

Proposed Agenda
Raleigh County Beekeepers Cooperative Association
Thursday, February 20, 2020
6:30 PM

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Recognitions
 - A. West Virginia Beekeepers Association Grant
5. Communications/Reports
 - A. Beginners/Intermediate/Queen Rearing Course Update – R. Darrin Butcher, Treasurer
 - B. Member Ties Communication Tool – R. Darrin Butcher, Treasurer
 - C. WVBA Executive Board Meeting Update – Mark Lilly, President / R. Darrin Butcher, Treasurer
 - D. How to Boost your Hives for Spring – Mark Lilly, President
 - E. How to Make and Effective Five Gallon Bucket Feeder – Mark Lilly, President
6. Unfinished Business
 - A. **Pollen Sub will be available for purchase at the meeting through cost sharing with the RCBCA. A two pound bag of Pollen Sub will be \$2. This is an excellent way to help boost your hives for spring.**
7. Policies and Procedures
 - A. None
8. Consent Items
 - A. Approve minutes of Regular Meeting January 16, 2020
 - B. Intermediate / Advanced Beekeeping Course – Saturday, February 22, 2020 – 8:30AM – 3:30PM RCBOE Central Office – Munson Hall
 - C. Future meetings/events: *Regular Meeting – Thursday, March 19, 2020 – 6:30 PM RCBOE Central Office - Munson Hall*
 - D. *WVBA Spring Conference, Friday & Saturday, March 20-21, 2020, Randolph County Armory, Elkins, WV*
 - E. *Mite Treatment Day – Saturday, April 25, 2020 – Sign up for treatment of up to 5 hives.*
 - E. *Raise Your Own Queens Course/Workshop – Friday and Saturday, May8-9, 2020, RCBOE Central Office/ Raleigh County Schools Apiary Yard, Cool Ridge, WV*
9. New Business
 - A. Approve Renewal of Member Ties Software – Currently \$69 Renewal Fee
 - B. Approve Webmaster Annual Fee of \$120
 - C. Approve payment of \$500 to Raleigh County Schools for Candle Molds – Proceeds from WVBE Grant
 - D. Authorize purchase of Customized Tent up to \$1,500 (\$500 will be proceeds from WVBA Grant).
 - E. Cost – Sharing Opportunity for Members – Approve Purchase of Formic Pro for hive treatments.
10. Adjournment

Respectfully Submitted,
R. Darrin Butcher, Treasurer

2020 RCBCA MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE NOW DUE – IF YOU HAVE NOT YET PAID YOUR ANNUAL DUES, PLEASE BRING YOUR MEMBERSHIP FEE OF \$20 TO THIS WEEKS MEETING..... THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE RALEIGH COUNTY BEEKEEPERS COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION