

ODONATES OF COLUMBIA COUNTY - 2019

Farmscape Ecology Program, includes a few species that we have not seen in the County but that others have reported; please contact us with new records, fep@hawthornevalleyfarm.org

Common Name	Family	Scientific Name	County Abundance (S1, S2 and S2/3 state rankings also included)
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DAMSELFLIES

American Rubyspot	Calopterygidae	<i>Hetaerina americana</i>	rare
Aurora Damselfly	Coenagrionidae	<i>Chromagrion conditum</i>	unusual
Azure Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma aspersum</i>	frequent
Big Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma durum</i>	unusual
Blue-fronted Dancer	Coenagrionidae	<i>Argia apicalis</i>	rare
Double-striped Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma basidens</i>	unusual
Eastern Forktail	Coenagrionidae	<i>Ischnura verticalis</i>	abundant
Eastern Red Damselfly	Coenagrionidae	<i>Amphiagrion saucium</i>	rare
Ebony Jewelwing	Calopterygidae	<i>Calopteryx maculata</i>	frequent
Familiar Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma civile</i>	occasional
Fragile Forktail	Coenagrionidae	<i>Ischnura posita</i>	abundant
Hagen's Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma hageni</i>	unusual
Marsh Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma ebrium</i>	rare
Northern Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma annexum</i>	rare
Orange Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma signatum</i>	occasional
Powdered Dancer	Coenagrionidae	<i>Argia moesta</i>	unusual
River Jewelwing	Calopterygidae	<i>Calopteryx aequabilis</i>	rare
Sedge Sprite	Coenagrionidae	<i>Nehalennia irene</i>	unusual
Skimming Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma geminatum</i>	unusual
Sphagnum Sprite	Coenagrionidae	<i>Nehalennia gracilis</i>	rare
Stream Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma exsulans</i>	occasional
Superb Jewelwing	Calopterygidae	<i>Calopteryx amata</i>	rare
Tule Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma carunculatum</i>	rare
Turquoise Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma divagans</i>	rare
Variable Dancer	Coenagrionidae	<i>Argia fumipennis</i>	frequent
Vesper Bluet	Coenagrionidae	<i>Enallagma vesperum</i>	rare

SPREADWINGS

Amber-winged Spreadwing	Lestidae	<i>Lestes eurinus</i>	unusual
Common Spreadwing	Lestidae	<i>Lestes disjunctus</i>	rare
Elegant Spreadwing	Lestidae	<i>Lestes inaequalis</i>	rare
Emerald Spreadwing	Lestidae	<i>Lestes dryas</i>	rare
Slender Spreadwing	Lestidae	<i>Lestes rectangularis</i>	frequent
Southern Spreadwing	Lestidae	<i>Lestes australis</i>	rare - S2/3
Spotted Spreadwing	Lestidae	<i>Lestes congener</i>	unusual
Swamp Spreadwing	Lestidae	<i>Lestes vigilax</i>	rare
Sweetflag Spreadwing	Lestidae	<i>Lestes forcipatus</i>	unusual

