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NEWSLETTER



SPRING PEST & WILDLIFE SEASON IS HERE

Protect your home before small problems turn into costly damage.

Spring pest and wildlife activity is starting across Northern Colorado. From mosquitoes and stinging insects to wildlife and ants, early prevention is key to avoiding costly problems later in the season.

We're here to help you stay ahead of the season and protect your home before small problems become costly repairs.

WILDLIFE BREEDING SEASON IS HERE!

SMALL PROBLEMS NOW BECOME BIG DAMAGE LATER.

WARNING SIGNS:

- ✓ Scratching in Attic
- ✓ Droppings in Garage
- ✓ Soffit or Vent Damage
- ✓ Strong Musky Smells
- ✓ Animals in Roofline



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DON'T WAIT UNTIL IT'S TOO LATE!

Spring Has Arrived... And So Have They

As temperatures rise across Northern Colorado, pest activity increases rapidly.

We're currently seeing:

- Ant activity (especially odorous house ants)
- Increased spider pressure
- Early wasp nest development
- Wildlife activity around sheds and crawlspaces

Spring prevention now saves costly summer infestations later.

Ant Season Is Active

As temperatures warm up, ant activity increases across Northern Colorado. Ants are one of the most common spring pest issues — and if you're seeing them inside, the colony is usually already nearby.

Common Ants We See



Carpenter Ants – Larger ants that can nest in damp or damaged wood



Pavement Ants – Small ants often found along foundations and sidewalks



Field Ants – Typically outdoor ants that may wander inside

For more information on ants check out our website at <https://www.nocopwcontrol.com/pest-control/ants>



Spider Activity Is Increasing

As temperatures rise, spider activity increases around homes and structures.

Most spiders are not dangerous — but they can quickly become a nuisance when populations build.

Why You're Seeing More Spiders

Spiders follow their food source — meaning:

- More insects = more spiders
- Lights attract bugs → bugs attract spiders
- Entry points allow both insects and spiders inside

Common Problem Areas

- Corners of ceilings
- Garages and basements
- Exterior siding & eaves
- Window wells and light fixtures

Important to Know

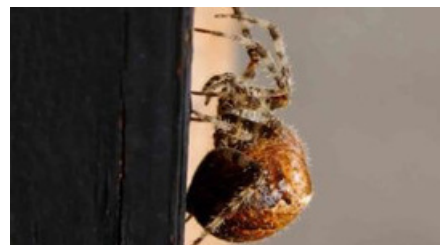
Spiders are often a secondary pest — meaning if you're seeing a lot of spiders, there's usually another insect issue attracting them.

How We Help

Our treatments focus on:

- Reducing insect populations (their food source)
- Exterior perimeter protection
- Web removal and treatment of entry points.

For more information on spiders check out our website at <https://www.nocopwcontrol.com/pest-control/spiders>



Stinging Insects Are Building Now

In May, queens begin building nests that grow rapidly through summer and can quickly turn into a large, aggressive colony by mid to late summer.



What to Watch For:

- Small paper nests under eaves
- Wasps flying near rooflines
- Ground holes (yellow jackets)
- Early nests in trees or shrubs

Early-season treatment:

- Is safer
- More effective
- Helps prevent stings
- Reduces the chance of large infestations



Be Careful with DIY Removal



Removing nests without proper equipment or treatment can be dangerous — especially with yellow jackets and hornets.

Pro Tip

Take a few minutes this month to walk your property and check:

- Eaves and rooflines
- Decks and patio covers
- Fence lines and sheds
- Trees and shrubs

If you notice consistent activity in one area, it's best to address it early.

For more information on stinging insects check out our website at <https://www.nocopwcontrol.com/pest-control/stinging-insects-2/>



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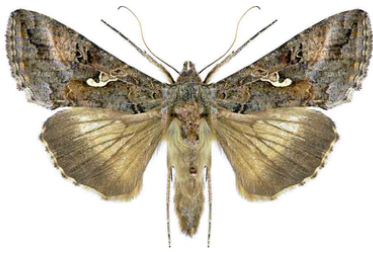
We're proud to recognize Dane as our Employee of the Quarter!

Dane has shown incredible motivation in the pest and wildlife industry, bringing a lifelong passion for bugs and animals into his work every day. His strong commitment to learning and growth has allowed him to quickly expand his industry knowledge, and his dedication to both quality service and customer satisfaction has not gone unnoticed.

