



Tools for Outreach: Native Freshwater Mussels & Zebra Mussels



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Preface

Thank you for using this "new" *Tools for Outreach*! The Freshwater Mollusk Conservation Society is happy to provide users with a meaningful resource they can use to reach their goals in educating audiences about mussels, invasive species, and the aquatic world in general.

Since the initial release in January 2001, this has been a dynamic document, reflective of the many new and excellent web pages, posters, pamphlets and articles prepared for the purpose of raising people's sensitivity about the beauty and wonder that are freshwater mussels. We will continue to append this as new materials become available.

In the meantime, our direction to users remains the same: Be Persistent! If something is no longer available, there are default resources in other sections, which may be adequate substitutes. Use the FMCS web site:

http://ellipse.inhs.uiuc.edu/FMCS/index.html as the powerful tool it is for locating information, people, and necessary materials.

Lastly, the outreach committee welcomes your feedback and additions to continue to make this the best tool possible. Please direct comments to:

FMCS OUTREACH COMMITTEE Kurt Welke Wis. DNR 3911 Fish Hatchery Road Fitchburg, WI 53711 608-273-5946 kurt.welke@dnr.state.wi.us



Booklets and Brochures

Subject: Endangered mussel species

Title: "Winged Maple leaf Mussel and Higgins Eye

Pearly Mussel: Freshwater Mussels Threatened

with Extinction"

Source: Environmental Protection Agency, Minnesota

and Wisconsin Departments of Natural Resources, and U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Contact: Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Address: MN DNR Information Center

500 Lafayette Rd.

St. Paul, MN 55155-4040

Phone: 651/296-6157 or 888/ MINNDNR

Notes: Free

www.dnr.state.mn.us/ecological_services/pubs_aquatics.html

Subject: Mussel species field guide- Northeast "New England's Freshwater Mussels"

Source: U.S. Fish & Wildlife
Contact: New England Field Office
Address: 70 Commercial St., Suite 300

Concord, NH 03301

Phone: 603/223-2541

Email: FW5ES_NEFO@fws.gov

Notes: Free

Subject: **Mussel species field guide - Northeast**Title: "Freshwater mussels of the Chesapeake and

Ohio Canal National Historical Park"

Source: Chesapeake & Ohio Canal National Hist, Park

Contact: Natural Resource Specialist

Address: Chesapeake & Ohio Canal National Hist. Park

P.O. Box 4

Sharpsburg, MD 21782

Phone: 301/739-4200

Subject: Mussel conservation

Title: "Poached Mussels – A recipe for Trouble"
Source: Ohio Department of Natural Resources

Address: Division of Wildlife 1840 Belcher Dr.

Columbus, OH 43224

Phone: 614/265-6300 or 800/WILDLIFE

Notes: Free

Subject: Mussel species field guide - Midwest

Title: "Freshwater Mussels of the Upper Mississippi

River"

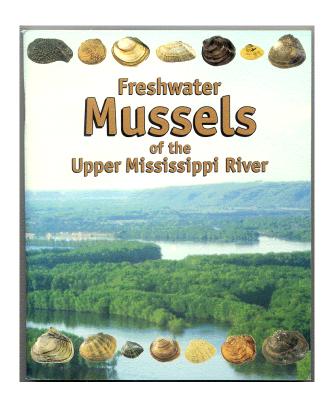
Source: Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

Contact: Bob Hay Address: WI DNR

> 101 South Webster St. Madison, WI 53703

Phone: 608/267-0849

Email: Robert.Hay@dnr.state.wi.us
Notes: Free (limited quantities)



Subject: Mussel conservation

Title: "Help Save America's Pearly Mussels"

Source: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service & Virginia Tech.

Contact: Nancy Cole Address: 160 Zillicoa Street

Asheville, NC 28801

Phone: 828/258-3939

Notes: Free. Includes a dichotomous key to 10

mollusks of the Ohio River drainage. For use

by middle and high school students.

www.ext.vt.edu/pubs/fisheries/420-014/420-014.html

Contacts

Note: In most states, responsibility for mussels rests with the state natural resources agency such as the Game and Fish Commission, Department of Conservation, etc. Generally, within these agencies it is the fisheries bureau or the endangered resources bureau which has the expertise on mussel resources. Inquiries directed to these entities will usually result in being directed to the correct person or people.

The Freshwater Mollusk Conservation Society (FMCS) maintains an active membership directory of specialists who work with virtually all aspects of freshwater mussels. http://www.inhs.uiuc.edu/cbd/main/collections/mollusk _links/uniopeoplelist.html

Contact: **FMCS President**

Dr. G. Thomas Watters

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> Aquatic Ecology Lab Ohio State Univ. 1315 Kinnear Rd. Columbus, OH 43212

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> 312 South Allen St., Suite 322 State College, PA 16801

Phone: 814/234-4090

Robert_M_Anderson@fws.gov E-mail:

Contact: **FMCS Secretary**

Rita Billella

Address: **US** Geological Survey

> Leetown Science Center Kearneysville, WV 25430

304/724-4472

E-mail: rita villela@usgs.gov

Contact: **FMCS** Treasurer

Phone:

Heidi L. Dunn

Address: Ecological Specialists Inc.

