

timesunion

<https://www.timesunion.com/local/article/More-than-100-UFOs-sightings-reported-in-NY-last-13526339.php>

More than 100 UFOs sightings reported in NY last year

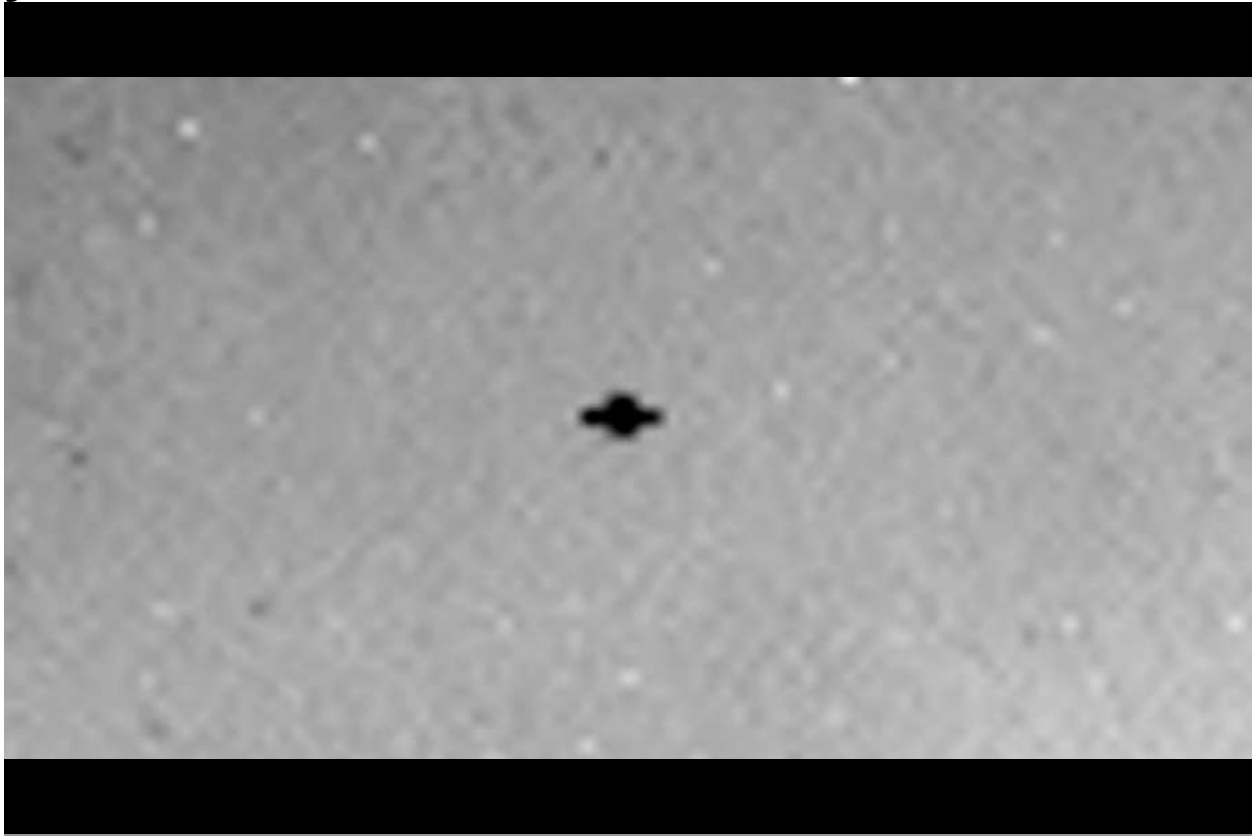


IMAGE 1 OF 25

>>Click through to see some of the reported UFO sightings around the Capital Region in 2018. Click on the town name for each report. [Here's the full list.](#)



More than 100 UFO sightings were reported in New York last year to the [National UFO Reporting Center](#)

all, there were 103 UFO reports from the state in 2018.

>>Click through the slideshow to see some of the reported UFO sightings. [Click here for the full list.](#)

Many mention triangular-shaped objects or groups of objects, blinking lights, hovering objects and either saucer-shaped or cigar-shaped craft.

Related Stories

- › 10 flying objects people have mistaken for alien spaceships
- ›  Workers at NASA's Johnson Space Center brace for missing paycheck Friday
- ›  Top 20 states with the most UFO sightings

The majority of sightings happened after dark, but one student **spotted an object** while taking a test on the morning of April 17 in Burnt Hills.

"I was sitting in class and looked out of my class window and noticed a small egg-shaped object made of metal. It was floating above my school, but since I was taking a test I didn't point it out."

The National UFO Reporting Center site indicates whether anyone

checked out the report (some are labeled "hoax?") or view video or photos.

A sighting from Route 88 near Richmondville, Schoharie County, in July mentioned a semi truck with trooper and military escort: "On the flatbed was a craft that resembled a somewhat flattened bullet, with the back end flatter and 3 or 4 round things inside the back end for possible propulsion or exhaust function. no windows. no wings."

The center noted: "Nice illustration provided by witness. We suspect that the object probably was some type of military platform."

And then there's **the report that begins**, "please keep me anonymous we just want to

know if we are safe."

"My son and sister witnessed a creature at 3:20 in the morning while letting dog out. they came in running and screaming. they said the thing was 7-8 feet tall grey green elongated head, no genitals and when they startled it it ran at an impossible speed covering over 150 in two seconds and was out of sight."

A 2017 study by Chapman University in California found that 35 percent of Americans believe that aliens have come to Earth in the ancient past; 23 percent believe aliens are still visiting in modern times.

The National UFO Reporting Center said it has recently seen a high volume of prank calls on its hotline, "typically dozens per day ... we suspect that the same problem may spill over to the stream of incoming written reports."

However, it said, "there are, nevertheless, many excellent reports, submitted by anonymous parties, that deserve a reader's attention, so a anonymous report is not necessarily unreliable."

© 2019 Hearst Communications, Inc.

H E A R S T

