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Mass Sighting Reports Continue in Kansas City

By Margie Kay Assistant State Director

Missouri had the most number of UFO sighting reports submitted to International MUFON during the month of October, 2011, according to the Mutual UFO Network database at mufon.com.

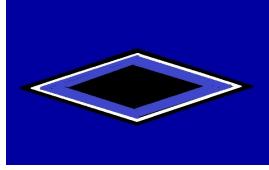
A total of 85 UFO sighting reports in Missouri during the month of October have been submitted to MUFON to date. Most of the sightings were in the Kansas City, Missouri area and the suburbs of Lee's Summit, Raytown, and Independence. The average number of reports for a 30-day period is 5-6 in Kansas City, however, sighting reports have increased steadily in this area since April of 2011.

I an heading up the investigation in Kansas City. Debbie Ziegelmeyer, State Director for Missouri MUFON and other field investigators are assisting with the high volume of investigations. The case has been moved to Star Team level.

47 reports remain unsolved and unidentified. Not all cases have been investigated yet.

The unidentified UFO sighting reports include multiple reports of

bright white, blue, orange, and dull black spheres at low altitude - even inches off of the groundand close proximity to witnesses. The spheres are the most perplexing of the reports, and occurred during the entire month of October. Other unidentified objects include large craft with blue lights that are not typical aircraft lights, two craft that turned on their sides and took off at a high rate of speed, and large diamond and triangular shaped craft that hovered at tree level up to 500 feet.



Drawing of the bottom of a UFO over I-435 Hwy and I-70 on October 30, 2011

The B-2 Mission:

Stan Seba, MUFON 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 of the witnesses provided match those of B -2 aircraft. All B-2 aircraft reported their positions as over KCMO at approx. 20:00 to 20:15 hrs, or between 8:00 and 8:15 pm. On October 4, 2011.

Stan said that "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"

Radar Reports:

Radar reports from October 4 indicate that there were several targets in the area at the time of the sightings. Oddly, a target was stationary at 38,000 feet nine miles north of the sightings for approximately 20 minutes. This remains unexplained. MUFON is analyzing these reports.

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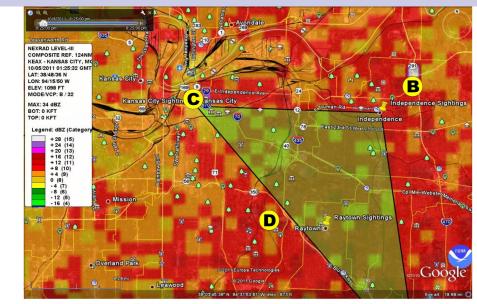
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We need content for the newsletter!

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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Missouri Sightings (1) At 8:25 pm, Echo B has changed intensity again. Movement is from S to N and higher in altitude and intensity.

<u>8:25 pm</u>

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(2) Echo C remain stationary geographically but increases altitude and intensity.

(3) Echo D only shows dark red and cannot be determined with any certainty to still be in place.

One of the three Radar Report pages received from MUFON HQ

Airport Reports:

I 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 involved a low -flying helicopter at 1:30 a.m. over houses when no helicopters should have been flying, and another report involved low-flying balls of light, according to the dispatcher. The airport has agreed to send future unexplained reports to Missouri MUFON.

The Flying Teams:

Debbie Ziegelmeyer contacted the *EAA Flying Team* and found that they flew in wing 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 approximately 7:00 P.M and 8:00 P.M. This was a demonstration or audition for the Kansas City Chiefs for a night time fly-over planned October 31.

After reports on October 31 I called the Lee's Summit Airport again. According to my contact at the airport the KC Flight Team left the airport at 6:45 PM and returned at 8:00 PM, flying over the Chiefs Stadium for Monday night football on October 31. This is a group from the Experimental Aircraft Association. There were seven planes flying in formation. Case #33047 is clearly that group (see the last video). The group flew in a circular pattern. and had flashing strobe lights typical of their night performances.

The KC Flight Team with seven planes flew over the Chief's Stadium for Monday night football on October 31, The flight path included areas over Lee's Summit, Raytown, and Kansas City. The group flew in a wing pattern and circular pattern, and had bright flashing strobe lights

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that are typical of their night performances. Debbie and I believe that this new type of night stunt flying will promote more UFO sighting reports in the coming vears all over the U.S. They believes that MUFON and other UFO reporting sites should consider putting a video of the Flight Team performances on their official websites so people can see what the Flying Teams look like, especially at night. Perhaps an aircraft identification page would be a good idea. This may cut down on the number of bogus reports that MUFON Field Investigators have to investigate.

