



15 May 2014

Dear Oklahoma Oders,

Just a quick update to let you know two *very important* items relating to Oklahoma Odonata....

1) We have four new people to add to our ever-growing community of ode enthusiasts across the state. So, please join me in welcoming Randy Kelley, Ruth Cole, Ruth Mills, and Abigail Mills. Welcome!!

and

2) The state list is now at 162! The list went up by one on 9 May, when I found a male Black Setwing (*Dythemis nigrescens*) at Altus city lake in Jackson County. See the Odonata Central link:

[http://www.odonatacentral.org/index.php/SubmissionAction.get/submission\\_id/422099](http://www.odonatacentral.org/index.php/SubmissionAction.get/submission_id/422099)

I gotta run, but I'll try to send a more detailed update next week, as there have been some really good records lately. For example, a Double-ringed Pennant (*Celithemis verna*) that Jim Arterburn found in Wagoner County

([http://www.odonatacentral.org/index.php/SubmissionAction.get/submission\\_id/422055](http://www.odonatacentral.org/index.php/SubmissionAction.get/submission_id/422055)). Jim's photo, of a female, illustrates why the species is named as it is.

Have a good weekend looking for odonates,

Yours truly,

Brenda (Bee)