.com, or at 614-491-2384.

Literature:

Craves, Julie A. and Darrin S. O'Brien. 2015. *Macromia alleghaniensis* (Odonata: Macromiidae): new for Michigan, with clarification of northern records. *The Great Lakes Entomologist* 48(3-4):186 – 191.

ODONATA IN EVERYDAY LIFE ?

Contributions from Bob Restifo

The following half-dozen (yes 6) items of various Dragonfly items are from Bob Restifo. **Thanks Bob ☺**

(many more Odonata items to come from Bob in future issues).



Night Light



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Note Cards



Orchid Clips



Pillow



Pins

Send your examples, comments, contributions, photos, etc to editor Steve Chordas III at (stevechordas@sbcglobal.net) or snail mail at 1063 West 2nd Avenue, Grandview Heights, Ohio 43212.

Thanks !!

Calendar of Upcoming Meetings / Events:

by editor Steve W. Chordas III

Ohio State Museum of BioDiversity Open House <http://mbd.osu.edu/open-house-2016>
Saturday 23-April-2016, at 1735 Kinnear Road, Columbus, Ohio
Open to the public 10:00am-4:00pm- free of charge.

DSA 2016 (Dragonfly Society of the Americas)
15-17 July 2016, Provo, Utah USA. See link to DSA meeting on page 2 / above / of this issue.

OOS Annual Meeting **

Friday + Saturday the 29th & 30th of July, 2016. See page 1 for more specific details.
Open to all OOS members & the public - free of charge.

OHIO ODONATA SOCIETY
ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES : 2015

Saturday 18-July-2015 : 18 attendees

(if any member has a photo of the meeting attendees, please forward to the newsletter editor / thanks)

Location: Cedar Bog Nature Preserve, 980 Woodburn Rd.,
Urbana, Ohio : Arrangements by VP, Rob Liptak;
Presiding, President Ian Adams

Ian Adams called the meeting to order at 9:45 a.m. Cedar Bog naturalist/site manager Tracy Bleim welcomed the group. Adams requested each person to introduce themselves. This was followed by a general outline of the day's events.

Adams then presented a brief introduction to OOS for those new or non-members, followed by an overview of the order Odonata, a discussion on available field guides, and some tips on photography.

Business Meeting: This was called to order by Adams at 10:45, with non-members dismissed for about one hour. Minutes from the meeting on June 21, 2014 had appeared in the Ohio Dragon-Flier newsletter (Volume 25). Rob Liptak moved they be approved as published; 2nd by Islay Cowie; Approved.

No Treasurer's report was available, as Bob Restifo was out-of-state. Bob Glotzhober mentioned that Restifo has promised to publish the report in the next issue of our newsletter*. Adams mentioned that as of 18 June 2014 our balance was \$2,919.39.

*On 3-August-2015, Secretary Restifo forwarded the following treasurers report to the newsletter editor for inclusion in Volume 26 of the Ohio Dragonflier (as stated above / published presently in this issue).

TREASURER'S REPORT (2015)

Balance in checking account as of July 2014 = \$2919.39

Expenses

Donation	\$ 300.00
OBS membership	\$ 125.00
Income (Dues)	\$ 245.00
Balance as of July 3, 2015	\$ 2,739.39

Election of Officers for the 2016 Calendar Year. (Note: Officers serve on a calendar year 1-January to 31-December)

President : Rob Liptak

Past President 2015 : Ian Adams

Vice President : Dave McShaffrey

Member-at-Large : Jim Lemon

Secretary / Treasurer : Bob Restifo

Bob Glotzhober moved that the nominations be closed and cast as a ballot; 2nd by Adams. Motion **Passed**.

**Although not an elected office *the Newsletter Editor is / remains = Steve Chordas III*

Photo Records Committee Election: Adams reported the following members as of the meeting / July 2015:

3 years (2015 -2017) Linda Gilbert & Bob Glotzhober

2 years (2015 – 2016) Shane Myers & Larry Rosche

Expiring (2015) Ian Adams & Rob Liptak

*Dave McShaffrey moved that Adams and Liptak be re-elected for the term 2016, 2017 & 2018

*2nd by Adams. **Approved** by unanimous vote.

