



5CBA Meeting Minutes – May 2018

Call to order

A meeting of the 5CBA was held at The Lodge at Bennett Bunn Plantation on Tuesday May15, 2018. Club Co-President Gov Wallace called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Reports

Treasurer's Report – David Holland presented the Treasurer's report. The 5CBA balance as of 5/1/2018 was \$3732.00

Announcements

Volunteers needed:

State Farmers Market – “Honey Bee Day” – August 18,2018

Chairperson: Greg Wolgemuth

Co chair – Tim Huffman

Co chair – Gov Wallace

State Fair – 5CBA Booth – Oct 2018

No volunteers at this time.

Bug Fest – Sept 2018

Chairperson – Jennifer Tredway

Co chair – Candace Alvarez

Co chair – Danny Alvarez

Daily Planet Café May 17,2018 at 7 PM

Jennifer Tredway announced there will be a free lecture at the Daily Planet Café on “Keep the Hive Alive” beginning at 7PM. Jennifer will go early and hold a table for us. Parking is free.

Pollinator Day Celebration May 19, 2018

Chatham County Bee Club 11th annual Pollinator Day Celebration. 9am – 1pm on the lawn at Chatham Mills in Pittsboro, N.C. All welcome

Born and Bred Queen Rearing Program

David Arnold: chairperson

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

In 4th week of grafting. Meet twice a week Wed & Sat.

Member Spotlight

Danny Alvarez spoke on the 13 swarms he had on the same tree in 1 month.

Bayer Bee Care Center Tour

Jennifer Tredway will obtain information on available tours at Bayer Bee Care Center. We will see if there is interest in a tour.

Program: Honey Extraction – 2 techniques

Greg Wolgemuth instructed and demonstrated the crush and strain technique.

Tim Huffman instructed and demonstrated the preparation and use of the extractor.

All club members were invited to try either extraction method.

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, June 19, 2018 at 7 PM.

Secretary

Date of approval