114 Algana Court

St. Peters, MO 63376

Phone: 314/447-5355

E-mail: ecologists@aol.com

FMCS Awards Contact:

W. Gregory Cope

Address: North Carolina State

Dept. of Environ. And Molecular Toxicology

Raleigh, NC 27695

E-mail: greg cope@ncsu.edu Contact: **FMCS Environmental Quality and Affairs**

Patricia Morrison

Address: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Ohio River Island NWR

P.O. Box 1811

Parkersburg, WV 26102 patricia_morrison@fws.gov

FMCS Gastropod Status and Distribution Contact:

Paul D. Johnson

Tennessee Aquatic Research Institute Address:

> 5385 Red Clay Rd. Cohutta, GA 30710

E-mail: pdi@tnaqua.org

E-mail:

Contact: **FMCS Mussel Status and Distribution**

Kevin Roe

Address: Delaware Museum of Natural History

4840 Kennett Pike, P.O. Box 3937

Wilmington, DE 19807

E-mail: kroe@delmnh.org

Contact: **FMCS Guidelines and Techniques**

John Van Hassel

American Electric Power Address:

> 1 Riverside Plaza Columbus, OH 43216

E-mail: jhvanhassel@aep.com

Contact: **FMCS Commercial**

Steve Ahlstedt

Address: U.S. Geological Survey

> 1820 Midpark Dr. Knoxville, TN 37828

ahlstedt@usgs.gov E-mail:

Contact: **FMCS Information Exchange**

Kevin S. Cummings

Illinois Natural History Survey Address:

> 607 E. Peabody Dr. Champaign, IL 61820

217/333-1623 Phone:

E-mail: ksc@inhs.uiuc.edu

Contact: FMCS Outreach and Symposium

Kurt Welke

Address: 3911 Fish Hatchery Rd.

Fitchburg, WI 53711

Kurt.Welke@dnr.state.wi.us E-mail:

FMCS Propagation, Restoration, and Contact:

Introduction

Jess Jones

Virginia Tech. Address:

606 Broce Dr.

Blacksburg, VA 24060

E-mail: vtaquaculture@hotmail.com

Displays/ Exhibits

Subject: Freshwater Mussel Conservation Society

Display

Source: Freshwater Mussel Conservation Society

Contact: Kurt Welke Address: Wisconsin DNR

3911 Fish Hatchery Rd. Fitchburg, WI 53711

Phone: 608/273-5946

E-mail: Kurt.Welke@dnr.state.wi.us

Notes: 10' wide x 8' tall traveling exhibit

Subject: Mussel biology and conservation

Title: "Freshwater Mussels – Life History, Threats,

& Recovery Efforts"

Source: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Contact: Patsy Hunsucker Address: 160 Zillicoa Street

Asheville, NC 28801 Phone: 828/258-3939 ext. 221

Notes: 10 foam-core panels and 2 dioramas.

Subject: History of mussel use

Title: "A History of Freshwater Mussel Uses"

Source: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Contact: Patsy Hunsucker Address: 160 Zillicoa Street

Asheville, NC 28801

Phone: 828/258-3939 ext. 221 Notes: Cannot be mailed, a 2' x 2' x 3' diorama.

Subject: Freshwater mussel conservation

Title: "Freshwater Mussels: Canaries in a Coal

Mine"

Source: Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks

Address: 1020 S. Kansas Ave., Suite 200

Topeka, KS 66612

Phone: 785/296-2281

Notes: 6 panels of mussel information + 5 panels of

mussel specimens.

Subject: Mussel conservation – Southeast
Title: "Bountiful Rivers of the Southeast"

Source: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Contact: Robert Butler Address: 160 Zillicoa Street

Asheville, NC 28801

Phone: 828/258-3939 ext. 235

Notes: Permanent exhibit at the Tennessee Aquarium

Subject: Freshwater Mussel Exhibit

Source: Ohio River Museum Address: 601 Front Street

Marieta, OH 45750

Phone: 740/373-3750

Notes: Permanent exhibit at museum

Subject: Freshwater Mussel Exhibit

Title: "Ohio Mussels"

Source: Columbus Zoo & Aquarium

Contact: Doug Warmolts

Address: Columbus Zoo & Aquarium

9990 Riverside Dr. P.O. Box 400 Powell, OH 43065

Phone: 614/645-3550

Email: Doug.Warmolts@columbuszoo.org

Notes: Permanent exhibit at museum to open in 2005.

Contains a museum exhibit, interactive displays, video, puppet show, and mussel play

area.

www.colzoo.org

Subject: **Freshwater Mussel Display**Source: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Contact: Terri Jacobsen

Address: 6578 Dogwood View Prkway, Suite A

Jackson, MS 39213

Phone: 601/321-1129

E-mail: terri_jacobsen@fws.gov

Notes: Traveling exhibit- need approximately a space

of 12' x 12'.

Subject: Freshwater Mussel Exhibit

Source: Prairie du Chien Museum at Fort Crawford

Address: 1717 S. Beaumont Rd.

Prairie du Chien, WI 53821

Phone: 608/326-6960

Notes: Permanent exhibit at Museum

Subject: Freshwater Mussel Exhibit

Source: Iowa Department of Natural Resources

Address: Guttenberg Fisheries Station

252 South River Park Dr. Guttenberg, IA 52052

Phone: 563/252-1156

Notes: Permanent exhibit at station aquarium

Subject: Freshwater Mussel Exhibit
Source: Mississippi River Museum
Address: 3rd Street Ice Harbor
Dubuque, IA 52004

Phone: 563/557-9545

Notes: Permanent exhibit at station aquarium

www.mississippirivermuseum.com/

Subject: **Freshwater Mussel Exhibit**Source: Texas Freshwater Fishery Center

Contact: Allen Forshage

Address: 5550 FM 2495, Athens TX 75751-6381

Phone: 903/676-2277

Notes: Permanent exhibit at museum

Educational Materials

Subject: Freshwater fauna posters and videos

Source: Virginia Tech Extension Distribution Center

Address: 112 Landsdowne Street

Blacksburg, VA 24061- 0512

Phone: 540/231-1322 (EST)

Notes: Includes freshwater mussels, fish, snails, and

crayfish. Free to Secondary Schools in U.S.