DRAGONFLIES

American Emerald	Corduliidae	<i>Cordulia shurtleffii</i>	unusual
Arrow Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Stylurus spiniceps</i>	rare
Ashy Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Gomphus lividus</i>	rare
Autumn Meadowhawk	Libellulidae	<i>Sympetrum vicinum</i>	rare
Banded Pennant	Libellulidae	<i>Celithemis fasciata</i>	rare
Band-winged Meadowhawk	Libellulidae	<i>Sympetrum semicinctum</i>	unusual
Beaverpond Baskettail	Corduliidae	<i>Epitheca canis</i>	rare
Belted Whiteface	Libellulidae	<i>Leucorrhinia proxima</i>	rare
Black Saddlebags	Libellulidae	<i>Tramea lacerata</i>	abundant
Black-shouldered Spinyleg	Gomphidae	<i>Dromogomphus spinosus</i>	rare
Black-tipped Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Aeshna tuberculifera</i>	unusual
Blue Dasher	Libellulidae	<i>Pachydiplax longipennis</i>	abundant
Boreal Snaketail	Gomphidae	<i>Ophiogomphus colubrinus</i>	rare - S1
Brook Snaketail	Gomphidae	<i>Ophiogomphus aspersus</i>	unusual
Brush-tipped Emerald	Corduliidae	<i>Somatochlora walshii</i>	rare
Calico Pennant	Libellulidae	<i>Celithemis elisa</i>	occasional
Canada Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Aeshna canadensis</i>	unusual
Chalk-fronted Coporal	Libellulidae	<i>Ladona julia</i>	unusual
Cherry-faced Meadowhawk	Libellulidae	<i>Sympetrum internum</i>	rare
Clamp-tipped Emerald	Corduliidae	<i>Somatochlora tenebrosa</i>	rare
Comet Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Anax longipes</i>	rare - S2/3
Common Baskettail	Corduliidae	<i>Epitheca cynosura</i>	occasional
Common Green Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Anax junius</i>	abundant
Common Whitetail	Libellulidae	<i>Plathemis lydia</i>	abundant
Delta-spotted Spiketail	Cordulegastridae	<i>Cordulegaster diastatops</i>	rare
Dot-tailed Whiteface	Libellulidae	<i>Leucorrhinia intacta</i>	occasional
Dragonhunter	Gomphidae	<i>Hagenius brevistylus</i>	rare
Dusky Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Phanogomphus spicatus</i>	rare
Eastern Amberwing	Libellulidae	<i>Perithemis tenera</i>	frequent
Eastern Pondhawk	Libellulidae	<i>Erythemis simplicicollis</i>	abundant
Fawn Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Boyeria vinosa</i>	rare
Four-spotted Skimmer	Libellulidae	<i>Libellula quadrimaculata</i>	rare
Frosted Whiteface	Libellulidae	<i>Leucorrhinia frigida</i>	rare
Green-striped Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Aeshna verticalis</i>	rare
Halloween Pennant	Libellulidae	<i>Celithemis eponina</i>	frequent
Harlequin Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Gomphaeschna furcillata</i>	rare
Harpoon Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Gomphus desertus</i>	rare
Illinois River Cruiser	Macromiidae	<i>Macromia illinoensis</i>	unusual
Kennedy's Emerald	Corduliidae	<i>Somatochlora kennedyi</i>	rare
Lancet Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Phanogomphus exilis</i>	unusual
Lance-tipped Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Aeshna constricta</i>	unusual
Least Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Stylogomphus albistylus</i>	unusual
Lilypad Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Arigomphus furcifer</i>	rare
Mocha Emerald	Corduliidae	<i>Somatochlora linearis</i>	rare - S2
Mustached Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Hylogomphus adelphus</i>	rare - S2/3
Northern Pygmy Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Lanthus parvulus</i>	rare
Painted Skimmer	Libellulidae	<i>Libellula semifasciata</i>	unusual
Prince Baskettail	Corduliidae	<i>Epitheca princeps</i>	rare

Racket-tailed Emerald	Corduliidae	<i>Dorocordulia libera</i>	rare
Red Meadowhawk	Libellulidae	<i>Sympetrum sp.</i>	frequent
Riffle Snaketail	Gomphidae	<i>Ophiogomphus carolus</i>	rare - S2/3
Ruby Meadowhawk	Libellulidae	<i>Sympetrum rubicundulum</i>	abundant
Russet-tipped Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Stylurus plagiatus</i>	rare - S1
Rusty Snaketail	Gomphidae	<i>Ophiogomphus rupinsulensis</i>	rare
Shadow Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Aeshna umbrosa</i>	unusual
Slatey Skimmer	Libellulidae	<i>Libellula incesta</i>	occasional
Southern Pygmy Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Lanthus vernalis</i>	rare - S1
Spangled Skimmer	Libellulidae	<i>Libellula cyanea</i>	unusual
Spatterdock Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Aeshna mutata</i>	rare - S2/3
Spine-crowned Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Hylogomphus abbreviatus</i>	rare - S1
Spot-winged Glider	Libellulidae	<i>Pantala hymenaea</i>	rare
Springtime Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Basiaeschna janata</i>	rare
Stream Cruiser	Macromiidae	<i>Didymops transversa</i>	rare
Swamp Darner	Aeshnidae	<i>Epiaeschna heros</i>	rare
Twelve-spotted Skimmer	Libellulidae	<i>Libellula pulchella</i>	abundant
Twin-spotted Spiketail	Cordulegastridae	<i>Cordulegaster maculata</i>	rare
Umber Shadowdragon	Corduliidae	<i>Neurocordulia obsoleta</i>	rare - S1
Unicorn Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Arigomphus villosipes</i>	rare
Wandering Glider	Libellulidae	<i>Pantala flavescens</i>	occasional
White-faced Meadowhawk	Libellulidae	<i>Sympetrum obtrusum</i>	rare
Widow Skimmer	Libellulidae	<i>Libellula luctuosa</i>	abundant
Zebra Clubtail	Gomphidae	<i>Stylurus scudderi</i>	rare

Habitat Key

larger creeks
smaller creeks
large rivers
rocky headwater streams
marshy wetlands
open ponds & lakes

These are crude habitat approximations; some species are more specific and some are more general.