

061418 MHB Club Meeting

McDowell Honeybees Monthly Meeting
June 14, 2018

Called to order by Ed Speer at 6:32 pm

Treasurer report

Balance 5424.56 including petty cash
83 memberships

Committees

- Executive Committee -
- Programs -
 - GAP - Jill - please fill out GAP forms either online or see Jill and she assist you with filling it out
 - Karen to send photos to Jill from gear day
 - Community Outreach
 - MTCC Apiary -
 - College Hives - only 1 hives has survived. Making plans to move it back to the college. Will take any volunteer bees
 - Carson House apiary
 - Ready to move but delayed due to rain/flooding.
 - Honey House - Adam Wright
 - Being used daily. Coordinate all usage through Adam
 - Hospitality
 - Please see Lynn if you are interested in helping out with the hospitality committee and if you are willing to bring refreshments.
 - Mentoring Program
 - Mentoring Committee - Stephanie Wilds
 - Beekeeper Education - Karen Speer
 - Field Days
 - Field Days are being scheduled
 - ® Email will be sent out with dates
 - ® Practical can be delivered by mentor if that individual is a Journeyman or Master level beekeeper
 - 7 students has signed up for Advanced beekeeping course by Bill Hendley

Website - Karen Speer

Honeybee Wellness

- Any club member can apply for up to \$20 reimbursement for queens, nucs or packages as long as they come from an approved supplier. If you have a question as to whether your purchase is reimbursable, contact a board member.

New Business:

- Rick Coors - Letter for request for donations for Dr. Tarpy's
 - Jacob recommends that we donate money
 - What is Dr. Tarpy using the money for?
 - Everyone is in favor of donating but would like to have a better idea of what the \$ will be used for
- Community Outreach
 - Painters has added "Honey Bee Friendly" Stickers to appropriate plants.

- Painters has invited the club to participate in Pollinator Week
- Summer NCSBA Meeting - Flat Rock - July 19-21
 - \$50 for individual for all three days, \$85 for family membership
 - \$65 if not a member
 - Onsite registration will be an additional \$10

Next Executive meeting July 10, Sweet Betsy Farm

Next meeting July 12, McDowell Sr. Center

Business portion of the meeting closed at 18:56

Mike makes motion we adjourn, Jim A seconds, all in favor

Minutes submitted by Karen Speer, Secretary