Thus the PRC will consist of the following 6 members starting 1-January-2016:

3 years remaining (2016, 2017, 2018): Ian Adams & Rob Liptak
2 years remaining (2016, 2017): Linda Gilbert & Bob Glotzhober
1 year remaining (2016): Larry Rosche & Shane Myers

Small Grants: A program had been set up about 5 years ago to offer grants up to \$500 for anyone working on surveying, research or conservation of Odonata in Ohio. Application instructions have been listed in our newsletter and mentioned at annual meetings. Prior to this year, no grant applications have been submitted.

Bob Glotzhober summarized a proposal for himself and Bob Restifo to survey Odonata in Adams County, with emphasis on Ohio Brush Creek and properties of the Edge of Appalachia Preserve. This preserve is now in excess of 17,000 acres, stretching eastward from the Ohio Brush Creek to build a connection to Shawnee State Forest. They have committed to the project, and already made a couple of trips, using kayaks to flat the river and hiking to various ponds within the preserve with the guidance and assistance of TNC & Cincinnati Museum of Natural History staff. Little to no work has previously been done on the ponds, and several anticipated species have not ever been recorded on the high quality Ohio Brush Creek. Several more trips are planned. Total transportation costs are estimated for the season at \$650 to \$750, with a request for the \$500 maximum to cover mileage. Food will be out of pocket, and overnight lodging is offered gratis at the Preserve's office/headquarters. Adams moved that we accept the proposal; 2nd by Kerr Gibson. **Approved.**

Discussion followed about the **need to promote the grant program** better, reaching especially college and university students. It was generally agreed that students would be the best recipients, but that grants would be available competitively to any member applying with a project that advances the goals of OOS – pending available funds. McShaffrey said he would contact the Ohio Biological Survey to get a notice in their newsletter, which goes out to their numerous supporting member institutions as well as individual members. Glotzhober said he would contact Kendra Wecker of the Ohio Division of Wildlife, who has in the past sent out broadcast announcements to a wide list of people interested in non-game wildlife.

Next Year's Meeting: There was brief discussion of locations of next year's meeting. It was decided that McShaffrey would host it at Marietta College, with field trips in the area, especially along the Little Muskingum River. Dates and details to be arranged later. Glotzhober suggested that the 2017 might consider meeting at the Edge of Appalachia. He will follow up on that, and present comments at next year's meeting.

We also talked about advertising the meeting on Facebook, "Ohio Odonata" and at Odonata Central. We also had a brief discussion about advertising the DSA in our newsletter.

Donation: Glotzhober moved that OOS give a gift of \$300 to the Cedar Bog Association, in thanks for their hosting our meeting. 2nd by Kerr Gibson. **Approved.**

Adjourned the Business Meeting: at 11:30am, Moved by Gibson, 2nd by Islay Cowie. *Approved.*

The full group reconvened, for several more presentations.

Bob Glotzhober presented a brief Presentation on last month's DSA meetings at State College, PA, and noted that next year the DSA will meet in Utah. He then distributed copies of a paper from 1997 on the Odonata of Cedar Bog and West Central Ohio fens – updating the records with a few comments.

Jim Lemon talked about his finds during 2014 at Cedar Bog and the Michael's lakes where the Swift Setwing was found by him. He also showed images of species he found each of the summer months.

Rob Liptak then briefly discussed the various field trips: Cedar Bog; Michael's lakes, North Point Ponds, Prairie Road Fen and Crabil Fen. He asked everyone to let him know who was going where. We adjourned to eat a quick lunch, and then head out for the field trips.

Meeting adjourned at 12:45 pm : 18 Individuals present.

Respectfully submitted by substitute secretary, Bob Glotzhober

- - End minutes - -



SEE EVERYONE AT THE ANNUAL MEETING : 30 JULY 2016

**PLEASE SUBMIT :
NEWSLETTER CONTRIBUTIONS !!**

From the editor, Steve W. Chordas III

Special Thanks to **Bob Glotzhober, Bob Restifo, Larry Rosche** and **Ken Tennessen** for submitting contributions to this newsletter!!

