

The Dragonflies and Damselflies of Cape May County, New Jersey

94 species

BROAD-WING DAMSELS

Zygoptera Calopterygidae

Sparkling Jewelwing

Calopteryx dimidiata

Ebony Jewelwing

Calopteryx maculata

American Rubyspot

Hetaerina americana

SPREADWINGS

Zygoptera Lestidae

Spotted Spreadwing

Lestes congener

Common Spreadwing

Lestes disjunctus

Amber-winged Spreadwing

Lestes eurinus

Sweetflag Spreadwing

Lestes forcipatus

Elegant Spreadwing

Lestes inaequalis

Slender Spreadwing

Lestes rectangularis

Lyre-tipped Spreadwing

Lestes unguiculatus

Swamp Spreadwing

Lestes vigilax

POND DAMSELS

Zygoptera Coenagrionidae

Eastern Red Damsel

Amphiagrion saucium

Seepage Dancer

Argia bipunctulata

Violet Dancer

Argia fumipennis

Blue-tipped Dancer

Argia tibialis

Aurora Damsel

Chromagrion conditum

Azure Bluet

Enallagma aspersum

Familiar Bluet

Enallagma civile

Attenuated Bluet

Enallagma daeckii

Turquoise Bluet

Enallagma divagans

Atlantic Bluet

Enallagma doubledayi

Big Bluet

Enallagma durum

Skimming Bluet

Enallagma geminatum

Scarlet Bluet

Enallagma pictum

Pine Barrens Bluet

Enallagma recurvatum

Orange Bluet

Enallagma signatum

Slender Bluet

Enallagma traviatum

Vesper Bluet

Enallagma vesperum

Blackwater Bluet

Enallagma weewa

Citrine Forktail

Ischnura hastata

Lilypad Forktail

Ischnura kellicotti

Fragile Forktail

Ischnura posita

Rambur's Forktail

Ischnura ramburii

Eastern Forktail

Ischnura verticalis

Sphagnum Sprite

Nehalennia gracilis

Southern Sprite

Nehalennia integricollis

DARNERS

Anisoptera Aeshnidae

Shadow Darner

Aeshna umbrosa

Common Green Darner

Anax junius

Comet Darner

Anax longipes

Springtime Darner

Basiaeschna janata

Fawn Darner

Boyeria vinosa

Swamp Darner

Epiaeschna heros

Taper-tailed Darner

Gomphaeschna antilope

Harlequin Darner

Gomphaeschna fuscillata

Cyrano Darner

Nasiaeschna pentacantha

CLUBTAILS

Anisoptera Gomphidae

Lancet Clubtail

Gomphus exilis

Dragonhunter

Hagenius brevistylus

Common Sanddragon

Progomphus obscurus

SPIKETAILES

Anisoptera Cordulegastridae

Delta-spotted Spiketail

Cordulegaster diastatops

Twin-spotted Spiketail

Cordulegaster maculata

CRUISERS

Anisoptera Macromiidae

Allegheny River Cruiser

Macromia alleghaniensis

“Georgia” River Cruiser

Macromia illinoiensis georgina

EMERALDS

Anisoptera Corduliidae

Petite Emerald

Dorocordulia lepida

Stripe-winged Baskettail

Epiheca costalis

Mantled Baskettail

Epiheca semiaquea

Uhler's Sundragon

Helocordulia uhleri

Fine-lined Emerald

Somatochlora filosa

Treetop Emerald

Somatochlora provocans

Clamp-tipped Emerald

Somatochlora tenebrosa

SKIMMERS

Anisoptera Libellulidae

Four-spotted Pennant

Brachymesia gravida

Calico Pennant

Celithemis elisa

Halloween Pennant

Celithemis eponina

Banded Pennant

Celithemis fasciata

Martha's Pennant

Celithemis martha

Double-ringed Pennant

Celithemis verna

Eastern Pondhawk

Erythemis simplicicollis

Seaside Dragonlet
Erythrodiplax berenice
Blue Corporal
Ladona deplanata
White Corporal
Ladona exusta
Bar-winged Skimmer
Libellula axilena
Spangled Skimmer
Libellula cyanea
Yellow-sided Skimmer
Libellula flavida
Slaty Skimmer
Libellula incesta
Widow Skimmer
Libellula luctuosa
Needham's Skimmer
Libellula needhami
Twelve-spotted Skimmer

Libellula pulchella
Painted Skimmer
Libellula semifasciata
Great Blue Skimmer
Libellula vibrans
Elfin Skimmer
Nannothemis bella
Blue Dasher
Pachydiplax longipennis
Wandering Glider
Pantala flavescens
Spot-winged Glider
Pantala hymenaea
Eastern Amberwing
Perithemis tenera
Common Whitetail
Plathemis lydia
Blue-faced Meadowhawk
Sympetrum ambiguum

Variegated Meadowhawk
Sympetrum corruptum
Cherry-faced Meadowhawk
Sympetrum internum
White-faced Meadowhawk
Sympetrum obtrusum
Ruby Meadowhawk
Sympetrum rubicundulum
Yellow-legged Meadowhawk
Sympetrum vicinum
Striped Saddlebags
Tramea calverti
Carolina Saddlebags
Tramea carolina
Black Saddlebags
Tramea lacerata
Red Saddlebags
Tramea onusta

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