Poster - \$5.00 +shipping Video - \$10.00 +shipping

Subject: **Mussel Pillow** Source: Wisconsin DNR. Contact 1: Jeff Janvrin

Address: 3550 Mormon Coulee Rd.

LaCrosse,, WI 54601

Phone: 608/785-9005 Kurt Welke Contact 2:

3911 Fish Hatchery Rd. Address:

Fitchburg, WI 53711

Phone: 608/273-5946

Notes: Free to loan. Intricately sewn to illustrate

mussel anatomy.



Subject: Lesser Known Aquatic Fauna

Title: River Ecosystem Trunk

Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Patsy Hunsucker Contact: 160 Zillicoa Street Address:

Asheville, NC 28801

Phone: 828/258-3939 ext. 234

Notes: For loan from various locations. Subject: **Teacher Activities on Aquatic**

Fauna of Tennessee

Title: "AWatchable Wildlife" Source: U.S. Forest Service Contact: Dr. Mary Ball

Carson- Neuman College Address:

> 1646 Russell Ave CNC Box 72044

Jefferson City, TN 37760

Phone: 423/471-3254 Cost: Unknown

Subject: Natural History of French Creek

Watershed and Relation to Human Culture

Title: "Awareness-to-Action Model

The French Creek: A Route to the Future"

Source: Penncrest, Crawford Central, and Valley

Grove School Districts

Contact: Brian Hill

Address: Box 172, 590 North Main Street

> Allegheny College Meadville, PA 16335

814/332-2946 Phone:

Notes: Contains a curriculum and illustrated activity

guide.

Subject: **Activity Book**

Title: "Rivers of Life Coloring Book"

Virginia Dept. of Game and Inland Fish Source:

Contact: Mike Pinder

Address: 2206 S. Main, Suite C, Blacksburg, VA 24060

Phone: 540-961-8387

pinderm@dgif.state.va.us E-mail:

Free as a PowerPoint electronic file, can be Notes:

adapted for local aquatic fauna

Subject: **Activity Book**

Freshwater mussels: Activity book and Title:

learning resource.

Source: Aquatic Animal Epidemiology and

> Conservation Genomics Laboratory/ North Carolina State Univ./ NC State Museum of

Natural Sciences

Contact: Chris Eads

Address: College of Veterinary Medicine

> North Carolina State Univ. 4700 Hillsborough St. Raleigh, NC 27606

919/513-6655 Phone:

E-mail: Chris Eads@ncsu.edu Notes: \$0.75 + shipping

Educational Materials

Subject: Freshwater mussels. Life history, human

history, natural benefits, threats, and

recovery strategies.

Source: WI DNR Contact: Kurt Welke Address: WI DNR

3911 Fish Hatchery Road Fitchburg, WI 53711

Phone: 608/273-5946

E-mail: Kurt.Welke@dnr.state.wi.us.

Notes: Free, includes a slide talk overview, slide and

PowerPoint format- 4300 meg

Subject: Freshwater mussels. Thematic classroom

unit.

Title: Washboards, Buttons & Pearls

Source: WI DNR Contact: Jeff Janvrin

Address: 3550 Mormon Coulee Road

LaCrosse, WI 54601

Phone: 608/785-9000

Notes: Free to loan. Integrated teaching "packet" for

grade 5 and up. Teaches mussels, their problems. Uses math, english, etc.

Subject: **Molds for plaster-cast mussel models**Source: Ohio River Islands National Wildlife Refuge

Contact: Janet Butler

Address: Ohio River Islands NWR

P.O. Box 1811

Parkersburg, WV 26102

Phone: 304/422-0752

E-mail: janet_butler@fws.gov

Notes: Free to loan

Subject: Mussel traveling suitcase

Title: "Meet the Mussels: freshwater mussels of

Ohio"

Source: Columbus Zoo & Aquarium

Contact: Doug Warmolts

Address: Columbus Zoo & Aquarium

9990 Riverside Dr. P.O. Box 400 Powell, OH 43065

Phone: 614/645-3550

Email: Doug.Warmolts@columbuszoo.org

Notes: Contains books, videos, posters, puppets and a

curriculum that area teachers can use in the classroom. Intended for grades 4 to 6

www.colzoo.org

Subject: **Mussel reproduction diagram**Title: "How do mussels reproduce?"

Source: WI DNR

Contact: Karl Scheidegger

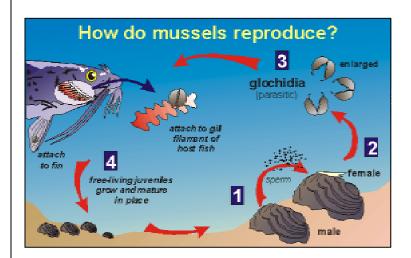
Address: WI Dept. of Natural Resources

101 S. Webster St. P.O. Box 7921

Madison, WI 53707-7921

Phone: 608/267-9426

E-mail: Karl.Scheidegger@dnr.state.wi.us Notes: Available in electronic format



Facts/Information Sheets

Subject: Mussels and Biodiversity

Title: "Whole is greater than some of parts"

Source; Keystone WILD! Notes

Contact: Wild Resource Conservation Fund

Address: P.O. Box 8764, Harrisburg, PA 17105-8764

Phone: 717/783-1639

Subject: Endangered Species of North Carolina

Title: "What Good Are They?"
Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Contact: Patsy Hunsucker

Address: 160 Zillicoa Street, Asheville, NC 28801

Phone: 828/258-3939, ext. 234 (EST) E-mail: patsy_hunsucker@fws.gov

Notes: Free

Subject: **History of Mussel Use by Humans**

Source: "Upper Mississippi River Conservation

Committee "

Contact: Jon Duyvejonk

Address: USFWS, Rock Island Field Office

4469 48th Avenue Ct., Rock Island, IL 61201

Phone: 309/793-5800 ext. 207 E-mail: Jon_Duyvejonk@fws.gov

Notes: Available free in limited quantities. Index card

size; inc. 2 buttons and bar graph of live harvest in Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin,

Illinois, Missouri.

