

Miami Blue Chapter Homestead Counts for 2026

	5/23/2026													Totals for the day
	Team 1			Team 2			Team 3							
	TREC	OB	Castellow	Modello	Navy Wells	ENP Coe	Hammer Residence	Fuch's Hammock Outside Gate	Fuch's Hammock Inside Gate	Lucky Hammock	Rocky Glades	Homestead A/P 28701 SW 304th St.		
Swallowtails:														
Polydamas Swallowtail			6				2						8	
Giant Swallowtail		1	3				3			1			8	
Palamedes Swallowtail										6	1	1	8	
Whites and Sulphurs:														
Checkered White				1								3	4	
Great Southern White	3	1	1	1	4		1	1		17	3	3	35	
Cloudless Sulphur			2		1								3	
Orange-barred Sulphur		1	1										2	
Large Orange Sulphur	4	3	4	1		1	1			3			17	
Statira Sulphur							5						5	
Pink-spot Sulphur				8			8						16	
Lyside Sulphur							4						4	
Barred Yellow	5	1			2					10		2	20	
Dina Yellow		29					3						32	
Dainty Sulphur	25	3		3	6			6		25	12	1,500	1,580	
Hairstreaks:														
Mallow Scrub-Hairstreak	7	1			2			2				1	13	
Fulvous Hairstreak	6	1	2		1								10	
Blues:														
Cassius Blue	4		2	6			4		1	8			25	
Ceraunus Blue	6	2	2		40		1			29		30	110	

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Grass Skippers:													
Three-Spotted Skipper	1	1											2
Fiery Skipper		3						1				2	6
Baracoa Skipper	9	15			5								29
Southern Broken-Dash					1								1
Monk Skipper	1	1					3						5
Unidentified:													
Skipper Species	1												1
Blue Species										1			1
White Species												2	2
Totals:													
Individuals	91	95	41	21	67	3	60	12	11	274	21	1,544	2,240
Species													37

May 23, 2026

Homestead, FL. Yr. 23, 25.4813°, 25.4833°, -80.5°, center at jct. of Richard Rd, and SW Avocado Dr. See 2003 report (late counts) for habitats.
23 May 2026; 0845-1500 hrs. sun AM 76-100%, 82-90°F; wind 0-5 mph; PM clouds 20%, wind 5 mph; 18 observers in 3 parties.
Total party-hours & miles on foot: Team 1: 6 hrs, 3 mi; Team 2: 3.5 hrs, 4 mi; Team 3: 6 hrs, 4 mi.
Observers 18: Team 1: L. Evans, S. Sutherland, A. Grimm, C. Martin, A. Roda; Team 2: M. Salvato, H. Salvato; Team 3: D. Olle, E. Golden, A. Skowronski, M. Avello, M. Porras, K. Allman, P. Allman, J. Barros, F. Macia, N. Renouf, V. Valdes.

Additional Notes:	Roger Hammers: 11 Polydamas caterpillars, 1 pink-spot ovipositing, 1 pink-spot egg, lysides seen ovipositing, 9 atala caterpillars, 4 atala pupae and 6 zebra caterpillars.
	Fuch's Hammock: 1 gulf fritillary inside gate and one checkered white butterfly taken by a dragonfly.
	Lucky Hammock: 2 monarch's mating, 2 monarch caterpillars and 4 monarch eggs.