

Summary of Butterfly Observations for Cimarron National Grassland

Observations made by Ed Rothwell
Summary generated on **April 22, 2025**

16 total observations made of 13 species from 4 families.
Date range shows earliest and latest observations, regardless of year

Pieridae (3 species observed)

- *Colias eurytheme* (Orange sulphur) (1): (Sep 20)
- *Colias philodice* (Clouded sulphur) (1): (Sep 20)
- *Nathalas iole* (Dainty sulphur) (2): (Sep 20)

Lycaenidae (3 species observed)

- *Brephidium exilis* (Western pygmy blue) (1): (Sep 20)
- *Echinargus isola* (Reakirt's blue) (1): (Sep 20)
- *Strymon melinus* (Gray hairstreak) (2): (Sep 20)

Nymphalidae (5 species observed)

- *Chlosyne gorgone* (Gorgone checkerspot) (1): (Sep 20)
- *Danaus plexippus* (Monarch) (2): (Sep 20)
- *Euptoietia claudia* (Variegated fritillary) (1): (Sep 20)
- *Phyciodes picta* (Painted crescent) (1): (Sep 20)
- *Vanessa cardui* (Painted lady) (1): (Sep 20)

Hesperiidae (2 species observed)

- *Pholisora catullus* (Common sootywing) (1): (Sep 20)
- *Pyrgus communis* (Common checkered-skipper) (1): (Sep 20)