Subject: Biology In Focus-Better Lives Through

Better Science

Title: "Mussels That Matter"
Source: U.S. Geological Survey
Contact: Hannah Hamilton

Address: USGS Florida Caribbean Science Center

7920 NW 71st Street

Gainesville, FL 32653-3071

Phone: 352/264-3509

E-mail: hannah_hamilton@usgs.gov

Notes: Free

Subject: Freshwater Mussel Habitat

Title: "What Makes a Healthy Environment for

Native Freshwater Mussels?"

Source: U.S. Geological Survey

Contact: District Chief

Address: 6480 Doubletree Avenue,

Columbus, OH 432229-1111

Phone: 614/430-7700 E-mail: dc_oh@usgs.gov **Subject:** Mobile River Basin Aquatic Resources

Title: "The Mobile River Basin"
Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Contact: Terri Jacobsen

Address: 6578 Dogwood View Parkway, Suite A

Jackson, MS 39213

Phone: 601/321-1129

Notes: Free

Subject: **Dwarf Wedge Mussel**

Title: "Dwarf Wedge Mussel Fact Sheet"
Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Contact: New England Field Office
Address: 400 Ralph Pill Marketplace

22 Bridge Street, Concord, NH 03301

Phone: 603/223-2541

Notes: Free

Subject: Endangered New England Mussels

Title: "Mussels in New England"

Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Contact: New England Field Office

Address: 400 Ralph Pill Marketplace

22 Bridge Street, Concord, NH 03301

Phone: 603/223-2541

Notes: Free info sheet with pictures

Subject: Freshwater Mussel Biology and Threats

Title: "Freshwater Mussel Fact Sheet"
Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Contact: New England Field Office
Address: 400 Ralph Pill Marketplace

22 Bridge Street, Concord, NH 03301

Phone: 603/225-1411

Notes: Free

Subject: Ohio River Basin Mussels

Title: "Freshwater Mussels of the Ohio River Basin"

Source: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Contact: Nancy Cole

Address: 160 Zillicoa Street, Asheville, NC 28801

Phone: 828/258-3939

Notes: Free

Subject: **Tennessee Endangered Species**Title: "Tennessee's Good Neighbors"

Source: U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Contact: Wally Brines

Address: 446 Neal Street, Cookville, TN 38501

Phone: 931/528-6481

Notes: Free

Posters

Subject: Freshwater fauna posters: mussels, fish,

snails, crayfish

Source: Virginia Tech Extension Distribution Center

Address: 112 Landsdowne Street

Blacksburg, VA 24061-0512

Phone: 540/231-1322

Cost: \$5.00 (plus shipping - \$2.50)

Source: Virginia Tech and U.S. Fish & Wildlife

Contact: Virginia Cooperative Extension

E-mail: monteh@vt.edu www.cnr.vt.edu/extension/fiw/

Subject: **Minnesota Mussels**Title: Mussels of Minnesota

Source: Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Contact: Division of Information and Education

500 Lafayette Road St. Paul, MN 55155-4040

Phone: 1-888-MINNDNR (646-6367)

www.dnr.state.mn.us/ecological_services/pubs_aquatics.html



Subject: Minnesota Mussels

Title: Mussels: St.Croix's Hidden Treasures

Source: National Park Service

Contact: St. Croix National Scenic Riverway

P.O. Box 708

St. Croix Falls, WI 54024

Phone: 715/483-3284

Subject: Freshwater Mussel Poster

Title: Mussels of the Upper Clinch River

Source: U.S. Geological Survey

Contact: Steve Ahlstedt

Address: 1820 Midpark Drive, Suite A

Knoxville, TN 37828

Phone: 865/545-4140 ext. 17 E-mail: Ahlstedt@usgs.gov

Notes: Mussel spp. of TN and VA

Subject: Aquatic fauna in Kentucky

Title: "Stream Ecosystem" and

"Big River Ecosystem"

Source: Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife

Resources

Contact: Lonnie Nelson

Address: #1 Game Farm Road, Frankfort, KY 40601

Phone: 502/564-4336

E-mail: inelson@mail.state.ky.us

Notes: Free

Subject: Freshwater mussels

Title: Illinois Mussels

Source: Illinois Department of Natural Resources

Contact: Kevin Cummings

Address: Illinois Natural History Survey

607 E. Peabody Drive, Champaign, IL 61820

Phone: 217/333-1623 E-mail: ksc@inhs.uiuc.edu

Notes: Unknown

Subject: Freshwater mussels

Title: "Freshwater Mussels - America's Hidden

Treasures"

Source: US Fish & Wildlife Service

Contact: John Fisher

Address: Rt.1, Box 166, Shepherd Grade Rd.

Shepherdstown, WV 25443

Phone: 304/876-7659

E-mail: john fisher@fws.gov

Notes: Free

Posters

Subject: Freshwater mussels

Title: "Freshwater Mussels of the Ohio River"
Source: Kentucky Dept. of Fish & Wildlife, et. al.