Media Coverage:

These events have been covered heavily in the newspapers, TV, Radio, and websites including the Lee's Summit Journal, KCTV 5, Fox 4, KSMO TV 62, KCMO 710 AM radio, Examiner.com (articles by Roger Marsh), Eye Witness Radio (www.eyewitnessradio.com), Project White Paper (http://chasekloetzke.com/Project_White_Paper.html) and others.

There is a report on YouTube by Jamie Maussan, which has some incorrect information. Mr. Maussan did not contact Missouri MU-FON investigators regarding this case before making the video.

Linda Moulton Howe did interviews with Margie Kay, which are posted at her website at earthfiles.com. Linda will also have a report on Coast to Coast AM on or about November 22, 2011 about these incidents

While several of the reports can be attributed to the Flying Teams that did flights over the Chief's Stadium, and perhaps sightings of the B-2 Stealth Bomber, many cannot be explained as conventional aircraft.

Some of the unexplained reports are following:

- A low-flying disc-shaped craft with lights all over the bottom hovered over the Raytown water tower, turned on it's side at 90-degrees and took off at light speed.
- A 40-foot diameter orange fireball hovered approximately 60 feet above a vehicle for several minutes at an intersection in Lee's Summit, Missouri, then moved away at a high rate of speed.
- Two witnesses saw a diamond -shaped black craft with a continuous white light along the bottom edge and a similar blue light inside the white light. The craft flew at the tree line north on I-435 to the I-70 exit then turned abruptly to the West and flew away at high speed.
- A woman and her son saw a basketball sized black sphere floating a few inches above Lee's Summit Road in Independence, Missouri at 10:30 PM on October 15 while stopped at a traffic light. The sphere traveled from north to south, then disappeared.
- A man watched five white balls of light the size of softballs dance around in the woods behind his house as he waited for his dog. One of the lights moved into the yard

- area approximately 25 feet from his position and six feet above the ground. The ball of light moved back into the trees and the dog followed. The dog then came running back into the house and acted strangely the rest of the evening.
- A woman saw a huge discshaped craft hovering less than 100' feet above a supermarket in Raytown, Missouri as she left her hairdresser one evening. She noticed that there were lights along the entire outside edges of the craft. The craft then moved slowly away.

Several witnesses have submitted video, photos, and drawings.

Many of these are available at www.mufon.com and more will be released soon

Missouri MUFON is working on completing investigations of all of the unexplained cases as soon as possible. Margie Kay is looking for more witnesses who may have video or still photos that may help to solve these mysteries.

If you see a UFO please report it to MUFON at www.mufon.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 or send it to Missouri MUFON, PO Box 1166, Independence, MO 64050.

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From the State Director

By Debbie Ziegelmeyer Missouri State Director BOD

October as most of you have heard was Missouri's busiest month for sighting reports in the 42 years MUFON has been in existence. We received 85 reports with most of them coming to us on October 4th. These sightings were primarily in the greater Kansas City area and occurred between 7:00pm and 9:00pm on October 4. Margie Kay, our Missouri MUFON Assistant State Director who lives in the area was diligent in her efforts to contact the witnesses with the most accurate information in an effort to discover the source of these sightings.

We had additional help from MUFON Investigators from other parts of our state and I took on the task of sorting out the explainable from the unexplainable of which there were plenty. The practice flight of the EAA Flying Stunt Team on the same evening was a major concern in trying to gather accurate sighting information, but not impossible once I was able to receive their flight plan. We also have WAFB in the area with their B2 Stealth Bombers flying practice maneuvers and a full squad of 12 "Drones" brought in to the area base which added to the difficulty of our task as well.

We were able to retrieve radar information of the area with some pretty interesting results and pictures, video and sketches from several witnesses. Our biggest concern in gathering facts was the reports we had from witnesses of seeing unidentified craft with blue lights. As far as we know, no aircraft display blue running lights, these are only used for airport runways. This investigation is massive and far from over, so our Missouri MUFON Investigators have many additional weeks of work ahead. We already have 15 reported sightings in November, with 12 of them being from October.