He is especially passionate about protecting pollinators—particularly bees—and takes pride in delivering solutions that are both effective and environmentally responsible.

Outside of work, Dane enjoys bowling, reading, and playing video games. You might catch him listening to some classic “Dad Rock,” with favorites like Nirvana and Red Hot Chili Peppers.

Thank you, Dane, for your hard work and dedication—we're lucky to have you on the team!



Miller Moth Season Is On It's Way

Each spring, Colorado experiences an increase in miller moth activity as they migrate across the state. While they do not damage homes or reproduce indoors, they can become a major nuisance when they enter in large numbers.

Why You're Seeing Them

- Miller moths are attracted to:
- Porch and exterior lighting
- Open doors and garages
- Gaps around windows and vents
- Warm indoor spaces

They often appear suddenly and in high numbers during migration season.

Why Treatment Isn't Recommended

Miller moths are temporary seasonal pests and typically move through the area within a few weeks.

Because of this: Chemical treatments are not effective long-term and they do not nest or reproduce inside homes.

Pro Tip

Miller moth season may be temporary, but a few simple steps can make a huge difference in keeping them outside your home.

Reducing exterior lighting at night and sealing gaps around doors and windows can help limit indoor activity.

Still battling moths indoors? We offer fly light rentals to help reduce indoor moth activity during peak season.

Give us a call at **970-330-3929** to have one installed!

Mosquito Season Has Arrived Early

Warmer temperatures and recent moisture have caused mosquito activity to begin earlier than usual across Northern Colorado.

Mosquitoes reproduce quickly, meaning small breeding areas can turn into large populations fast.

Common Mosquito Breeding Areas

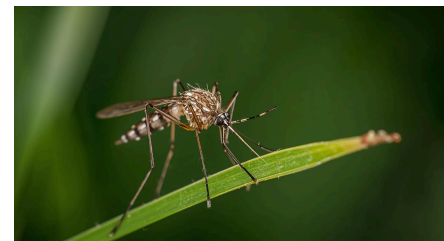
- Bird baths
- Clogged gutters
- Overwatered lawns
- Standing water near foundations
- Kiddie pools and outdoor containers
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Even small amounts of standing water can become breeding sites.

Why Early Prevention Matters

Starting mosquito prevention early in the season can significantly reduce breeding cycles and help keep mosquito populations lower throughout the summer. Early treatment also helps make outdoor spaces more enjoyable for family gatherings, backyard activities, and evenings outside before mosquito activity peaks.

Give us a call at **970-330-3929** for a quote on our quarterly mosquito service and enjoy your outdoor spaces with fewer mosquitoes this season.





Trackers Corner

Spring Sniffing Season is Here!

Spring is a busy time for pests—and for us K9s too! As temperatures warm up, bed bugs become more active and begin spreading more easily through travel, guests, and shared spaces. I've been hard at work helping sniff out even the smallest signs of bed bugs before they turn into a bigger problem. Remember, early detection is key—my nose can find what the human eye can't! If you've recently traveled, had overnight guests, or just want peace of mind, it might be time for a quick check.

Pro Tip from Tracker:

After traveling, unpack directly into the washer and dryer on high heat before putting anything away!



Does Your Yard Suffer From Japanese Beetles?

Japanese beetles can quickly damage ornamental plants, roses, trees, and shrubs throughout Northern Colorado.

You may notice:

- Skeletonized leaves
- Large clusters of metallic green beetles
- Damage to roses, grapes, linden trees, and ornamental plants



What You Can Do

- Install Japanese beetle traps ("beetle bags") away from plants you want to protect. Beetle traps work best when placed 20–30 feet away from ornamental plants to help draw beetles away from landscaping.
- Hand remove beetles early in the morning when they are less active
- Keep plants healthy and well-maintained
- Monitor lawns for grub activity later in the season

Important to Know

At Northern Colorado Pest & Wildlife Control, we specialize in structural pest and wildlife services and do not provide ornamental plant treatments.

If treatment is needed for trees, shrubs, turf, or ornamental plants, we recommend contacting a licensed lawn and ornamental specialist.

Questions about structural pests or wildlife? Give us a call at **970-330-3929**

A Note From the Office

- **Payment Reminder:**

Save 5% on annual plans when paying in advance.

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- **New Billing Address:**

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