

Dues

Household Membership \$15

Dues:Yearly membership dues start in March. Dues may be paid at any meeting or sent to the treasurer. The dues form is available on our web page.

Officers and Directors

Karl Gardner	President (610-987-3281)
Carol Welsh	Vice President
Jan Schaefer	Secretary
Carol Welsh	(Treasurer)

For more information on our programs and field trips visit

“<http://www.lancasterbutterfly.org>”

This brochure is available at this web page.

LANCASTER BUTTERFLY & ENTOMOLOGICAL CLUB

The **Lancaster Butterfly and Entomological Club** was founded in 1997.

The purpose of the club is to study butterflies and other insects and to share that information at our meetings. Catch the enthusiasm and attend our lively club meetings. If you choose to join the club, membership dues are \$15 per household. For more information see phone and email below.

The Society meets once a month from March through September at the Lower Exhibit Level of the North Museum of Natural History & Science. Usually the first Monday of the month, but the second Monday of the month in September and in July when the Fourth of July holiday causes the Museum to be closed on the first Monday. We also sponsor field trips.

The public is welcome to all activities.

For Club information 610-987-3281
(berksbutterflies@gmail.com).

In case of inclement weather you may call about cancellation.

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**Meets at the Lower Exhibit Level of the
North Museum of
Natural History & Science**

Located at 400 College Avenue at
Buchanan Avenue, Lancaster, PA 17603.

Programs & Field Trips 2026

Public Welcome

(All meetings and field trips are open to the public and are free.)

- ✓ Monthly Meetings with Lecture
- ✓ Field Trips for Butterflies, etc.
- ✓ Show & Tell plus Members' Night for your participation
- ✓ A place to meet other people interested in the natural world

2026 MEETING DATES

March No Mtg, April 6, May 4,
June 1, July 6, August 3,
September 7, October 5.
All Mondays

**Check our Field Trips
All child friendly!**

Programs for 2026

Programs begin at 6:30 pm
at the Planetarium of the
North Museum of Natural History & Science
Non-members welcome.

March (No meeting this year.) Monday 7:00 PM

April 6, 2026 Monday 7:00 PM
"Meadow Tramping" by member and former
president, Fred Habegger. Fred will tell us about the
making of the wildflower meadows at Middle Creek at
the Visitors Center and at Willow Point, so there will be
butterflies and wildflowers to enjoy!

May 4, 2026 Monday 7:00 PM
"Program to be Announced" by

June 1, 2026 Monday 7:00 PM
"Program to be Announced" by

July 6, 2026
"Program to be Announced" by

August 3, 2026
"Program to be Announced" by

September 7, 2026
"Program to be Announced" by

October 5, 2026
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Field Trips for 2026

Non-members welcome.

Trips are listed here and on the Club web page. You
may call the leader, Fred Habegger, at
suissefred@gmail.com or 717-859- 2521 to confirm a
trip or for other information including weather
cancellation status. Non-members welcome. Free.

June 27, 2026 Saturday 1:00 PM
"Furnace Hills Fourth of July Butterfly Count" We
will meet at 10:00 AM at the Warwick Municipal and
rail trail parking lot near Lititz. This is part of the
North American Butterfly Association's Fourth of July
Butterfly Count program. A \$3.00 fee is required
which goes to NABA. Leader and compiler Fred
Habegger (Weather/cancelation or questions:
717-859-2521). Non-members welcome.

July 11, 2026 Saturday 10:00 AM
"The 27th Annual Holtwood Fourth of July
Butterfly Count" Meet at the Muddy Run Park
visitor's center at 10 AM. \$3.00 fee required which
goes to NABA. Leader, compiler: Fred Habegger
(Weather/cancelation info. 717-859-2521).
Address: 172 Bethesda Church Rd W, Holtwood, PA.
Non-members welcome.

August 15, 2026 Saturday 10:00 AM
"Furnace Hills Rerun Butterfly Count" Meet at 10
AM at Middle Creek WMA Visitor's center. No fee.
Leader: Fred Habegger (Weather/cancelation info.
717-859-2521) August is the prime month to see
numbers of butterflies. Non-members welcome. Last
year 37 species were seen at this Butterfly Count by
four participants.