We are always looking for your thoughts / findings / Odonata related materials, announcements or general information to include in the Dragon-flier. We welcome submissions from our membership. Feel free to send your contributions, ideas, suggestions to Steve Chordas at (stevechordas@sbcglobal.net) or snail mail at 1063 West 2nd Avenue, Grandview Heights, Ohio 43212.

** We currently have 2 Odonata in everyday life contributions for the next newsletter - Thanks !! And keep them coming !*

2016 MEMBERSHIP REMINDER ! *From the OOS officers.*

✓ OOS membership runs on a calendar year.

* 2016 dues are "due" now - *sounds weird, but true !*

* In the past, many members paid their dues at the annual meeting (which will be held 30-July in 2016). You can still pay 2016 dues at the annual meeting. We will have dues forms for 2016 + 2017 at the annual meeting also (so you can join for the next year!). The 2016 membership form is included at the end of this newsletter. *Thanks !!*



DRAGONFLIER BACK ISSUES ?

Any OOS member in good standing may request a back issue. Send request with specified volume/issue to Steve Chordas III (stevechordas@sbcglobal.net), if you wish a hard copy, please specify that and provide the snail mail address.

Available issues :

- VOLUME 24(1) : 2015
- VOLUME 24(1) & 24(2) : 2014
- VOLUME 23(1) : 2013
- VOLUME 22(1) : 2012
- VOLUME 21(1) & 21(2) : 2011
- VOLUME 20(1) & 20(2) : 2010

Many thanks.



ADD YOUR EVENT TO OUR CALENDAR

★ If you have any announcements or event notification information you would like included in the "calender of events section" of the Dragonflier, please send that information to the editor at stevechordas@sbcglobal.net for inclusion in the 2016 (Volume 26, #2) newsletter. *Thanks !!*



OHIO ODONATA SOCIETY : 2016 DUES STATEMENT

Regular Membership (1 year) = \$ 5.00
Membership runs from 1-January to 31-December 2016
Supporting Membership = \$10.00

_____ *(Yes) I would be interested in receiving the Ohio Dragon-Flier
via e-mail as a PDF file, instead of via U.S. surface mail.
(Your e-mail address is required for this option).*

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Phone (Optional): _____ - _____ - _____

E-mail Address (Optional): _____

* Return this form with payment (cash encouraged - receipts will be sent) to :
(Make checks payable to : Ohio Odonata Society)

★ We will also have 2016 / 2017 membership forms available at the
Annual meeting in July.

Bob Restifo
Treasurer : Ohio Odonata Society
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Worthington, Ohio 43085

