2025 ANNUAL DINNER WITH JESSICALINTON

Mottled Duskywing

Proceeds for this event support the ECFNC Heritage Fund.
The Heritage Fund Committee studies, selects and raises funds to acquire significant natural areas in Essex County. Properties are not owned by the club, organizations such as Ontario Nature and Nature Conservancy are assisted by the fund when they make a purchase

Jessica Linton - Senior Biologist and Project Manager at Natural Resource Solutions Inc.

Jessica Linton is responsible for the oversight of the Species at Risk Sector, managing a wide range of projects that emcompass natural area inventories, scientific research, recovery planing and impact assessments. She is a member of the Committee on the Status of Endangered Wildlife in Canada (COSEWIC) Anthropod species Specialist Subcommittee and Chair of the Ontario Butterfly Species at Risk Recovery Team.

Jessica will provide an overview of the work the Ontario Butterfly Species at Risk Recovery Team has been doing since the filming of "Butterflies on the Brink: the story of the mottled duskywing". This will inloude an update on the mottled duskywing reintroduction program at Pinery Provincial Park, a new reintroduction program in Norfolk County, and other projects and species the team is focusing efforts on, inlouding the reintroductions of Frosted Elfin back to Canada after is extirpation in the late 1980s.

Film "Butterflies on the Brink" will be screened at the members meeting August 13, 2025 7:00PM Ojibway Nature Centre

November 8 2025

St. Mary's Hall

12016 Talbot St. Maidstone, ON

Doors: 5:00PM Dinner: 6:00PM Speaker: 7:30PM Tickets: \$50

Silent Auction/cash bar