



Missouri UFO News

Newsletter for Members of Missouri

October UFOs in Missouri/Ted Phillips to Speak in St. Louis

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October has been a busy month for Missouri MUFON with 56 reports called in to the reporting center already. The majority were sightings reported between 7:30 pm and 8:30 pm on October 4th in the Kansas City area. Although these are still under investigation, several reports were found to be the EAA Stunt Flying Team out of Lee's Summit Municipal Airport.

What's interesting is that many of the sighting reports didn't fit the description, and involved a large triangle shaped craft with yellow lights hovering over two major highways, the 435 and Hwy 70. We also have small drones out of WAFB in the area so this will take some time to sort out.

Our St. Louis area Mufon meeting this month, will host guest Speaker Ted Phillips who will have a power point presentation and updates on his latest research. Ted has done investigations on

over 800 UFO reports and compiled research on physical trace landing cases containing 5,071 files from 94 countries. He was once described by Dr. J. Allen Hynek as "the world expert in physical traces found at alleged UFO landing sites." I will also be presenting Ted with the *MUFON*



Ted Phillips, UFO Researcher.
www.ufoevidence.org

Ufologist of the Year award which he was unable to accept this past July at the 2011 MUFON Symposium in Irvine, California.

The MUFON meeting will begin

early at 6:00pm to accommodate our Cardinal Fans (First game of the World Series here in St. Louis!!!) and so Ted can get on the road a bit earlier.

Missouri MUFON is asking for a \$5.00 donation per person for this meeting to help us pay for Ted Phillip's expenses here. As always we welcome our Mufon members but are also open to the public.

Our meeting will be held as usual:

3rd Wednesday monthly (Oct 19th this month)
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm ish
Culpepper's Restaurant
12316 Olive Blvd.
Creve Coeur, Missouri at
Hwy 270 & Olive Blvd.

This is a once-in-a lifetime meeting with Ted Phillips who resides in Branson Missouri, is one of MUFON International's greatest Investigators and most importantly to me, the pride of Missouri MUFON as well as a very good friend.

All MUFON members and the public are invited to attend this meeting. E N D

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**We need content for
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Please send UFO or paranormal related photos, drawings, articles, and events to Margie Kay at margiekay06@yahoo.com. Don't worry about writing perfectly, the editor will take care of that!

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Kansas City Area UFO Surge Oct 3-5 a Puzzle—most sightings in Raytown and Lee's Summit



It appears that the recent UFO Flap in East Kansas City, Missouri and surrounding areas is over. A surge in reports to MUFON occurred between Monday, October 3 and Wednesday, October 5, tapering off later in the week. A total of 56 reports came in for those days, with the bulk of the sightings happening on October 4. While reports continue to come in for that time period, investigators are trying to sort out all of the witness' accounts.

Margie Kay, the Assistant State Director of Missouri MUFON, is heading up the local investigation. "Thank goodness I've got help because one person wouldn't be able to get this done," said Kay, who has assistance from the Missouri MUFON State Director Debbie Ziegelmeyer, Star Team Investigator Stan Seba from Kansas, and others. The national MUFON website was inundated with at least 56 reports, while more reports were made through Kay's office, local police stations, airports, and the Sheriff's office.

"What is unusual about this event is that so many witnesses got photos and video, and there were

several close encounters," said Margie. What is perplexing is the number of different descriptions of the objects witnesses saw. Craft were described as triangular, round, disc-shaped, morphing, and even as orange fireballs. Some were slow-moving, others moved at "light speed" as one witness described. Some craft hovered over vehicles and buildings, 60 feet above the witness' heads.

While several of the reports can be attributed to the Flying Team that was doing a practice run over the Chief's Stadium, and perhaps sightings of the B-2 Stealth Bomber, many cannot be explained as conventional aircraft.

Stan Seba, MUFO Star Team Investigator in Kansas called Whiteman AFB and reported the following: "After a long talk with the Public Information Duty Sgt. at Whiteman AFB, the B-2 bombers of the 509th bomb squadron have been training for the past five nights. They will continue training for at least a few more days / nights .