2015 Ohio Odonata Photographic Record Submissions

#	Photo	Photographer	Species	Species	Locality	Date	Record notes	Vote
7	Photo 15-05 a	Chad Arment	Dragonhunter	<i>Hagenius brevistylus</i>	Maple Ridge Reserve, Covington, Miami Co.	7/15/2015	First county record	6-0
58	Photo 15-28	Jim Lemon	Lancet Clubtail	<i>Gomphus exilis</i>	Michael's Lakes, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.092257, -83.791867	5/4-6/23/15	First Champaign Co. record	5-1
71	Photo 15-12 a	Todd Eiben	Lilypad Clubtail	<i>Arigomphus furcifer</i>	North Chagrin Reservation, Cuyahoga Co.	6/10/2015	First Cuyahoga County record	5-1
74	Photo 15-68 a	Brad Von Blon	Flag-tailed Spinyleg	<i>Dromogomphus spoliatus</i>	Jefferson Twmsp Bellville, Richland Co.	7/25/2014	First county record	6-0
74	Photo 15-30 a	Jim Lemon	Flag-tailed Spinyleg	<i>Dromogomp. spoliatus</i>	Michael's Lakes, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.092257, -83.791867	8/20/2015	First Champaign Co. record	6-0
74	Photo 15-31 a	Jim Lemon	Flag-tailed Spinyleg	<i>Dromogomp. spoliatus</i>	Greenville Creek, Adams Township, Darke Co. 40.100843, -84.554265	8/2/2015	First Darke Co. record	6-0
74	Photo 15-39 a	Jim Lemon	Flag-tailed Spinyleg	<i>Dromogomphus spoliatus</i>	Michael's Lakes, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.092257, -83.791867	7/3/2015	Additional Champaign Co. record	6-0
75	Photo 15-04 a	Chad Arment	Black-Shouldered Spinyleg	<i>Dromogomphus spinosus</i>	Maple Ridge Reserve, Covington, Miami Co.	7/15/2015	First county record	6-0
75	Photo 15-16 a,b	Hopper	Black-shouldered Spinyleg	<i>Dromogomphus spinosus</i>	Genoa Township, Delaware Co.	6/6/2015	First "adult" Delaware County record	6-0
75	Photo 15-32 a	Jim Lemon	Black-shouldered Spinyleg	<i>Dromogomphus spinosus</i>	Greenville Creek, Adams Township, Darke Co. 40.100843, -84.554265	8/5/2015	First Darke Co. record	6-0
80	Photo 15-07 a,b	Kim Doran	Springtime Darner	<i>Basiaeschna janata</i>	Harrison Township, Carroll Co	5/23/2015	First Carroll County photo record of an adult	6-0
83	Photo 15-02 a	Chad Arment	Comet Darner	<i>Anax longipes</i>	Maple Ridge Reserve, Covington, Miami Co.	6/4/2015	First county record	6-0
90	Photo 15-11 a,b	Todd Eiben	Cyrano Darner	<i>Nasiaeschna pentacantha</i>	South Chagrin Reservation, Cuyahoga Co.	7/15/2015	First Cuyahoga County record	6-0
96	Photo 15-34 a,b,c	Jim Lemon	Spatterdock Darner	<i>Rhionaeschna mutata</i>	McCracken Fen, Liberty Township, Logan Co. 40.305160, -83.782346	6/16/2015	First Logan Co. record	6-0
97	Photo 15-52 a,b	Shane Myers	Shadow Darner	<i>Aeshna umbrosa</i>	Youngers Wetlands, Marion Twp, Hancock Co 41.026407, -83.551407	09/16/15	Additional county record	5-0 one recused
97	Photo 15-57 a	Shane Myers	Shadow Darner	<i>Aeshna umbrosa</i>	Oakwoods Nature Preserve, Liberty Twp, Hancock Co 41.021295, -83.689816	9/11/2015	1st county record - 3 present at location	5-0 one recused
97	Photo 15-59 a	Shane Myers	Shadow Darner	<i>Aeshna umbrosa</i>	Hancock County Sanitary Landfill, Allen Twp, Hancock Co 41.122089, -83.673952	9/17/2015	Additional county record	5-0 one recused
103	Photo 15-62 a	Rick Nirschl	Mottled Darner	<i>Aeshna clepsydra</i>	Magee Marsh, Lucas Co. OH	10/12/2015	Late record	6-0
107	Photo 15-21 a,b	Amanda Kriner	Black-tipped Darner	<i>Aeshna tuberculifera</i>	Gorman Nature Center, Richland Co.	8/15/2015	First Richland County record	6-0
109	Photo 15-63 a	Rick Nirschl	Green-striped Darner	<i>Aeshna verticalis</i>	Magee Marsh, Lucas Co. OH	10/12/2015	Late record	6-0
113	Photo 15-06 a	Kyle Bailey	Delta-spotted Spiketail	<i>Cordulegaster diastatops</i>	Clear Fork Reservoir, Richland Co.	6/10/2015	First Richland County record	5-1
117	Photo 15-66 a	Ashleigh Prigodich, Ken Schneider, Rachel Kohnke	Arrowhead Spiketail	<i>Cordulegaster obliqua</i>	Chamberlain Forest, Mesopotamia Twmsp, Trumbull Co. 41°26'52.303"N x 80°59'19.442"W	5/27/2015	Reported by Keith Moran	6-0
123	Photo 15-22 a	Amanda Kriner	Royal River Cruiser	<i>Macromia taeniolata</i>	Weller twp., Richland county 40.879336, -82.480552	8/18/2015	First Richland County record	6-0
123	Photo 15-20 a	Phyllis Kelly	Royal River Cruiser	<i>Macromia taeniolata</i>	Crook Street Wetlands, Lorain Co. Grafton Twmsp.	8/14/2015	First Lorain County record since 1987	6-0

