

Butterflies of Wareham









Spring Azure Celastrina ladon

Wingspan: about 1 inch

Color:

Males - bright blue Females - darker blue with black Frontwing margin

Favorite plant: Low-bush Blueberry

Common habitat: Garden

Where in Wareham: Anywhere!
Especially Marks Cove
Conservation Area, Great Neck
Conservation Area, and Douglas S.
Westgate Conservation Area

Eastern Pine Elfin Callophyrs niphon

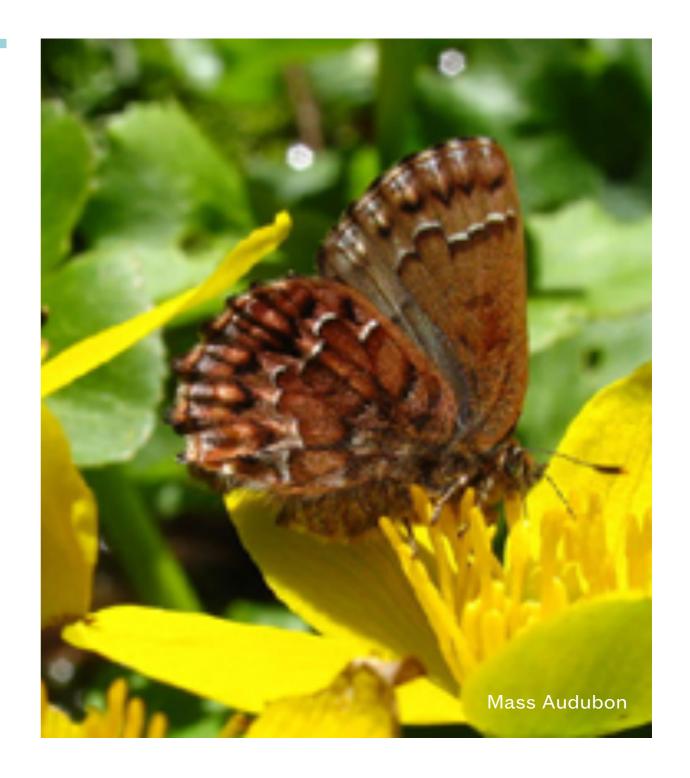
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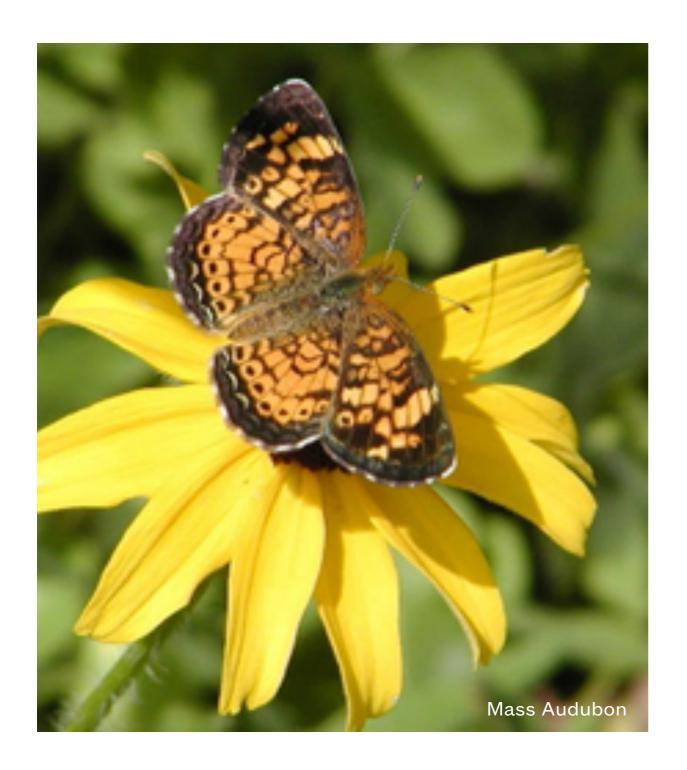
Color: Brown/Orange with boldly patterned hindwing with blackish bands crossing the veins

Favorite Plant: White Pine

Common habitat: Woodland Edge/ Shrub Border

Where in Wareham: Douglas S. Westgate Conservation Area





Pearl Crescent Phyciodes tharos

Wingspan: 1 - 11/2 inches

Color: Orange and Black

Common Habitat: Meadows and Fields

Where in Wareham: Tweedy and

Barnes

Cabbage White Pieris rapae

Wingspan: 11/4 - 17/8 inches

Color: White with dusky forewing tips

Common Habitat: Garden

Where in Wareham: Anywhere!
Especially Marks Cove Conservation
Area and Douglas S. Westgate
Conservation Area





Monarch

Danaus plexippus

Wingspan: 3 1/2 - 4 inches

Color: Orange with prominent black veins and border and white spots

Favorite Plant: Butterfly Weed

Common Habitat: Garden

Where in Wareham: Anywhere! Especially in backyard gardens and Douglas S. Westgate Conservation Area