Contact: Wayne Davis

Address: KY Dept. of Fish & Wildlife

#1 Game Farm Road, Frankfort, KY

Phone: 800/858-1549 ext. 355

E-mail: Wayne.Davis@mail.state.ky.us

Notes: Free

Subject: Tennessee's Aquatic Fauna;

Trouble at Home - Exotic Species,
 Narrow Niches - Aquatic Endangered
 Species, 3). Muddy Meandering-big,
 meandering rivers, 4). Stream Café-fast free-

flowing rivers

Title: "Watchable Wildlife Series"
Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Contact: Nancy Cole Address: 160 Zillicoa Street

Asheville, NC 28801

Phone: 828/258-3939

Notes: Free. All include background information and

student activities.

Subject: Freshwater mussels

Title: Freshwater Mussels of North Carolina Source: Aquatic Animal Epidemiology and

Conservation Genomics Laboratory/ North Carolina State Univ./ NC State Museum of

Natural Sciences

Contact: Chris Eads

Address: College of Veterinary Medicine

North Carolina State Univ. 4700 Hillsborough St. Raleigh, NC 27606

Phone: 919/513-6655

E-mail: Chris_Eads@ncsu.edu
Notes: \$1.00 + shipping



Subject: Freshwater mussel life cycle

Title: The Life Cycle of Freshwater Mussels. Source: Aquatic Animal Epidemiology and

Conservation Genomics Laboratory/ North Carolina State Univ./ NC State Museum of

Natural Sciences

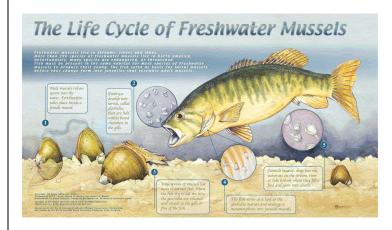
Contact: Chris Eads

Address: College of Veterinary Medicine

North Carolina State Univ. 4700 Hillsborough St. Raleigh, NC 27606

Phone: 919/513-6655

E-mail: Chris_Eads@ncsu.edu
Notes: \$1.00 + shipping



Videos

Subject: Freshwater fauna

Title: Help Save America's Pearly Mussels

Source: Virginia Tech Extension Distribution Center

Contact: Unknown

Address: 112 Landsdowne Street

Blacksburg, VA 24061

Phone: 540/231-6192 (EST) Notes: \$10.00 (plus shipping)

Subject: Cultured pearl production
Title: NOVA, The Perfect Pearl
Source: WBGH Public Television
Address: PO Box 2284

South Burlington, VT 05407

Phone: 800/255-9424

Notes: \$20.00 (plus shipping)



Subject: **Freshwater mussel conservation**Title: "The Plight of the Freshwater Mussel:

Canaries of the deep"

Contact: Christa Perkins Address: 3002 A Winegard Dr.

Burlington, IA 52061

Phone: 319/752-6395
E-mail: geode@ia.usda.gov
Notes: Free, CD or VHS format

Subject: **Freshwater fauna (3 videos)**Title: Help Save America's Pearly Mussels

Help Save America's Crayfish

Help Save America's Non-game fish
Source: Virginia Tech and U.S. Fish & Wildlife
Contact: Virginia Tech Cooperative Extension

Phone: 540/231-1322 E-mail: monteh@vt.edu

http://www.cnr.vt.edu/extension/fiw



(Higgins Eye Pearly Mussel)

Subject: Stream Restoration

Title: Saving America's Streams and Streamside

Lands

Source: Virginia Tech and U.S. Fish & Wildlife Contact: Virginia Tech Cooperative Extension

112 Landsdowne St. Blacksburg, VA 24061

Phone: 540/231-1322 E-mail: monteh@vt.edu

Notes: \$10.00

Subject: Zebra Mussel Video

Title: River Invaders: The Scourge of Zebra Mussels

Source: Earthwave Society, Inc. Address: 16151 Highway 377 South

Ft. Worth, TX 76126

Phone: 888/668-9283

Notes: \$19.95

www.earthwave.org/zmussel.htm

Books

Subject: Freshwater Mussels

Title: Field Guide to Freshwater Mussels of the

Midwest

Source: Illinois Natural History Survey

Contact: **Kevin Cummings**

Address: Natural Resources Building

607 East Peabody Drive Champaign, IL 61820

Phone: 217/331-6880

\$15.00 Notes:

Subject: Freshwater Mussels of MN

Title: Field Guide to the Freshwater Mussels of

Minnesota

Source: Minnesota DNR

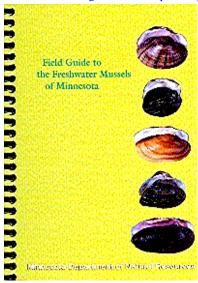
Contact: Division of Information and Education

Address: 500 Lafayette Road

St. Paul, MN 55155-4040

Phone: 1-888-MINNDNR (646-6367)

www.dnr.state.mn.us/ecological_services/pubs_aquatics.html



Title: Mussels (Naides) of the Meramec R. Basin

Citation: Buchanan, A.C. 1979. Mussels (Naides) of

> the Meramec River Basin. Aquatic Series #17. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, St. Louis

Source: U.S. Fish & Wildlife and Virginia Tech

Contact: Missouri Department of Conservation

P.O. Box 180 Address:

Jefferson City, MO 65102

Phone: 573/751-4115

Includes photographs, species accounts, and Notes:

references.

www.conservation.state.mo.us

Title: A Guide to the Freshwater Mussels of KY **KY State Nature Preserves Commission** Source:

Address: 801 Schenkel Ln.

