

Additional Resources from Pat Sutton  
*Ferocious Dragons and Dainty Damsels*  
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★ *Field Guide to Dragonflies and Damselflies of New Jersey*, by Allen E. Barlow, David M. Golden, and Jim Bangma. Conserve Wildlife Foundation of New Jersey, 2009. At last, a guide to NJ's odes. One of NJ Audubon's bookstores may have a copy for sale (book NOT available from Conserve Wildlife Foundation of NJ as of 2021). Order on line:

<http://www.conservewildlifenj.org/store/books/>

★ *Dragonflies and Damselflies of the East* (companion book for the West also available), by Dennis Paulson. Princeton University Press, 2011. If you are keen to learn the dragonflies and damselflies, this field guide is a must.

★ *Damselflies of the Northeast*, by Ed Lam. Biodiversity Books, 2004. Beautifully written and illustrated by Ed Lam.

★ *Beginner's Guide to Dragonflies*, by Blair Nikula, Jackie Sones, Donald & Lillian Stokes. Little, Brown and Company, 2002. Excellent natural history of dragonflies and solid foundation for identification.

★ *Pond Life (Revised & Updated), A Guide to Common Plants and Animals of North American Ponds and Lakes*. Golden Nature Guide, 1967 (2001 revised & updated edition). Great book to help you ID the many other critters that may be attracted to a wildlife pond, like Backswimmers, Water Striders, Water Boatman, water beetles, and much more.

★ WEBSITES:

★ Northeast Odonata FACEBOOK page: great way to see what others are seeing; can post photos for ID help

★ Odonata Central: [www.odonatacentral.org/](http://www.odonatacentral.org/)

★ New Jersey Odes (archived site developed by Jim Bangma and based on Allen Barlow's data. As of 2021: "It has not been updated for several years, except for the range maps which are updated periodically using data from Odonata Central." <http://njodes.org/>

★ Migratory Dragonfly Partnership: [www.migratorydragonflypartnership.org](http://www.migratorydragonflypartnership.org)

★ Email Pat at [patclaysutton@comcast.net](mailto:patclaysutton@comcast.net) to get a copy of her 2-sided "Wildlife Pond" handout.

★ Visit Pat's website to get a copy of her 3-page "Gardening for Pollinators" handout:

<http://www.patsuttonwildlifegarden.com/gardening-for-pollinators/>

★ Visit Pat's website to sign up for "Pat Sutton's Gardening Gang" to receive e-mailed alerts about native plant sales and nurseries, Wildlife garden tips, nature notes, fun natural history opportunities, dates when I am presenting programs or garden tours, etc.:

<http://www.patsuttonwildlifegarden.com/>