

091219 MHB Club Meeting

McDowell Honeybees Monthly Meeting
September 12 2019

Called to order by Ed Speer at 6:32 pm

Treasurer report

- Treasury Report - \$2551.63
- Programs -
 - Community Outreach
 - October 12, 2019 - Mountain Glory Festival
 - 80 bottles of honey to sell at \$12/ bottle
 - Volunteers to man booth for two hour periods
 - Observation hive will be in the booth
 - Sourwood Honey Tasting and Mini-Festival - September 21 - 1-5pm
 - Keepers Cut Meadery
 - All Honey must be submitted by 12:30pm, volunteers needed at noon
 - Winners will be announced immediately after the tasting
 - Mentoring
 - Hospitality
 - Newsletter
 - Honeybee Wellness
 - Honey House
 - Golden Achievement Program
 - Met Threshold
 - Received gift package worth several hundred dollars
 - A portion of the prize package will be gifted to Jill Read as a thank you for putting together the notebook.
 - Plaque and notebook will be kept in the Honey house
 - Thermal Hive Treatment Program
 - 3 available (5, 8 and 10 frame)
 - Early Fall is the ideal time to treat for mites using the MMK

Old Business:

New Business

- New Officers will be voted in in November, nominating committee is being organized

Events

- September 21, 2019 - Sourwood Honey Tasting - Keeper's Cut Meadery - Saturday at 2pm
- October 10, 2019 - MHB Club Meeting - Ed Speer - Insulating your hive
- October 12, 2019 - Mountain Glory Festival - We will need volunteers for bottling the spring wildflower and at the festival
- November 12 - Executive Board Meeting
- November 14, 2019 - Officer Voting/ Pot Luck -

Business portion of the meeting closed at 6:51 pm

Lynn makes motion we adjourn Jim seconds, all in favor

Minutes submitted by Karen Speer, Secretary