Frankfort, KY 40601

ISBN: 0-9673646-6-3

Other Miscellaneous

Title: Help Save America's Pearly Mussels Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife & Virginia Tech

Contact: Nancy Cole Address:

160 Zillicoa Street

Asheville, NC 28801

Phone: 828/258-3939

Notes: Free, includes a dichotomous key to 10

Mollusks of the Ohio River Drainage. For use

by middle and high school students.

www.ext.vt.edu/pubs/fisheries/420-014/420-014.html

Salvage of Ohio River Mussels Subject: Title: Rescuing Ohio River Mussels Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Endangered Species Bulletin;

March/April, 1996; pp. 16-17)

Contact: Mike Bender

Address: U.S. Department of Interior

> U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Branch of Information Management

Washington, D.C. 20240

703/358-2390 (EST) Phone:

E-mail: R9FWE DES.BIM@mail.fws.gov

Notes: www.fws.gov

Subject: Volunteer mussel monitoring Title: Texas Mussel Watch Project Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. Source:

Wildlife Diversity Branch

Contact: Marsha Reimer

Address: 3000 South IH-35, Suite 100

Austin, TX 78704

Phone: 512/912-7011

marsha.reimer@tpwd.state.tx.us E-mail:

www.tpwd.state.tx.us/nature/education/tracker/mussels/

Numerous excellent articles (too many too list!) have occurred in the popular press. We suggest that individuals use local library resources and internet search engines to locate articles and publications. Key words might include : Mussels, shells, clams, and pearls for a start. In the last 10 years, very fine articles have appeared in Smithsonian, Audubon, and National Geographic magazines. State natural resource agencies also publish monthly or bimonthly "outdoors" magazines which have showcased mussels. Examples include the Minnesota Conservation Volunteer, North Dakota Outdoors, and Wisconsin Natural Resources. Don't forget that technical libraries on certain campuses would have technical publications such as keys and literature found in professional journals such as the North American Benthological Society.

Other Miscellaneous

Title: Conservation Plan for Freshwater Mussels

in the Upper River Mississippi System

Source: Upper Mississippi River Conservation

Committee (UMRCC)

Address: 4469 48th Ave Ct.

Rock Island, IL 61201

www.mississippi-river.com/umrcc/queries/pubs-

list.taf?function=search

Title: **Proceedings of a UMRCC Symposium:**

Conservation & management of freshwater

mussels, Oct. 1993.

Source: Upper Mississippi River Conservation

Committee (UMRCC)

Address: 4469 48th Ave Ct.

Rock Island, IL 61201

www.mississippi-river.com/umrcc/

Title: **Proceedings of a UMRCC Symposium:**

Initiatives for the future, April 1997

Source: Upper Mississippi River Conservation

Committee (UMRCC)

Address: 4469 48th Ave Ct.

Rock Island, IL 61201

www.mississippi-river.com/umrcc/

Title: Freshwater Mollusk Symposia Proceedings:

Part I: Conservation, Captive Care & Propagation, March 1998, Columbus OH

Part II: Musseling in on Biodiversity, The First Symposium of FMCS, Chattanooga TN,

March 1999.

Source: The Ohio Biological Survey
Address: College of Biological Sciences

The Ohio State Univ. Columbus, OH 43212

ISBN: 0-86727-143-4

Title: Freshwater Mollusk Conservation Society:

2nd Symposium, Pittsburgh PA, March 2001

Source: FMCS Outreach Chair

Contact: Kurt Welke Address: WI DNR

3911 Fish Hatchery Rd. Fitchburg, WI 53711

Phone: 608/273-5946

E-mail: Kurt.Welke@dnr.state.wi.us Notes: Meeting program & abstracts

http://ellipse.inhs.uiuc.edu/FMCS/Meetings/Symp2001.html

Title: FMCS 3rd Biennial Symposium

Durham, N.C., March 2003

Notes: Meeting program & abstracts

http://ellipse.inhs.uiuc.edu/FMCS/Meetings/FMCSAbstrac

ts2003.pdf

Zebra Mussels & Invasives

Subject: Exotics

Title: Threats to the Ohio River
Source: Ohio River Fishing Guide (p. 5)
Contact: Ohio DNR Division of Wildlife

Address: 1840 Belcher Dr.

Columbus, OH 43224

Phone: 800/945-3543

Notes: Free

Title: What You Should Know About Zebra

Mussels

Contact: Pennsylvania Fish & Boat Commission

Address: 1601 Elmerton Ave.

Harrisburg, PA 171110

Phone: 717/705-7800

Notes: Free

Title: Invasion of the Zebra Mussels . . . Coming

Soon to a River Near You

Source: Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency

Contact: Robert M. Todd

Address: Ellington Agricultural Center

P.O. Box 40747 Nashville, TN 37204

Phone: 615/781-6575 (CST)

Notes: Free

Subject: Education Sheet with Various Student

Activities

Title: All About Zebra Mussels

Source: Illinois Department of Natural Resources Contact: Illinois Department of Natural Resources

Address: Office of Public Information

524 S. Second Street

Springfield, IL 62701-1787

Phone: 217/782-6302

Subject: Zebra Mussels Fact Sheet

Contact: Detroit Edison Energy Address: 2000 Second Ave.