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138	Photo 15-03 a	Chad Arment	Common Baskettail	<i>Epithea cynosura</i>	Wayne Lakes, Darke Co.	5/28/2015	First county record	6-0
138	Photo 15-08 a	Kim Doran	Common Baskettail	<i>Epithea cynosura</i>	Harrison Township, Carroll Co	5/27/2015	First Carroll County photo record of an adult	6-0
138	Photo 15-55 a	Shane Myers	Common Baskettail	<i>Epithea cynosura</i>	The Pits Rod and Gun Club, Findlay, Hancock Co 41.009057, -83.622865	5/10/2015	Additional county record. 4-1 Liptak felt <i>C. costalis</i> could not be eliminated. Myers is recused from voting. I think it is a passing mark.	1-Apr
173	Photo 15-49 a, b	Jim Lemon	Halloween Pennant	<i>Celithemis eponina</i>	McCracken Fen, Liberty Township, Logan Co. 40.305160, -83.782346	5/29/2015	Early Ohio Date	6-0
174	Photo 15-44 a	Jim Lemon	Calico Pennant	<i>Celithemis elisa</i>	Pointe North, Salem Township, Champaign Co. 40.146404, -83.759095	10/12/2015	Late Ohio Date	6-0
196	Photo 15-17 a,b,c	Corrie Johnson	Spangled Skimmer	<i>Libellula cyanea</i>	Mill Creek Wildlife Sanctuary Mahoning Co. 40.973772, -80.695180	5/23/2015	First Mahoning County record	6-0
196	Photo 15-18 a,b,c,d	Corrie Johnson	Spangled Skimmer	<i>Libellula cyanea</i>	Mill Creek Preserve Mahoning Co. 40.990255, -80.696629	5/23/2015	Second Mahoning County record	6-0
198	Photo 15-09 a	Kim Doran	Painted Skimmer	<i>Libellula semifasciata</i>	Harrison Township, Carroll Co	5/27/2015	First Carroll County record	6-0
205	Photo 15-14 a	Patricia & Earl. Heithaus, Ray Heithaus	Great Blue Skimmer	<i>Libellula vibrans</i>	Blackjack Wetland Preserve Mount Vernon, Knox Co. 40°21'19.76" N 82°28'58.67" W	7/4/2015	First Knox County record	6-0
205	Photo 15-01 a,b	Tom Arbour	Great Blue Skimmer	<i>Libellula vibrans</i>	Augusta Anne Olsen State Nature Preserve Wakeman Township, Huron County	6/26/2015	First Huron County record	6-0
214	Photo 15-65 a	Dean Porter	Blue-faced Meadowhawk	<i>Sympetrum ambiguum</i>	Siebenthaler Fen, Beavercreek Township, Greene Co. 39.738198, -84.011638	8/6/2015	First documented county record. One published record 1942 Borrer & Epstein	6-0
216	Photo 15-53 a	Shane Myers	White-faced Meadowhawk	<i>Sympetrum obtrusum</i>	Youngers Wetlands, Marion Twp, Hancock Co 41.026407, -83.551407	09/16/15	1st county record - 8 present at location	5-0 one recused
219	Photo 15-45 a	Jim Lemon	Band-winged Meadowhawk	<i>Sympetrum semicinctum</i>	Cedar Bog Nature Preserve, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.059114, -83.791758	10/14/2015	Late Ohio Date	6-0
232	Photo 15-37 a	Jim Lemon	Swift Setwing	<i>Dythemis velox</i>	Michael's Lakes, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.092257, -83.791867	7/3/15-9/27/15	Early Ohio Date, Late Ohio date	6-0
238	Photo 15-15 a,b	Hopper	Spot-winged Glider	<i>Pantala hymaenea</i>	Genoa Township, Delaware Co.	8/10/2015	Second Delaware County record	6-0
239	Photo 15-60 a	Shane Myers	Wandering Glider	<i>Pantala flavescens</i>	Hancock County Sanitary Landfill, Allen Twp, Hancock Co 41.122089, -83.673952	9/7/2014	1st county record - forgot to submit last year	5-0 one recused
243	Photo 15-38 a	Jim Lemon	Red Saddlebags	<i>Tamea carolina</i>	McCracken Fen, Liberty Township, Logan Co. 40.305160, -83.782346	9/16/2015	First Champaign Co. record	1-5
244	Photo 15-64 a	Brian Parsons	Carolina Saddlebags	<i>Tamea carolina</i>	Holden Arboretum, Lake Co.	5/27/2014	Additional Lake Co. record	5-1
244	Photo 15-27 a	Jim Lemon	Carolina Saddlebags	<i>Tamea carolina</i>	Pointe North, Salem Township, Champaign Co. 40.146404, -83.759095	6/4/2015	First Champaign Co. record	5-1
244	Photo 15-35 a,b,c,d	Jim Lemon	Springtime Darner	<i>Basiaeschna janata</i>	McCracken Fen, Liberty Township, Logan Co. 40.305160, -83.782346	6/23/2015	First Logan Co. record since 1988	6-0
244	Photo 15-36 a,b,c,d	Jim Lemon	Carolina Saddlebags	<i>Tamea carolina</i>	McCracken Fen, Liberty Township, Logan Co. 40.305160, -83.782346	5/29/2015	First Logan Co. record	6-0
244	Photo 15-56 a	Shane Myers	Carolina Saddlebags	<i>Tamea carolina</i>	The Pits Rod and Gun Club, Findlay, Hancock Co 41.009057, -83.622865	5/10/2015	1st county record - 4 present at location	5-0 one recused

