

Certificate of Appreciation

Elm Fork Chapter Presidents

2000 - 2015



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Alex Lieban — 2008

Dave Rowley — 2007

Jan Hodson — 2006

Dave Rowley — 2005

Karen Mangham — 2004

Karen Mangham — 2003

Karen Mangham — 2002

Ben Tyler — 2001

Ben Tyler — 2000

If your actions inspire others to dream, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader.



John Quincy Adams

A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way.

John C. Maxwell



People ask the difference between a leader and a boss. The leader leads, and the boss drives.

Theodore Roosevelt



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As **Elm Fork Chapter** begins a new year with a new president, I believe it is appropriate that we recognize and voice our profound gratitude to the women and men who have served in this position. Each presidency has had its own challenges, but each past president has met those challenges with pride in our organization, trust in our members, and diligence in their service. If given the opportunity, shake their hand and thank them for helping **Elm Fork Chapter** grow and accomplish so many worthy goals for our chapter and in our community throughout our formative years and into a maturing future. Thank you all for your service and leadership — Editor, Naturalist News

What is the official insect of Texas?

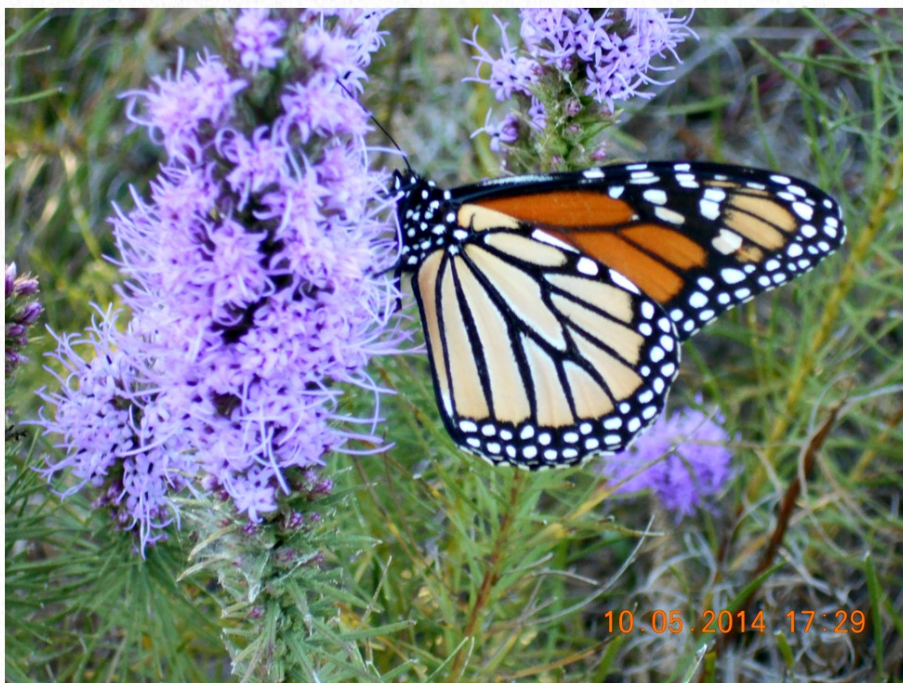


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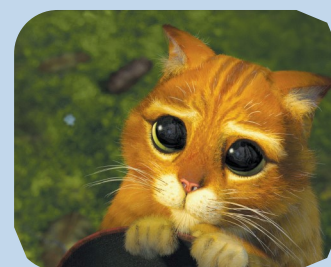
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Elm Fork Chapter always curious



Monarch on Gayfeather (*Liatris mucronata*)—Dorothy Thetford

That's right, the Monarch Butterfly *Danaus plexippus*. In fact, the Monarch is the official insect of seven states; and further, 26 states claim a butterfly as their official state insect! See complete list at: http://www.ask.com/wiki/List_of_U.S._state_insects



Naturalist News editor comes with hat in hand asking for your participation.

P L E A S E! This newsletter is for you and should be by you!





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*Be like the bird, who halting in his flight on limb too slight,
feels it give way beneath him, yet sings knowing he
hath wings.*

- Victor Hugo

Monthly Chapter Meetings

9:30 a.m. preceded by a social time at 9:00 a.m. on the third Thursday of each month. Chapter meetings are open to the public.

Next Meeting February 19, 2015 — Annual Awards

Meeting on March 19, 2015 — Bob Mione on Connemara Conservancy

Location: Joseph A. Carroll Bldg., 401 W. Hickory Street, Denton, TX
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Board Meetings

The Board meets each second Thursday of the month at 9:30 a.m. The Board last met February 12, 2015. Next monthly meeting March 12, 2015

Board meetings are open to members.