They took off from Whiteman just after dusk and their training missions took them right over KCMO. Due to the fact that they were flying low over a populated area, the B-2s flew with their navigational (landing) lights on. The pictures some the witnesses provided match those of B-2 aircraft. All B-2 aircraft reported their positions as over KCMO at

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approx. 20:00 to 20:15 hrs, or between 8:00 and 8:15 pm. As for the lack of noise, if the witnesses were watching the aircraft approaching they wouldn't have heard anything. Unless they were almost directly behind the aircraft they would have heard very little noise. Also, the Air Force did have "VIP" observers to these exercises over KCMO in helicopters."

Missouri State Director Debbie Ziegelmeyer contacted the EAA Flying Team and found that they flew in formation over Lee's Summit, the Chief's Stadium, then over I-70 and back to the Lee's Summit airport, where they landed in pairs. The flight was between 7:00 p.m and 8:00 p.m. This was a demonstration for the Chiefs for a night time fly over on October 31.

Margie Kay contacted the Lee's Summit Airport, and confirmed the flight time for the Flying Team. The contact at the airport stated that they had received a number of odd reports of UFOs the past two weeks prior to the October 4 event. One report involves a low-flying helicopter at 1:30 a.m. when no helicopters should be flying, and another report involved low-flying balls of light according to the dispatcher. The airport will now send unexplained reports to Missouri MUFON.

Missouri has been experiencing a larger than normal increase in sightings since May, 2011. Prior to that time, there were only 7 -10 reports per month in the entire state. Missouri MUFON received

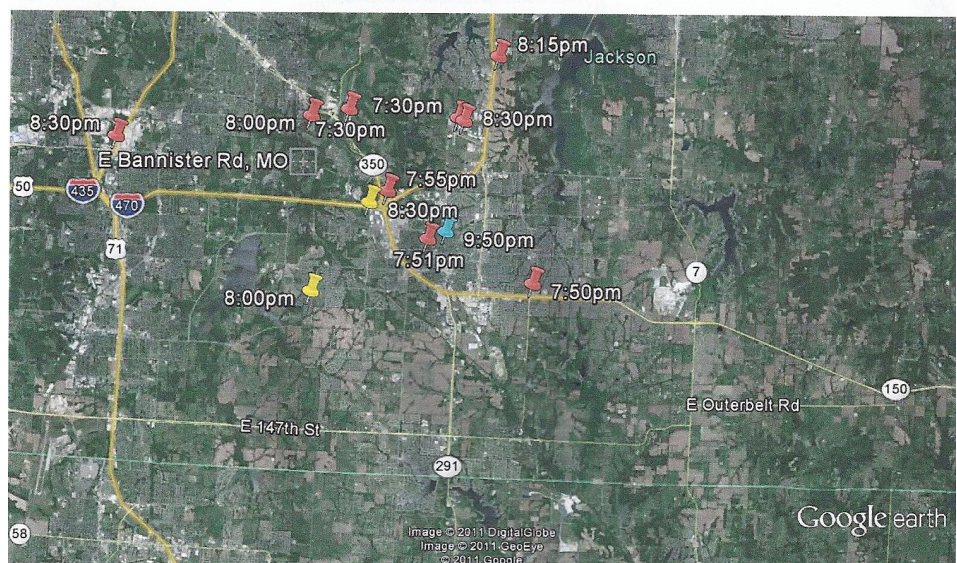
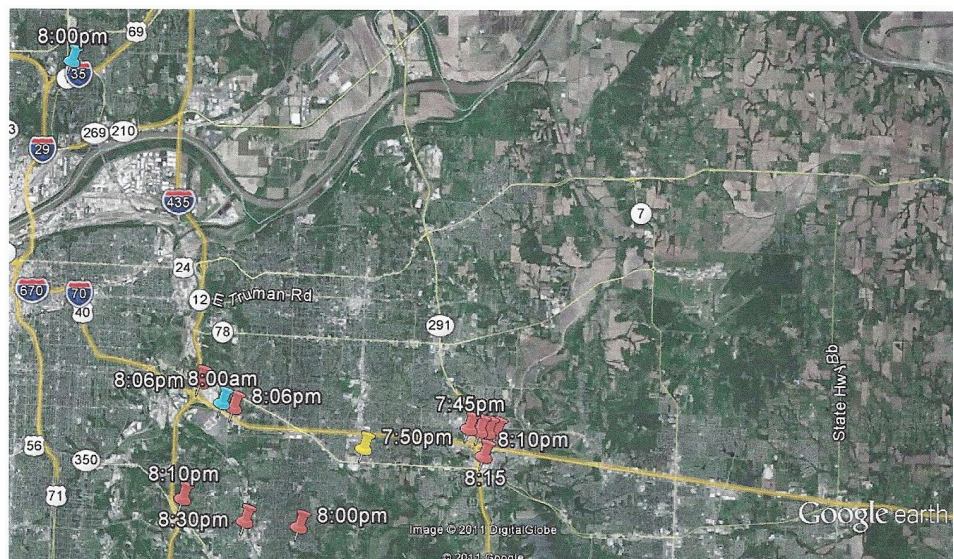
117 reports since July 15, with 66 of those reports in the greater K.C. area.