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259	Photo 15-33	Jim Lemon	Elegant Spreadwing	<i>Lestes inaequalis</i>	McCracken Fen, Liberty Township, Logan Co. 40.305160, -83.782346	5/29/2015	First Logan Co. record since 1935	6-0
261	Photo 15-13 a,b	Todd Eiben	Spotted Spreadwing	<i>Lestes congener</i>	Bedford Reservation, Cuyahoga Co.	11/16/2015	Late date for Ohio	6-0
270	Photo 15-24 a	Jim Lemon	Swamp Spreadwing	<i>Lestes vigilax</i>	Cedar Bog Nature Preserve, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.059114, -83.791758	7/3/2015	First Champaign Co. record	6-0
277	Photo 15-46 a	Jim Lemon	Blue-fronted Dancer	<i>Argia apicalis</i>	Michael's Lakes, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.092257, -83.791867	10/10/2015	Late Ohio Date	6-0
278	Photo 15-42 a	Jim Lemon	Seepage Dancer	<i>Argia bipunctulata</i>	Cedar Bog Nature Preserve, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.059114, -83.791758	5/26/2015	Early Ohio Date	6-0
284	Photo 15-25 a	Jim Lemon	Powdered Dancer	<i>Argia moesta</i>	Michael's Lakes, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.092257, -83.791867	7/11/2015	First Champaign Co. record	6-0
284	Photo 15-26 a	Jim Lemon	Powdered Dancer	<i>Argia moesta</i>	Mad River at SR36, Urbana Township, Champaign Co. 40.107594, -83.799525	7/28/2015	Second Champaign Co. record	6-0
286	Photo 15-47 a	Jim Lemon	Blue-ringed Dancer	<i>Argia sedula</i>	Michael's Lakes, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.092257, -83.791867	10/16/2015	Late Ohio Date	6-0
288	Photo 15-29 a	Jim Lemon	Blue-tipped Dancer	<i>Argia tibialis</i>	Mad River at SR55, Mad River Township, Champaign Co. 40.068450, -83.810723	7/28/2015	First Champaign Co. record	6-0
290	Photo 15-48 a,b	Jim Lemon	Dusky Dancer	<i>Argia translata</i>	Michael's Lakes, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.092257, -83.791867	10/13/2015	Late Ohio Date	6-0
290	Photo 15-58 a	Shane Myers	Dusky Dancer	<i>Argia translata</i>	Oakwoods Nature Preserve, Liberty Twp, Hancock Co 41.021295, -83.689816	9/18/2015	1st county record - 6 present at location	6-0
298	Photo 15-40 a	Jim Lemon	Sphagnum Sprite	<i>Nehalennia gracilis</i>	Kiser Lake Wetlands, Johnson Township, Champaign Co. 40.178592, -83.949683	7/1/2015	First Champaign Co. record since 1943	6-0
301	Photo 15-10 a	Kim Doran	Aurora Damsel	<i>Chromagrion conditum</i>	Harrison Township, Carroll Co	5/19/2015	First Carroll County record	5-? One abstention
