

# Summary of Butterfly Observations for Lake Lansing Park North

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Observations made by Ed Rothwell  
Summary generated on **January 30, 2026**

67 total observations made during 7 visits of 33 species from 5 families.  
Date range shows earliest and latest observations, regardless of year

## Papilionidae (2 species observed)

- *Papilio glaucus* (Eastern tiger swallowtail) (3): (Jul 30 - Aug 23)
- *Papilio troilus* (Spicebush swallowtail) (1): (Aug 20)

## Pieridae (2 species observed)

- *Colias philodice* (Clouded sulphur) (2): (Jun 25 - Jul 30)
- *Pieris rapae* (Cabbage white) (4): (Jun 25 - Aug 23)

## Lycaenidae (4 species observed)

- *Everes comyntas* (Eastern tailed-blue) (4): (Jun 1 - Aug 23)
- *Lycaena hyllus* (Bronze copper) (1): (Aug 20)
- *Lycaena phlaeas* (American copper) (3): (Jun 1 - Aug 23)
- *Satyrium Calanus* (Banded hairstreak) (1): (Jun 25)

## Nymphalidae (13 species observed)

- *Cercyonis pegala* (Common wood-nymph) (3): (Jul 30 - Aug 23)
- *Coenonympha tullia* (Common ringlet) (4): (Jun 1 - Aug 23)
- *Danaus plexippus* (Monarch) (2): (Jul 30 - Aug 23)
- *Euphydryas phaeton* (Baltimore checkerspot) (1): (Jun 25)
- *Junonia coenia* (Common buckeye) (1): (Aug 20)
- *Limenitis archippus* (Viceroy) (4): (Jun 25 - Aug 23)
- *Megisto cymela* (Little wood-satyr) (1): (Jun 25)
- *Nymphalis antiopa* (Mourning cloak) (2): (Apr 11 - Jun 1)
- *Phyciodes cocyta* (Northern crescent) (2): (Jun 1 - Jun 25)
- *Phyciodes tharos* (Pearl crescent) (2): (Jun 1 - Jul 30)
- *Polygonia comma* (Eastern comma) (1): (Apr 26)

- *Satyrodes eurydice* (Eyed brown) (2): (Jun 25 - Aug 20)
- *Speyeria cybele* (Great spangled fritillary) (1): (Aug 23)

### **Hesperiidae (12 species observed)**

- *Ancyloxypha numitor* (Least skipper) (4): (Jun 25 - Aug 23)
- *Carterocephalus palaemon* (Arctic skipper) (1): (Jun 1)
- *Epargyreus clarus* (Silver-spotted skipper) (3): (Jun 1 - Aug 23)
- *Euphyes vestris* (Dun skipper) (1): (Jul 30)
- *Hylephila phyleus* (Fiery skipper) (1): (Jul 30)
- *Pholisora catullus* (Common sootywing) (1): (Aug 20)
- *Poanes hobomok* (Hobomok skipper) (2): (Jun 1 - Jun 25)
- *Poanes massasoit* (Mulberry wing) (1): (Jul 30)
- *Poanes viator* (Broad-winged skipper) (1): (Jul 30)
- *Polites peckius* (Peck's skipper) (4): (Jun 1 - Aug 23)
- *Polites themistocles* (Tawny-edged skipper) (2): (Jun 1 - Jul 30)
- *Thymelicus lineola* (European skipper) (1): (Jun 25)