

March 4-5, 2011

NCSBA and SCBA Joint Meeting

Hosted by

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Gaston College

Dallas, NC

Agenda

Friday, March 4, 2011

- 8 – 10:00 – Open for vendor setup – Myers Center Cafe area
- 10:00 – Registration opens – Myers Center Lobby
- 10:30 – 11:30 – (Optional) Q&A for beginning beekeepers with Master Beekeepers (Myers Center Auditorium)
- 11:00 – NC & SC Executive Committee Meetings (NC-Myers Center Board Room; SC-Dalpiaz Building Room # 215)
- 1:00 – Opening Session – Myers Center Auditorium; Call to Order / Welcome – Jeanne Price, President NCSBA; Invocation – Local Chapter Representative
- 1:15 – Presidents Report – Jeanne Price, President NCSBA; Wes Boomer. President SCBA; Irvin Rackley; **Dr. John Ambrose**, Past NC State Extension Apiculturist
- 1:30 – NC Extension update – **Dr. David Tarpy**, Professor, NC State University
- 1:45 – NC Apiary inspectors report – **Don Hopkins**, NC Head Apiary Inspector; SC Apiary inspectors report – **Fred Singleton**, SC Head Apiary Inspector
- 2:15 – Small Hive Beetle Research at Clemson – **Dr. Mike Hood**, Professor, Clemson University
- 2:45 – Break and Snacks, please visit the vendors
- 3:10 – Door prizes
- 3:15 – Honey Bee Health Issues and Breeding for Resistance – **Dr. Greg Hunt**, Professor Purdue University
- 4:00 – Marketing outside the beehive – **Virginia Webb**, Clarksville, GA
- 4:45 – Panel Discussion: **Dr. Hood, Dr. Connor, Dr. Hunt, Don Hopkins and Fred Singleton**
- 5:30 – Recess for dinner on your own
- 7:00 – Keynote address – The problem with queens – **Dr. Larry Connor**, Owner Wicwas Press; Bee Culture and American Bee Journal Contributor

Saturday, March 5, 2011

- 7:30 – Registration opens
- 8:00 – Opening Session – Myers Center Auditorium; Welcome – Danny Jaynes, 1st Vice President NCSBA; Door Prizes
- 8:15 – Biology driven beekeeping – **Dr. Larry Connor**
- 9:00 – The New Honey Standard – **Dr. John Ambrose**
- 9:30 – Break and Snacks, please visit the vendors
- 9:40 – SCBA Business meeting – Myers Auditorium
- 10:00 – Workshops – Rauch Building (see schedule in packet)
- 11:00 – Workshops – Rauch Building (see schedule in packet)
- 11:45 – Visit Vendors & Lunch on you own
- 1:00, 2:00, 3:00 – Workshops – Rauch Building (see schedule in packet)
- 4:00 – Conference Ends – Drive Home Safely

Workshop Schedule – Saturday workshops in the Rauch Building

Workshop and Presenter

- Africanized Bees update – **Dr. Greg Hunt**
- Trapping Small Hive Beetles – **Dr. Mike Hood**
- MBP Written Examinations – MBP Committee
- Nosema detection with a microscope – training (Preregistration required (limit 24 per session)) – **Glen Hackney**
- Introduction to queen rearing (Preregistration required (2 hour workshop)) – **Dr Juliana Rangel**
- Hivetracks – demonstration – **Dr. James Wilkes**
- Preparing Products of the Hive for Competition and Sale – **Danny Jaynes**
- Skep Beekeeping – **Richard Flanagan**
- Bees wax candle making – **Virginia Webb**
- Bees wax ornaments and other wax products – **Virginia Webb**
- Inspecting your hive like an inspector – **North Carolina Apiary Inspectors**
- Marking and Identifying Queens – **North Carolina Apiary Inspectors**

Registration

Registration Fees Individual Family registration desk

At-the-door: \$30 \$35

Non-members additional * \$15* \$15*

* pays 2011 NCSBA membership for one person. SCBA and VSBA members qualify for "member" rates at this meeting with current membership ID card.