

deerfly *(deer-fly)*

Definition

n. any of various stoutbodied bloodsucking flies of the genus Chrysops closely related to the horseflies but smaller and having spotted or banded wings

Example Sentence

The horse swished the **deerfly** away with its tail.

Synonyms

small horsefly; blood-sucking fly; stout-bodied fly

Antonyms

bat

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