

BUTTERFLIES OF POLK COUNTY, FLORIDA

LOCATION:

DATE: TIME:

WEATHER:

SWALLOWTAILS

Family Papilionidae

SWALLOWTAILS Subfamily Papilioninae

-Pipevine Swallowtail *Battus philenor* 2-11
-Polydamas Swallowtail *Battus polydamas* 1-12
-Zebra Swallowtail *Eurytides marcellus* 2-10
-Black Swallowtail *Papilio polyxenes* 1-12
-Giant Swallowtail *Papilio cresphontes* 1-12
-Eastern Tiger Swallowtail *Papilio glaucus* 1-12
-Spicebush Swallowtail *Papilio troilus* 2-12
-Palamedes Swallowtail *Papilio palamedes* 1-12

WHITES AND SULPHURS

Family Pieridae

WHITES Subfamily Pierinae

-Checkered White *Pontia protodice* 2-10
-Cabbage White *Pieris rapae* 3-10
-Great Southern White *Ascia monuste* 3-12

SULPHURS Subfamily Coliadinae

-Orange Sulphur *Colias eurytheme* 5-10
-Southern Dogface *Colias cesonia* 3-10
-Cloudless Sulphur *Phoebis sennae* 1-12
-Orange-barred Sulphur *Phoebis philea* 1-12
-Large Orange Sulphur *Phoebis agarithe* 5-12
-Barred Yellow *Eurema daira* 1-12
-Little Yellow *Eurema lisa* 1-12
-Sleepy Orange *Eurema nicippe* 1-12
-Dainty Sulphur *Nathalis iole* 1-12

GOSSAMER-WING BUTTERFLIES

Family Lycaenidae

HAIRSTREAKS Subfamily Theclinae

-Great Purple Hairstreak *Atlides halesus* 1-12
-Banded Hairstreak *Satyrium calanus* 4 & 5
-Oak Hairstreak *Satyrium favonius* 4-6
-Henry's Elfin *Callophrys henrici* 3 & 4
-Juniper Hairstreak *Callophrys gryneus* 3-10 R
-White M Hairstreak *Parrhasius m-album* 3-11
-Gray Hairstreak *Strymon melinus* 2-11
-Red-banded Hairstreak *Calycopis cecrops* 1-12

BLUES Subfamily Polyommatainae

-Cassius Blue *Leptotes cassius* 3-12
-Ceraunus Blue *Hemiargus ceraunus* 1-12

METALMARKS Family Riodinidae

-Little Metalmark *Calephelis virginensis* 2-11

BRUSHFOOTED BUTTERFLIES

Family Nymphalidae

SNOUTS Subfamily Libytheidae

-American Snout *Libytheana carinenta* 2-10

HELICONIANS AND FRITILLARIES Subfamily

Heliconiinae

-Gulf Fritillary *Agraulis vanillae* 1-12
-Zebra Heliconian *Heliconius charithonia* 1-12
-Variegated Fritillary *Euptoieta claudia* 3-12

TRUE BRUSHFOOTS Subfamily Nymphalinae

-Phaon Crescent *Phyciodes phaon* 1-12
-Pearl Crescent *Phyciodes tharos* 1-12
-Question Mark *Polygonia interrogationis* 1-12
-American Lady *Vanessa virginensis* 2-8
-Painted Lady *Vanessa cardui* 4-11 R
-Red Admiral *Vanessa atalanta* 1-12
-Common Buckeye *Junonia coenia* 1-12
-White Peacock *Anartia jatrophae* 1-12

ADMIRALS Subfamily Limenitidinae

- ... Red-spotted Purple *Limenitis arthemis astyanax* 3-10
-Viceroy *Limenitis archippus* 1-12

EMPERORS Subfamily Apaturinae

-Hackberry Emperor *Asterocampa celtis* 3-12
-Tawny Emperor *Asterocampa clyton* 3-11

