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i.	Geographical area	Aegean Islands
ii.	Region	Rhodes
iii.	Site	Rhodos

i.	Full name (original language)	'Απολλωνιασταί Θεαιδητείων 'Αστυμηδείων
ii.	Full name (transliterated)	Apolloniastai Thaideteion Astymedeion

i. Date(s)	i BC

ii. Name elements	Personal:	 Θεαιδητείων, Theaideteion - From the Greek personal name Θεαίδητος, Theaidetos (LGPN s.v. no. 6) ᾿Αστυμηδείων, Astymedeion - From the Greek personal name ἀστυμήδης, Astymedes (LGPN s.v. no. 20). 			
	Theophoric:	'Απολλωνιασταί, Apolloniastai - From the god 'Απολλων, Apollon (Morrelli, I culti in Rodi [Pisa, 1959], 21-28, 102-110).			
Note		The character of the association is greatly reminiscent of other associations described as κοινὸν, <i>koinon</i> , although the descriptive term has been omitted in this case.			

i.	Source(s)	IG XII(1) 163	
	Online Resources	<u>IG XII(1) 163</u>	
		AGRW no. 12541	
i.a.	Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)	

i. Private association	Certain
Note	The use of theophoric and personal name elements, and the dedicatory-honourific context of the attested inscriptions make the private character of the association certain, although a descriptive term is omitted.