Detroit, MI 48226

Phone: 800/477-4747

www.dteenergy.com

Subject: Zebra Mussels Fact Sheet

Source: Presque Isle State Park

Contact: Pennsylvania Dept. of Natural Resources

Address: P.O. Box 8510

Eric, PA 16505

Phone: 814/873-7424

Notes: Free

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Subject: Nonindigenous Species Database

Source: National Biological Service

Contact: Southeastern Biological Science Center

Address: Gainesville, FL Phone: 904/378-8181

www.nisbase.org/nisbase/index.jsp

Subject: Aquatic Exotics Video

Title: Aquatic Exotics

Source: Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Contact: MN DNR Ecological Services Address: 500 Lafayette Road, Box 25

St. Paul, MN 55155

Phone: 651/296-2835

Subject: Zebra Mussels Hotline Information Card

Title: "Zebra Mussels are New to the Tennessee

Valley"

Source: Tennessee Valley Authority

Contact: Bennie Kerley
Address: U.S. Highway 441

Norris, TN 37828

Phone: 800/538-2526 E-mail: blkerley@tva.gov

Notes: Free

Subject: **Zebra Mussel trifold brochure**

Title: "Zap the Zebra"

Source: select Fish and Wildlife Service Offices

Phone: 877/786-7267

Subject: **Zebra Mussel** (poster)

Title: "Prevent Zebra Mussel Spread"
Source: Tennessee Valley Authority

Contact: Bennie Kerley Address: U.S. Highway 441

Norris, TN 37828

Phone: 800/538-2526 E-mail: blkerley@tva.gov

Notes: Free

Subject: Exotics

Title: "Guide to the Identification of Harmful &

Potentially Harmful Fishes, Shellfishes, & Aquatic Plants Prohibited in Texas"

Source: Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept.

Address: Inland Fisheries Division 4200 Smith School Rd.

4200 Smith School I Austin, TX 78744

Notes: Publ. # BK T3200-376 (11/99)

Subject: **Zebra mussels**

Source: US Fish & Wildlife Service

Contact: Janet Butler Address: US FWS

Ohio River Islands National

Wildlife Refuge P.O. Box 1811

Parkersburg, WV 26102

Phone: 304/422-0752

E-mail: janet_butler@fws.gov

Notes: Free signs for posting at boat ramps advising

boaters on actions to take to avoid spreading zebra mussels. Developed by the Ohio River Valley Ecosystem team and the Ohio River

Fisheries Management Team

Zebra mussel Wed Sites:

http://nas.er.usgs.gov/zebra.mussel/

http://www.protectyourwaters.net

http://anstaskforce.gov

http://erato.acnatsci.org/conchnet/uniowhat.html

Free zebra mussel outreach materials are also available from all of the following Sea Grant programs:

Alaska Sea Grant

University of Alaska Fairbanks

P.O. Box 755040

Fairbanks, AK 99775-5040

888/789-0090

www.uaf.edu/seagrant

California Sea Grant

University of California - San Diego 9500 Gilman Drive, Dept. 0232

La Jolla, CA 92093 858/534-4440

www-csgc.ucsd.edu/

University of Southern California

University Park

Los Angeles, CA 90089

213/740-1961

www.usc.edu/org/seagrant/seagrant.html

Connecticut Sea Grant

University of Connecticut-Avery Point Campus

1084 Shennecossett Road Groton, CT 06340

860/405-9128

www.seagrant.uconn.edu

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Delaware Sea Grant

University of Delaware Marine Public Education Office 222 South Chapel St. Newark, DE 19716 302/831-8083 www.ocean.udel.edu/seagrant/

Florida Sea Grant

University of Florida Building 803-McCarty Drive P.O. Box 110400 Gainesville, FL 32611 352/392-5870 www.flseagrant.org/

Georgia Sea Grant

University of Georgia Marine Sciences Building, Room 220 Athens, GA 30602 706/542-6009 www.marsci.uga.edu/gaseagrant.html

Hawaii Sea Grant

University of Hawaii Sea Grant College Program Communications Office 2525 Correa Road, HIG210 Honolulu, HI 96822 808/956-7031 www.soest.hawaii.edu/SEAGRANT

Illinois Sea Grant

University of Illinois 1101 W. Peabody Dr. 350 National Soybean Research Center, MC-635 Urbana, IL 61801 217/333-6444 www.iisgcp.org

Indiana Sea Grant

Purdue University Forestry Building 195 Marsteller St. West Lafayette, IN 47907 765/434-3573 www.iisgcp.org

Louisiana Sea Grant

Louisiana State University 236 Sea Grant Bldg. Baton Rouge, LA 70803 225/578-6342 www.laseagrant.org/

Maine Sea Grant

University of Maine Sea Grant Program 5715 Coburn Hall Orono, ME 04469 207/581-1435

www.seagrant.umaine.edu

Maryland Sea Grant

University of Maryland 4321 Hartwick Rd., Suite 200 College Park, MD 20742 301/405-6371 www.mdsg.umd.edu/index.html

Massachusetts Sea Grant

Massachusetts Institute of Technology E38-300 292 Main Street Cambridge, MA 02139 617/253-7041 http://web.mit.edu/seagrant/

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution

193 Oyster Pond Road, MS #2 Woods Hole, MA 02453 508/289-2436 www.whoi.edu/seagrant/

Michigan Sea Grant

University of Michigan 401 E. Liberty, Suite 330 Ann Arbor, MI 48104 734/763-1437 www.miseagrant.umich.edu

Minnesota Sea Grant

University of Minnesota Duluth Washburn Hall 208 2305 East 5th Street Duluth, MN 55812 218/726-8106 www.d.umn.edu/seagr/

Mississippi & Alabama Sea Grant

P.O. Box 7000 703 East Beach Drive Ocean Springs, MS 39566 228/818-8836 www.masgc.org/

New Hampshire Sea Grant

Kingman Farm / UNH Durham, NH 03824 603/749-1565 www.seagrant.unh.edu/index.html

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New Jersey Sea Grant

New Jersey Marine Science Consortium Building No. 22, Fort Hancock, NJ 07732 732/872-1300 www.njmsc.org

New York Sea Grant

Stony Brook Univ. 121 Discovery Hall Stony Brook, NY 11794 631/632-6905 www.nyseagrant.org

New York State Sea Grant

Cornell University 340 Roberts Hall Ithaca, NY 14853 607/255-2832 www.cce.cornell.edu/seagrant

