

July 12-14,2007

NCSBA Summer Meeting

Hosted by

Neuse Regional Beekeepers

at

Lenoir Community College

Waller Hall

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“the country Neusiok, situated upon a goodly river called Neuse”

— 1585, report to Sir Walter Raleigh

Sunset on Neuse River in Kinston

And a goodly river it was,

flowing with history, facts, ideas, questions, advice, shared experiences, fun,
and fellowship for the 371 in attendance!

Meeting

Lectures

- Lecture on Bee Forensics
- Colony collapse disorder
- Honey bee genome
- Beekeeping in foreign lands
- Honey bee forensics
- Genetics of honey bee populations
- Apiary inspection reports

Speakers

- Dr. Jay Evans, USDA Bee Lab, Beltsville
- Dennis vanEngelsdorp, Penn. State Apiarist
- Keith Tignor, VA State Apiarist
- Ann Harman, VA Beekeepers Association
- Deborah Delaney, Washington State Univ.
- Don Hopkins, NC State Apiarist
- Ellis Hardison, NC Master Beekeeper
- Buddy Marterre, MD, NC Master Beekeeper
- Ham Morton, Commercial Beekeeper
- Brian Howell, Bee Man Candle Co.
- David Tarpy, NCSU Entomology-Apiculture
- Adolphus Leonard, NC Bee Inspector

Workshops

- AHB agent training
- Honey labels
- Queen rearing
- Pesticide training
- Beekeeping genetics
- Candle making
- Commercial beekeeping
- Disease and pest identification
- The Cape honey bee

Special Events

- In the apiary with the experts
- Organic farming and beekeeping—tour of CEFS
- Ask the Experts
- Door prizes
- Silent auction (\$1,341 raised for the Apiculture Science Fund! Thanks to all donors and buyers.)
- Reception and entertainment
- Banquet and awards
- Honey and cooking contests
- Vendor displays and sales

Banquet

Friday night in gymnasium. Serving authentic Eastern North Carolina barbecue catered by the historic and famous Kings Restaurant. Plus awards and presentations.

Congratulations to the Forsyth County Beekeepers for earning the Golden Achievement Chapter of the Year Award for 2006!

Registration

Registration Fees	Individual	Family
Advance:	\$20	\$25
At the door:	\$25	\$30
Non-members additional*:	\$15*	\$15*
Banquet:	\$10	

* pays 2007 membership for one person

Weather

Averages for July 12-14:

High Temp: 92°F

Low Temp: 70°F

Actual: High / Low

Thur. 88 / 72

Fri. 84 / 72

Sat. 84 / 73