

CAPInv. 2021: Apolloniastai Thaideteion Astymedeion

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I. LOCATION

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

II. NAME

i. Full name (original language)	Ἀπολλωνιασταί Θεαιδητείων Ἀστυμηδείων
ii. Full name (transliterated)	<i>Apolloniastai Thaideteion Astymedeion</i>

III. DATE

i. Date(s)	i BC
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IV. NAME AND TERMINOLOGY

ii. Name elements	Personal:	Θεαιδητείων, <i>Theaideteion</i> - From the Greek personal name Θεαίδητος, <i>Theaidetos</i> (LGPN s.v. no. 6)
		Ἀστυμηδείων, <i>Astymedeion</i> - From the Greek personal name Ἀστυμήδης, <i>Astymedes</i> (LGPN s.v. no. 20).
	Theophoric:	Ἀπολλωνιασταί, <i>Apolloniastai</i> - From the god Ἀπολλων, <i>Apollon</i> (Morrelli, <i>I culti in Rodi</i> [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.

V. SOURCES

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

XIII. EVALUATION

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.