

1ST OHIO REPTILE RESEARCH & CONSERVATION CONFERENCE

8 March 2006. Ohio Historical Center, Columbus, Ohio
Sponsored by the Ohio Division of Wildlife & the Ohio Biological Survey



PROGRAM SCHEDULE

8:00	Registration & Setup
9:00	Welcoming Remarks Guy Denny, Director, Ohio Biological Survey.
9:10	Ohio's Massasauga Doug Wynn, Westerville North High School, Westerville, Ohio.
9:30	Conservation Genetics of Massasauga Rattlesnakes H. Lisle Gibbs, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.
9:50	Copper-bellied Watersnake Conservation: Shallow and Complex Thoughts Bruce Kingsbury, Indiana-Purdue University, Fort Wayne, Indiana.
10:10	Break and Poster Viewing
10:40	The Lake Erie Watersnake (<i>Nerodia sipedon insularum</i>): Research, Recovery, and Outreach of a Federally Listed Species Kristin Stanford, Northern Illinois University, Dekalb, Illinois.
11:00	Status and Distribution of the Eastern Fox Snake in Ohio Kent Bekker, The Toledo Zoo, Toledo, Ohio and Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio.
11:20	The Plains Garter Snake Recovery Program at Killdeer Plains Wildlife Area: A Chronological Account Doug Wynn ¹ & Norm Reichenbach ² ¹ Westerville North High School, Westerville, Ohio; ² Liberty University, Lynchburg, Virginia.
11:40	Lunch and Poster Viewing
1:10	Tracking the Habitat Use and Survival of Blanding's Turtles: Does this Species Have a Future in Ohio? Daniel R. Petit ¹ , Hugh R. Quinn ² , Jeanne Fromm ¹ , & Richard Spence ¹ ¹ Cleveland Metroparks; ² Cleveland Metroparks Zoo, Cleveland, Ohio.
1:30	Genetic Origins of the Ouachita Map Turtle, <i>Graptemys ouachatus</i>, in the Scioto River Willem M. Roosenburg, Kimberly Blahnick, & Matthew White, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio.
1:50	Distribution and Conservation of the Spotted Turtle in Northern Ohio Gregory Lipps, Delta, Ohio.
2:10	Habitat Use of Two Native Turtle Species in the Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge D. Ryan Argo, University of Toledo, Toledo, Ohio.
2:30	Break and Poster Viewing
3:00	Photodocumentation: Recognizing the Value of Your Photographs of Herps Jeff Davis, The Ohio Frog and Toad Calling Survey, Hamilton, Ohio.
3:20	A Herpetological Survey of the Otto Armleder Memorial Park and the Elstun-Motz Tract: Two Recently Aquired Hamilton County Park Distric Parcels Along the Little Miami River Floodplain in Hamilton County, Ohio Paul Krusling, Scott High School, Covington, Kentucky and Cincinnati Museum Center, Cincinnati, Ohio.
3:40	Touchstone Energy Environmental Education Joe Settles, East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Winchester, Kentucky.
4:00	Partners in Amphibian and Reptile Conservation (PARC) Bruce Kingsbury, Co-chair, PARC Midwest Working Group.