Our St. Louis area meeting in October welcomed Ted Phillips as the guest speaker. I was proud to present Ted with the "Ufology Lifetime Achievement Award" granted him by MUFON at the 2011 Symposium held in Irvine, California in August. Ted was unable to attend and receive his award at that time due to health issues.

Ted presented an up to date power point presentation on his work in Marley Woods, and some additional updates on his other investigations. Poor Ted had to overcome a St. Louis audience with a meeting held at a sports bar on the first night of the World Series which was a home game!



His Q/A segment was held sitting in front of a muted wide-screen TV, but Ted being the gentleman that he has always been was gracious (and a little interested in the outcome of the game as well).

Missouri MUFON is accepting donations on Ted Phillips's behalf for a much needed piece of equipment. Ted has his eye on a remote controlled helicopter with a camera. This will aid Ted in his investigation in the Marley area by giving him an aerial view and footage. Donations for this cause will be accepted on Ted's behalf at both of our state MUFON monthly meetings.

This month our St. Louis area meeting will be held as usual on the 3rd Wednesday (Nov. 16th) at: Culpeppers Restaurant 12316 Olive Blvd. Creve Coeur (Hwy 270/Olive Blvd.) 6:30pm-9:00pm

I will be doing a power point presentation on "Missouri's 2011 Sightings" with October updates.

Calendar of UFO Events



November 14: KCMUFON Westport Flea Market Restaurant, 817 Westport Rd. Kansas City, MO 64111. 6:30-8:45 PM. Guest Speaker: Annual UFO/ Paranormal Book Exchange and Sale and UFO Experience Sharing: Margie Kay will present an update on the recent Mass UFO sightings in Kansas City. Bring your books, DVDs, etc. to sell or trade with members and share your most recent UFO sighting with everyone. The KC ET Experiencers group will share some of their encounters.

November 16: St. Louis MU-FON 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.

November 17: KANSAS CITY SKYWATCH. Help us watch the skies for UFOs! Meet at Hearth-Masters at 1134 S Pearl Street, Independence, MO 7:00 PM—9:00 PM Meet us in the back. Park in back at 1136 S Pearl, in front or in the church parking lot across the street. Bring a comfortable chair and a camera and binoculars. We will have coffee and tea. Weather permitting. If weather is bad we will reschedule. Margie Kay 816-833-1602

December 12: KC MUFON Westport Flea Market Restaurant, Westport Flea Market Restaurant, 817 Westport Rd. Kansas City, MO 64111. 6:30–8:45 PM. Annual Holiday Party. Bring a dessert item if you can and a \$5—\$10 wrapped gift for the gift exchange. A \$3 -\$5 donation is requested to cover room fees and other expenses.

December 21: St. Louis MU-FON 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.

January 9, 2012: KC MUFON Westport Flea Market Restaurant, Westport Flea Market Restaurant, 817 Westport Rd. Kansas City, MO 64111. 6:30–8:45 PM. Guest Speaker: Chris Weisbach. A \$3 - \$5 donation is requested to cover room fees and other expenses.

January 18: 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

February 13: KC MUFONWestport Flea Market Restaurant,
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817 Westport Rd. Kansas City,
MO 64111. 6:30–8:45 PM. Guest
speaker TBA. A \$3 -\$5 donation
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and other expenses.

February 15: 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.

February 22-26, 2012: 21st Annual UFO Congress, Fort McDowell Resort & Casino, 10438 North Fort McDowell Rd, Fountain Hills, AZ. The IUFOC was established in 1991 and hosts an annual conference on UFOs and related phenomena. The Conference was held in Laughlin, NV until 2011 when it moved to the Phoenix, Arizona area. www.ufocongress.com.

March 12, 2012: KC MUFON Meeting: Westport Flea Market Restaurant, 817 Westport Rd. Kansas City, MO 64111. 6:30-8:45 PM Guest speaker: Ted **Phillips**. Ted will present a look at physical trace landing cases past to present, including his twelve years of research and investigations in the Marley Woods and research and investigations into the connections between UFOs and Paranormal activity. Ted will be presenting over 100 images during the talk. Cost is \$10.00 for MUFON members and \$20.00 for non-members. If vou have not joined MUFON please visit www.mufon.com to ioin.

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