Missouri MUFON is working on completing investigations of these cases before the end of the month and plans to have some data and photographs available by then. Margie is looking for more witnesses who may have video or still photos that can help investi-

gators with the investigation. All personal information will be kept confidential.

Contact Margie Kay at www.missourimufon.org or margiekay06@yahoo.com

If you don't have internet access, please call my office at 816-833-1602 9-5 M-F to file a report over the phone.



Google Earth Map with some of the sighting locations and times noted by Debbie Ziegelmeyer

Monthly CMS Report for September, 2011—From MUFON

State	# Reports
California	86
Texas	58
Michigan	40
Arizona	39
New York	34
Florida	33
Pennsylvania	32
Missouri	27
Colorado	26
Indiana	25
Illinois	21
Ohio	18
North Carolina	14
Georgia	14
New Jersey	14
Tennessee	12
Kansas	12
Wisconsin	12
Oregon	11
Virginia	11
Washington	11
Minnesota	10
New Mexico	10
Utah	9
Arkansas	9
South Carolina	9
Idaho	8
Nevada	8
Kentucky, MA	7
Maryland	6
Oklahoma, IA	6
Alabama	5
Louisiana	5
Nebraska	5
Wyoming	4
Montana	4
North Dakota	4
Connecticut	4
New Hampshire	3
Mississippi	3
South Dakota	3
Hawaii, Maine	2
Vermont, WV, DE	2
Alaska	1

Object Shapes

Shape of Object	# Reports
Sphere	204
Star-like	148
Circle	132
Other	95
Disc	93
Unknown	82
Triangle	79
Fireball	79
Oval	78
Cylinder	34
Boomerang	30
Square/Rectangular	29
Flash	29
Cigar	27
Diamond	19
Teardrop	19
Egg	17
Bullet/Missile	12
Blimp	11
Saturn-like	11
Chevron	10
Cone	5
Cross	5

From Clifford Clift, International MUFON Director:

Most impressively there were 24 Landings, Hovering, or Takeoffs reported and 2 Entities observed.

To review the CMS data yourself go to www.mufon.com and click on "UFO Case Files" to

1.) Easily look at the Last 20 Sightings, or

Object Distance

Distance from Witness	Number of Reports
< 100 ft	101
101-500 ft	105
501 ft - 1 Mile	159
Over 1 Mile	207
Unknown	254
NO VALUE	19

2.) Do a customized search of the CMS database by date and/or location, or

3.) (Field Investigators) Logon to CMS for even more detailed UFO sighting information about your State and the World.



CMS State Rankings

1	California	Georgeanne Cifarelli	100 %	171/166	71/16
2	Michigan	William J. Konkole-sky	100 %	100/100	1/10
3	Pennsylvania	John Ventre	100 %	99/99	98/98
4	Missouri	Debbie A. Ziegel-meyer	100 %	106/106	6/60

Letter to the Editor— October 17, 2011

Having read of the recent phenomena on earthfiles.com, I wanted to relate my experience. These orbs have been around since at least the middle 1950's. When I was very young, my family moved to southwest Missouri. While we were looking for property, we lived in a small duplex. It was nothing special, but the house next door was one of those large houses, probably built in the 1930's. It featured a large front porch and a boy who was just a few years older than I. Of course, he immediately became my hero and I hung around him all the time.

One day, he had learned how to use a magnifying glass to focus the sun's rays to burn ants, which we were doing on his front walk. We both looked up, and about 10 feet off the ground, though it could have been less since I was not very tall at that age, was one of these orbs.