314	Photo 15-61 a	Shane Myers	Skimming Bluet	<i>Enallagma geminatum</i>	Gormley Park, Forest, Hardin Co	7/9/2014	New county record S. Myers forgot to report	6-0
321	Photo 15-43 a	Jim Lemon	Orange Bluet	<i>Enallagma signatum</i>	Pointe North, Salem Township, Champaign Co. 40.146404, -83.759095	6/4/15-9/10/15	First Champaign Co. record since 1936	6-0
322	Photo 15-41 a	Jim Lemon	Vesper Bluet	<i>Enallagma vesperum</i>	Michael's Lakes, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.092257, -83.791867	7/5/2015	First Champaign Co. record since 1936	6-0
326	Photo 15-67 a	Bob Roach	Marsh Bluet	<i>Enallagma ebrium</i>	Ira Road Beaver Marsh, CVNP, Summit Co.	6/10/2015	Additional county record and best photo yet	6-0
338	Photo 15-50 a	Jim Lemon	Double-striped Bluet	<i>Enallagma basidens</i>	Cedar Bog Nature Preserve, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.059114, -83.791758	5/12/2015	Early Ohio Date	6-0
360	Photo 15-19 a	Corrie Johnson	Citrine Forktail	<i>Ischnura hastata</i>	Mill Creek Wildlife Sanctuary, Mahoning Co. 40.979889, -80.693544	9/26/2015	Second Mahoning County record	6-0
360	Photo 15-51 a,b	Rob Liptak	Citrine Forktail	<i>Ischnura hastata</i>	Springfield, Clark Co. 39 57' 16.5384", -83 49' 40.299	8/14/2015	First Clark County record	5-0 one recused
360	Photo 15-54 a	Shane Myers	Citrine Forktail	<i>Enallagma hastata</i>	Youngers Wetlands, Marion Twp, Hancock Co 41.026407, -83.551407	09/24/15	1st county record - 12 present at location	5-0 one recused
341b	Photo 15-23 a,b	Jim Lemon	Western Slender Bluet	<i>E. traviatum westfalli</i>	Cedar Bog Nature Preserve, Urbana Township Champaign Co. 40.059114, -83.791758	6/28/2015	First Champaign Co. record	5-1 one negative vote based on species form

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Name [Lead Investigator]:

Affiliation:

Co-investigator(s):

Affiliation (s):

Title of Project:

Justification
of
Project:

Proposed Budget:

* I confirm by checking box below that I/we understand all individuals (or teams) who receive funding will present their projects at the 2017 OOS annual meeting

Yes I will present my/our results at the 2017 OOS meeting

* Proposals up to a maximum of \$500.00 will be considered. Any, over \$500.00 will not be considered.

Send completed application to OOS Officer indicated below no later than **11:59pm, 1-July-2016**.

To submit your proposal, do the following:

- ✓ Save application
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- ✓ Send to 2016 OOS President **Rob Liptak** at this email address : (rjliptak@gmail.com).