
5CBA Meeting Minutes – March 2018

Call to order

A meeting of the 5CBA was held at The Lodge at Bennett Bunn Plantation on Tuesday March 20, 2018. Club Co-President Gov Wallace called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Approval of minutes

The February 2018 minutes, as posted on web site, were approved by general consensus.

Reports

Treasurer's Report – David Holland presented the Treasurer's report. The 5CBA balance as of 2/28/2018 was \$4209.45 The income was from membership renewals and new memberships.

5CBA Renewal time:

Please contact Debbie or David Holland to renew, dholland@31me.com

Individual membership is \$15.00

Family membership is \$20.00

Tablecloths for Club for use in 5CBA display in events:

A motion was made by Candace Alvarez that the club spend up to \$120 on fabric for club tablecloths.

Motion was seconded by Lane Kreitlow. Discussion was requested, however there was none. Motion carried by show of hands.

Announcements

Nucs for sale:

Our club was contacted by Tim Norray of Norray's Honey , he offered our club members nucs for sale at the cost of \$145- per nuc. Magnus Ullberg has communicated with Tim, Magnus is currently taking orders for the nucs.

Swarm List:

A list was sent around the meeting for anyone interested in being added to sign up.

Mentor Wanted List:

A list was sent around the meeting for anyone interested in being added to sign up.

I want to be a Mentor List:

A list was sent around the meeting for anyone interested in being added to sign up.

Ed Paris will coordinate all three lists.

Speakers Bureau List:

The club gets requests for speakers at schools, rotary club, etc. If you are interested in being a speaker contact Suzy Spencer. Suzy sent a list around the meeting for anyone interested in being added to sign up.

Apiary Field Days:

Tim Huffman is chairperson of the 5CBA Apiary Field days. Contact Tim Huffman if you are interested in getting on the e mail list. A list was sent around the meeting for anyone interested in being added to the apiary e mail to sign up.

Annual 5CBA Picnic – Is scheduled for Sunday April 15th. A signup genius has been e mailed to all members. The picnic will start about 1:30PM. We will have bee races and a silent auction.

Born and Bred Queen Rearing Program

David Arnold: chairperson

Contact David Arnold @: david@pacepdh.com to be place on the list for the program.

Update on the bee school:

The school was good, great lunch. Thanks to everyone who helped put this together.

Zoo volunteers must take training class given by the zoo. See NCSBA website for more information.

NCSU “Tagging Bees Field Day” Contact Dr Tarpay at NCSU if you are interested. drtarpy@ncsu.edu

This Month in the Bee Yard

- Check for queen cells.
- Heft the hive & feed as needed
- If you are feeding don't put supers on.
- Set bait boxes out.
- If temp is over 65 - open and check your hives.
- Do mite check & treat accordingly.

Program: Beekeeping Equipment by member Darryl Gabritsch

Darryl presented a very thorough power point presentation on beekeeping equipment. He brought a significant amount of beekeeping equipment for members to look over. Complete hive, tools, protective gear etc.

Door prize drawings were held.

Adjournment

Gov thanked those who bought door prizes, thanked everyone for coming, and then adjourned the meeting at 9:30 PM. Our next meeting is scheduled on Tuesday, April 17, 2018 at 7 PM.

Secretary

Date of approval