

About the Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association

The Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association is made up of butterfly enthusiasts who enjoy observing butterflies and their behavior during field trips, attending lectures and classes, and working to conserve butterflies and their habitats.

The Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association is a chapter of the not-for-profit North American Butterfly Association (NABA). NABA is the largest group of people in North America interested in butterflies.

To join the Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association, simply join NABA. A membership form is included within this brochure. If you live in our NABA-designated zipcode area—places in south central Wisconsin with zipcodes beginning with the prefixes 535, 537, or 539—you are automatically part of our group when you join NABA. If you would like to join our chapter, but live in another zipcode area in Wisconsin, simply check the appropriate box on the membership form. We hope you will join the Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association!

Please visit our web site to learn more about the Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association: <http://www.naba.org/chapters/nabawba/index.html>
An easy way to find our web site is to use your favorite search engine and type in "SWBA butterflies."

SWBA: Everything Butterflies!

- Butterfly Watching • Butterfly Field Trips
- Butterfly Gardening • Butterfly Photography
- Butterfly Education (Meetings, Speakers Bureau)
- Butterfly Conservation
- Butterfly Monitoring and Reporting
- Butterfly Travel

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Our mission is to increase public enjoyment and conservation of butterflies.

Resources for Wisconsin Butterfly Enthusiasts

- *A checklist of butterflies of Pheasant Branch Conservancy (Middleton, WI): <http://dnr.wi.gov/files/PDF/pubs/ss/SS1012.pdf>*
- *Wisconsin Butterflies: <http://www.wisconsinbutterflies.org> Report your recent butterfly sightings here. This online field guide is packed with useful information. Created by member Mike Reese.*
- *NABA's sighting page for North America: <http://www.naba.org/sightings/sightings.html>*
- *NABA lists of host and nectar plants for west central Wisconsin and southwestern Wisconsin, a butterfly gardening pdf file, and more. <http://www.naba.org/pubs/bgh.html>*
- *Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association: <http://www.naba.org/chapters/nabawba/index.html> Find resources, programs, and field trips.*
- *NABA: <http://www.naba.org> Butterfly resources, an online store, and more.*
- *Butterflies through Binoculars. The East. Jeffrey Glassberg. Oxford Univ. Press, 1999.*
- *Caterpillars, Peterson First Guides. Amy Bartlett Wright. Houghton Mifflin Company. 1993.*

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Benefits of Joining NABA and the Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association

Members receive two magazines from NABA: *American Butterflies* and *Butterfly Gardener*, as well as e-newsletters from our local chapter, and the chance to:

- Attend field trips to the best butterfly spots in the state and butterfly gardens,
- Take part in annual butterfly counts and monitoring projects,
- Enjoy presentations on butterfly research and conservation in Wisconsin and other topics,
- Learn to identify butterflies and caterpillars,
- Travel to butterfly destinations,
- Learn how to attract butterflies to your yard by adding native plants and to keep them there by including food plants for caterpillars,
- Learn butterfly photography techniques.

In the lane as I came along just now I noticed one spot, ten feet square or so, where more than a hundred had collected, holding a revel, a gyration-dance, or butterfly good-time, winding and circling, down and across, but always keeping within the limits.... Butterflies and butterflies continue to flit to and fro, all sorts, white, yellow, brown, purple—now and then some gorgeous fellow flashing by on the wing like artists' palettes dabb'd with every color.

Walt Whitman, American poet

NABA/SWBA Membership Form

Join the North American Butterfly Association through the Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Assoc. Join by filling out this form and sending it along with your membership fee to the address below.

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-mail Address (for NABA business only):

(Note: Your e-mail address is important as the Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association sends its newsletter electronically.)

Phone (for NABA business only): _____

Special Interests (circle): Listing, Gardening, Observation, Photography, Conservation

Other: _____

Dues enclosed (circle): Regular \$35 (\$70 outside U.S., Canada or Mexico), Family \$45 (\$90 outside North America). Special sponsorship levels: Copper \$55; Skipper \$100, Admiral \$250, Monarch \$1000. Institution/Library subscription to all annual publications \$60 (\$100 outside U.S., Canada or Mexico). Special tax-deductible contributions to NABA (please circle): \$125, \$200, \$1000, \$5000. All dues and subscriptions are payable in U.S. dollars.

____ I live outside the Southern Wisconsin Butterfly Association's zipcode area (535__, 537__, 539__) but would like to join this chapter.

Mail to: NABA
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Morristown, NJ 07960

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Madison, WI 53704



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