It looked like an oblong shape made of flames, but it was as if the fire was held together by an invisible wire container that let flames shoot out. In other words, there was no clear border to the fire, but your mind at least assumed one.

Then I heard what was similar to a voice in my head, that told me that it was wrong to kill and torture helpless things. A complicated concept for one so young, but somehow I just understood. But this thing terrified us both, and we ran, him to his house and me to mine.

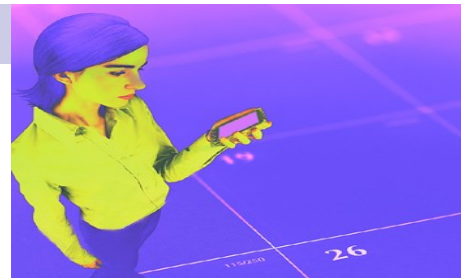
Calendar of MO MUFON Events...

October 19th: St. Louis MUFON meeting -Ted Phillips 6:30 PM at Culpeppers. Culpeppers Restaurant located at 12316 Olive Blvd. in Creve Coeur near Hwy 270 and Olive Blvd. and are free to the public. Veteran UFO Investigator who literally wrote the book on UFO Field Investigation. (Tentative depending on his improving health). Investigator Ted Philips will be discussing his on-going research and investigation of the Marley Woods sight which he has been conducting since 1998.

November 14: KCMUFON Westport Flea Market Restaurant, 817 Westport Rd. Kansas City, MO 64111. 6:30– 8:45 PM. Guest Speaker: **Chris Wiesbach**, a UFO investigator who worked with Leonard Stringfield. **Annual UFO/Paranormal Book Exchange and UFO Experience Sharing:** Bring your books, DVDs, etc. to sell or trade embers

My family only lived at that location for a short while, but all of us were somewhat thick with these neighbors. I asked the family many years later, who those people were. Did they remember names or know what became of them?

No one could remember the slightest detail of these people, except for the fact that they lived next door. We could not remember what they looked like or any



and share your most recent UFO sighting with everyone. The KC ET Experiencers group will share some of their encounters.

November 16th: St. Louis MUFON meeting 6:30 PM at Culpeppers. Culpeppers Restaurant located at 12316 Olive Blvd. in Creve Coeur near Hwy 270 and Olive Blvd. and are free to the public, but donations are welcome. Speaker TBA.

December 12: KC MUFON Westport Flea Market Restaurant, Kansas City, MO. 6:30 PM. **Annual Holiday Party.** (The venue may be changed so watch the chat list for more information)

December 21: St. Louis MUFON meeting 6:30 PM at Culpeppers. Culpeppers Restaurant located at 12316 Olive Blvd. in Creve Coeur near Hwy 270 and Olive Blvd. and are free to the public, but donations are welcome. Speaker TBA.

details. In fact, my memory is definitely the most vivid of us all, though I did not share the story of my experience with them. Like the retired police officer, I too feared their ridicule. Having grown up in Missouri, I know the attitude that produces that ridicule. It is mainly a manifestation of the fear and denial of those doing the teasing.

J.P.

After the Spike—Missouri UFO Traffic Slowing Down

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The skies over the Kansas City, MO, area seemed to have returned to more average UFO sightings following a case spike on October 3-4, 2011, according to reported cases from the Mutual UFO Network (MUFON) witness reporting database logged in through 7 a.m., October 13, 2011.

Missouri MUFON and the MUFON STAR Team are investigating reports not associated with an EAA Flying Team that was rehearsing night formation flying between 7:40 and 8:20 p.m. on October 4, 2011. Here is a summary of cases between October 3 and 13. Additional cases were also telephoned or emailed directly to Missouri MUFON which inflate the case numbers listed here.

More in-depth reports will follow upon conclusion of MUFON's investigation. Past Missouri coverage is here. For the latest UFO Traffic Report on all U.S. activity - see today's report.

October 3, 2011: As of 7 a.m., October 13, 2011, 8 reports from this date have been logged into MUFON. Report dates: October 4, 4 cases; and one case each on October 5, 6, 7 and 10.

October 4, 2011: As of 7 a.m.,

October 13, 2011, 27 reports from this date have been logged into MUFON. Report dates: October 4, 2 cases; October 5, 10 cases; October 6, 5 cases; October 7, 4 cases; October 8, 2 cases; October 9, 2 cases; October 10, 1 case; October 12, 1 case. Remember



Photo from case number 32355

that many of the cases from this date were identified.

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October 5, 2011: Witness was driving home along I-35 at 8 p.m. and had just passed NE Antioch Road when something hovering was noticed in the sky. "It seem like it was by Liberty. It was a little bigger than a helicopter with white, bright beams of light on the bottom. At first I thought it was a UFO, then I looked again at the object and saw a red blinking light in the middle - so I thought - UFOs do not have red lights - so I just assumed it was a helicopter. Then I got off the highway and lost track of the object. Then I heard on the radio about the UFO sightings." Case 32462.

Eight employees in a company van - near Royals Stadium - "We see lights hovering above the highway I 70. We caught it on video on one of the employee's phones. It looked like it was about 500 feet from the ground and in the shape of a circle, but as

we got closer, it seemed to be a triangular shape.

There was no noise coming from the UFO. It had blue and white lights flashing all over. The lights were so bright, it almost blinded me driving. It really shook us all up. We could not believe what we had seen." Case 32448.

Witness driving south on Douglass in Lee's Summit at 9:50 p.m. and stopped at

Forest Street. "A bright orange/red fireball moved over the top of my car from the back to the front and hovered over my vehicle, almost at exactly 90 degrees above me, but slightly forward above the windshield. It stayed there for 10 minutes. I was too scared to move, or drive on, and just sat there, frozen, until it took off very quickly directly east. It was out of sight in less than five seconds." Case 32428.

October 6, 2011 : Witness out walking dog at SE 5th Terrace and Todd George Road on the Prairie View Grade School property about 200 feet southwest of the school building. "I noticed there was a patch of sky with no stars visible. I kept looking at it

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because it was moving so slow and eventually it was obvious it had a triangle shape. It was creepy because there was absolutely no sound and it felt like the object was more stretching toward me than any obvious movement. It was getting larger, and I felt it was more massive, but I could see nothing but a flat, black triangle against a fairly star-filled sky. It seemed like 2-3 minutes had passed. I looked down at my dog, partly to check on him, but I was also feeling a little shaken and wanted to change my focus. I looked back up about 10-15 seconds later and the point of the triangle was in the process of turning from its northwest direction and within a minute was moving south. I watched it until it disappeared against the night sky." Case 32560.

October 7, 2011: Witness describes bright light. "About 8:30pm was out again with dogs on deck and there was the same light in sky, east of my home, seeming to be over Odessa. Very, very bright. Was below the cloud cover."

October 8, 2011: Couple driving toward St. Louis along I-44 east at I-270 intersection near Fenton-Sunset Hill, noticed "strange lights" moving over the trees from the south and moving north, northwest. "There were three lights in the front. They were a white/yellow/red color. They formed a triangle and seemed to pause in the sky. Another light from behind moved faster and

caught up to the triangle and seemed to merge with the light at the top of the triangle. These lights then took off north and I focused on the rest that were still there. The next three to follow were in a straight line, yet the closer we got to being directly below them they were in a slight triangle. The three behind that



Drawings from one witness. Case 32355

also changed orientation from a straight line to triangle-like patterns. The only light that changed orientation was the center one and the two on the outside stayed parallel to the horizon as they slowly moved north northwest." Photo. Video. Case 32541.

October 9, 2011: Witness driving home from work and "noticed a shining light moving at incredible speed through the sky changing directions and zipping back and forth." Then the object "slowed to a hover and seemed a ways into the distance; but then it began to glow and it glowed brighter and brighter until its light was blinding and impossible to overlook. Its light seemed to be only yards away and then the glow began to

dissipate and shrink back to its original position. Only when the shape took form again, it seemed to be oval-shaped and no longer sphere-shaped." Case 32497.

October 11, 2011 ;

Witness driving home from work, 9:45 p.m., when a "blue and red object came up quickly out from behind the trees, hovered for about 5-10 seconds and then quickly left the area." Photo. Case 32540.

Witness driving home to Raytown and "stopped at a light when I saw an object hovering in the sky. Couldn't make out what it was." Photo 1, Photo 2, Photo 3. Case 32539.

Downtown Kansas City. 5:47 a.m. "The reason I took the picture in the first place was to prove that there is an ongoing incursion or deluge of these things," the witness stated. Photo 1, Photo 2, Photo 3. Case 32535.

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