SATYRS Subfamily Satyrinae

-Appalachian Brown Satyroides *appalachia* 3-11 R
-Gemmed Satyr *Cyllopsis gemma* 2-10 R
-Carolina Satyr *Hermeuptychia sosybius* 1-12
-Georgia Satyr *Neonympha areolata* 3-10
-Little Wood Satyr *Megisto cymela* 3 & 4

MONARCHS Subfamily Danainae

-Monarch *Danaus plexippus* 1-12
-Queen *Danaus gilippus* 1-12
-Soldier *Danaus eresimus* 3-12

SKIPPERS

Family Hesperidae

SPREAD-WING SKIPPERS Subfamily Pyrginae

-Silver-spotted Skipper *Epargyreus clarus* 2-12
-Long-tailed Skipper *Urbanus proteus* 1-12
-Dorantes Longtail *Urbanus dorantes* 1-12
-Southern Cloudywing *Thorybes bathyllus* 2-10
-Northern Cloudywing *Thorybes pylades* 3-9
-Confused Cloudywing *Thorybes confusus* 2-10 R
-Hayhurst's Scallopwing *Staphylus hayhurstii* 3-10 R
-Sleepy Duskywing *Erynnis brizo* 2 & 3
-Juvenal's Duskywing *Erynnis juvenalis* 2-4
-Horace's Duskywing *Erynnis horatius* 1-12
-Zarucco Duskywing *Erynnis zarucco* 1-11
-Common Checkered-Skipper *Pyrgus communis* 2-11
-White Checkered-Skipper *Pyrgus albescens* 2-11
-Tropical Checkered-Skipper *Pyrgus oileus* 1-12

GRASS-SKIPPERS Subfamily Hesperinae

-Swarthy Skipper *Nastra Iherminier* 2-11
-Neamathla Skipper *Nastra neamathla* 2-11
-Clouded Skipper *Lerema accius* 1-12
-Least Skipper *Ancyloxypha numitor* 1-11
-Southern Skipperling *Copaeodes minimus* 3-12
-Fiery Skipper *Hylephila phyleus* 1-12
-Dotted Skipper *Hesperia attalus* 3-11 R
-Meske's Skipper *Hesperia meskei* 5 & 6, 9 & 10 R
-Baracoa Skipper *Polites baracoa* 2-11 R

...Tawny-edged Skipper *Polites themistocles* 2-10
...Whirlabout *Polites vibex* 1-12
...Southern Broken-Dash *Wallengrenia otho* 3-11
...Northern Broken-Dash *Wallengrenia egeremet* 4-11
...Sachem *Atalopedes campestris* 2-12
...Arogos Skipper *Atrytone arogos* 3-11 R
...Delaware Skipper *Atrytone logan* 3-11
...Byssus Skipper *Problema byssus* 4-10
...Aaron's Skipper *Poanes aaroni* 2-4, 7-11
...Palmetto Skipper *Euphyes arpa* 3-5, 8-10
...Palatka Skipper *Euphyes pilatka* 3-10
...Duke's Skipper *Euphyes dukesi* 5-10 R
...Berry's Skipper *Euphyes berryi* 4 & 5, 8-10 R
...Dun Skipper *Euphyes vestris* 3-10
...Monk *Asbolis capucinus* 4-11
...Dusted Skipper *Atrytonopsis hianna* 3 & 4, 7-10 R
...Eufala Skipper *Lerodea eufala* 1-12
...Twin-spot Skipper *Oligoria maculata* 1-12
...Brazilian Skipper *Calpodes ethlius* 1-12
...Ocola Skipper *Panoquina ocola* 1-12

GIANT SKIPPERS Subfamily Megathyminae

...Yucca Giant-Skipper *Megathymus yuccae* 2-5 R
...Cofaqui Giant-Skipper *Megathymus cofaqui* 2 & 3, 8-10 R

TOTAL SPECIES:

NOTES continued

TOTAL INDIVIDUALS:

OBSERVERS:

FIELD NOTES:

R indicates butterfly is RARE in Polk County

Numbers 1-12 indicate butterfly flight months

Scientific nomenclature and English names follow
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