North Carolina Sea Grant

North Carolina State University Box 8605 Raleigh, NC 27695-8605 919/515-2454 www.ncseagrant.org

Ohio Sea Grant

Ohio State University 1541 Research Center 1314 Kinnear Road Columbus, OH 43212 614/292-8949 www.sg.ohio-state.edu

Oregon Sea Grant

Oregon State University 322 Kerr Administration Building Corvallis, OR 97331-2131 541/737-2714 http://seagrant.oregonstate.edu

Puerto Rico Sea Grant

University of Puerto Rico Marine Resources Building P.O. Box 9011 Mayagüez, PR 00681-9011 787/832-3585 http://rmocfis.upr.clu.edu/~seagrant/

Rhode Island Sea Grant

University of Rhode Island Graduate School of Oceanography South Ferry Rd., RI 02882 401/874-6842 http://seagrant.gso.uri.edu/

South Carolina Sea Grant

South Carolina Sea Grant Consortium 287 Meeting Street Charleston, SC 29401 843/727-2078 www.scseagrant.org

Texas Sea Grant

2700 Earl Rudder Freeway South, Suite 1800 College Station, TX 77845 979/845-3845 http://texas-sea-grant.tamu.edu/

Vermont Sea Grant

Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation Water Quality Division 103 South Main Street, 10 North Waterbury, VT 05671-0408 802/241-3777 www.uvm.edu/~seagrant/

Virginia Sea Grant

Madison House 170 Rugby Road Charlottesville, VA 22903 434/924-5695 www.virginia.edu/virginia-sea-grant/

Washington Sea Grant

University of Washington 3716 Brooklyn Avenue, N.E. Seattle, WA 98105-6716 206/543-6600

www.wsg.washington.edu/

Wisconsin Sea Grant

University of Wisconsin 1975 Willow Drive, FL2 Madison, WI 53706 608/262-0905 www.seagrant.wisc.edu

National Sea Grant

National Sea Grant College Program NOAA, Sea Grant, R/OR1 MC-1, Fifth Floor 1335 East-West Highway Silver Springs, MD 20910 301/713-2448 www.nsgo.seagrant.org/index.html

Mussel Web Sites

Amer. Malacological Society

http://erato.acnatsci.org/ams/

Barnhart, Chris's web page

http://courses.smsu.edu/mcb095f/home/Default.htm

Bell Museum of Natural History -Freshwater Mollusk Collection

 $www.fw.umn.edu/Personnel/staff/Hove/Freshwater.Mollusk.Coll\\ ection$

Biodiversity links

www.natureserve.org

www.sciencemag.org/feature/data/biodiversity2000.shl

Chippewa Nat'l. Forest, Guide to Aquatic Resources & Mussels

www.fs.fed.us/r9/chippewa/plan/aquatics/aquatics.shtml

Dwarf Wedge Mussel video

www.nwf.org/nwf/wildalive/mussel/audiovideo.html

Famous Malacologists:

www.inhs.uiuc.edu/~ksc/Malacologists/FamousMalacologists.html

Hornbach, Dan's web page

www.macalester.edu/~hornbach/

Hove, Mark's web page

www.fw.umn.edu/Personnel/staff/Hove/Personal.Page

Illinois Natural History Survey (INHS) Freshwater Mussel Genera of the World

www.inhs.uiuc.edu/~ksc/MusselGenera.html

INHS Mollusk Collection

www.inhs.uiuc.edu/cbd/main/collections/mollusk.html

Malacological Society of London

www.sunderland.ac.uk/%7Ees0mda/msl1.shtml

Man & Mollusks page

www.manandmollusc.net/

Mollusc Net (Shell collectors & other sites)

www.molluscs.net/index2.htm

Michigan Mollusk Division

www.ummz.lsa.umich.edu/mollusks/

Midwest Field Guide:

www.inhs.uiuc.edu/cbd/musselmanual/cover.html

Museum Collections and Contacts:

www.inhs.uiuc.edu/cbd/collections/mollusk_links/museum list.html

Mussel Genera of the World:

www.inhs.uiuc.edu/~ksc/MusselGenera.html

Mussel Researchers/Investigators links:

www.inhs.uiuc.edu/cbd/collections/mollusk_links/uniopeo plelist.html

National Park Service, Freshwater Mussel Management Needs

www.nature.nps.gov/water/mussels.htm

North American Benthological Society web page

www.benthos.org/index.htm

North Carolina's Atlas of Freshwater Mussels & Endangered Fishes

www.ncwildlife.org/pg07_WildlifeSpeciesCon/pg7b1.htm

Ram, Jeffery's web page

www.science.wayne.edu/~jram/zmussel.htm

Southeast Aquatic Research Institute

www.sari.org/Current_Events_Events.htm

Tankersley, Richard's web page

www.fit.edu/biology/Faculty/Tankersley.htm

UC Berkley's Author Guide to Mollusk journals

www.ucmp.berkeley.edu/mologis/AutInst.html

US States' Listed Mollusks

www.fw.umn.edu/Personnel/staff/Hove/State.TE.mussels

USFWS, Region 3 Endangered Mollusks

http://midwest.fws.gov/endangered/clams/index.html

Virginia Polytech Web Page

www.ext.vt.edu/cgi-

bin/WebObjects/Docs.woa/wa/getcat?cat=ir-for-fi

Virginia Tech extension page (poster access)

www.cnr.vt.edu/extension/fiw/

Wayne State's Museum of Natural History, Mollusc Collection

http://gopher.science.wayne.edu/animals/

World Congress of Malacology 2001 mtg.

www.univie.ac.at/WCM2001/main.htm