

# North Carolina State Beekeepers Association (NCSBA)


2019 Summer Conference  
HICKORY AUGUST 8-10



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<b>2019 Summer NCSBA Conference Schedule</b> <b>Hickory, North Carolina</b> STAGE EVENTS HELD IN <b>Catawba 4</b> Registration in the Lobby 9:00 until 4:00		<b>NO AUDIO OR VIDEO RECORDING WITHOUT EXPRESS PERMISSION</b>		
<b>Thursday</b> August 8, 2019				
10:00-12:00	<b><u>Journeyman to Masters Beekeepers Review</u></b> <i>Hickory 3</i>	<b><u>Ask the Experts</u></b> Beekeepers, Inspectors and Extension <i>Hickory 4</i>		
<b>10:00</b>	<b>Vendor Area Open from 10:00 to 5:30</b>			
<b>12:15-1:10</b>	<b>Call to Order: Paul Newbold, NCSBA President</b> Invocation <b>NCSBA Program Updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Master Beekeepers Program Update - Doug Galloway, NCSBA MBP Chair</li><li>• Born &amp; Bred Program Update – Etienne Nadeau, NCSBA B&amp;B Chair</li><li>• Legislative Update</li><li>• Certified Honey – Kenny Jones</li><li>• North Carolina Zoo – Linda Hardison</li><li>• North Carolina State Fair</li><li>• Vendor update – Rick Coor</li></ul>			
<b>1:10-2:00</b>	<b>Dr. Elina Lastro Niño – UC Davis: “What’s the buzz from the E. L. Niño Bee Lab”</b>			
2:00-2:10	Refreshments Break			
<b>2:10-3:00</b>	<b>Dr. Vera Strogolova: “Microbiology For Beekeepers”</b>			
<b>3:10-4:00</b>	<b>NCDA&amp;CS Apiary Inspectors – The State of Beekeeping in North Carolina</b>			
<b>4:10-5:00</b>	<b>Workshops</b>			
	<i>Why &amp; How to Keep Bees in Top Bar Hives</i>	<b>Christy Hemenway</b> Gold Star Honeybees	Hickory 3	
	<i>Hive Beetle Control – An Interesting View</i>	<b>Joel Hausser</b> Tennessee Hive Inspector	Hickory 4	
	<i>The 6 M’s to Overwintering Success - How to Keep Your Bees Alive</i>	<b>Stephen Taylor</b> NCJB	Catawba 3	
	<i>Advocacy for Our Honey Bees</i>	<b>Michele Colopy</b> Pollinator Stewardship Council	Catawba 4	
	<i>How to Identify Queen Events</i>	<b>Jennifer Keller</b> NCSU	In the Apiary!	
<b>5:30</b>	<b>Vendor Area Closes</b>			
5:00-7:00	Executive Committee Meeting		<b>@ Hampton Inn</b>	

<b>Master Beekeeping Testing – <u>Conover 3 &amp; 4</u></b> ***All Levels of written tests, as well as Journeyman and Master practicals***		
<b>Friday</b>	1:00-4:00	<b>NO TEST ISSUED AFTER 2:00</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	9:00-12:00	<b>NO TEST ISSUED AFTER 10:00</b>

<b>Honey Show and Cooking with Honey</b> *** <b>FRIDAY</b> *** <b>8am – 10am</b> - Drop off entries for Honey Show and Cooking with Honey		
<b>Honey Show</b>	Conover 1	Join in and take part of North Carolina's finest Honey Competition & Cooking with Honey entries!!!
<b>Cooking with Honey</b>	Conover 2	

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Registration in the Lobby 8:30 until 3:00

## Friday August 9, 2019

<b>8:00-5:30</b>	<b>Vendor Area Open</b>		
8:45-9:00	Welcome and Announcements – Doug Vinson, 1 <sup>st</sup> VP NCSBA		
9:00-9:50	<b>Michele Colopy – “Mosquito Abatement Programs Can Damage Honey Bees and Native Pollinators”</b>		
9:50-10:00	Refreshments Break		
<b>10:00-10:50</b>	<b>Slava Strogolov – “The Microbial Beehive”</b>		
10:50-11:00	Door Prizes		
<b>11:10-12:00</b>	<b>Workshops</b>		
	Honey Bee Navigation	Gregory Fariss NCDA&CS Apiary Insp.	Hickory 3
	Cluster Mentoring	David Eckert & Lisa Vogel	Hickory 4
	Agritourism in the Apiary	Karen Speer NC Master Beekeeper	Catawba 3
	Planting for Pollinators	Joel Hausser Tennessee Hive Inspector	Catawba 4
	<b>BEE Disease Inspection</b>	Don Hopkins NCDA&CS Apiary Inspector	In the Apiary!
12:00-1:00	Lunch		
<b>1:00-1:50</b>	<b>Dr. Elina Lastro Niño - "Providing supplemental pollinator forage in agricultural and urban areas"</b>		
<b>2:00-2:50</b>	<b>Meet the Executive Committee – Forum</b>		
<b>3:00-3:50</b>	<b>Workshops</b>		
	<b>Honey Bee Stress</b>	Nancy Ruppert NCDA&CS Apiary Inspector	Hickory 3
	Queen Rearing at the County Level	Jennifer Keller NCSU Apiculture	Hickory 4
	Planting for the Three B's – Bees, Butterflies & Birds	Debbie Mitchell Caldwell County Community College	Catawba 4
<b>4:00-4:50</b>	<b>Lauren Rusert: <i>NCSBA Ambrose Student Award Winner</i> – Varroa Mite Impacts on Queen Quality in the Hawaiian Islands</b>		
<b>5:30</b>	<b>Vendor Area Closes</b>		
<b>6:30-9:00</b>	<b>NCSBA Beekeeper Dinner &amp; Friday Night Festivities On-Site <b>Catawba 3</b></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6:30 - Seating begins</li> <li>7:00-9:00 - Banquet and Communications</li> </ul>		



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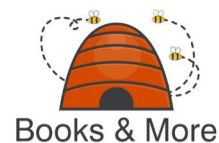
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## Saturday August 10, 2019

8:00-3:00	<b>Vendor Area Open</b>		
8:20-8:30	Welcome and Announcements		
8:30-9:20	<b>Adolphus Leonard – NCDA&amp;CS Apiary Inspector: “Successful Wintering of Colonies in North Carolina”</b>		
9:30-10:15	NCSBA Awards Presentations: GAP, Cooking with Honey & Honey Judging		
10:15-10:40	Refreshments Break & Final Door Prize Announcements		
10:40-11:30	<b>Dr. Olav Rueppell – UNCG: “Navigating the Disease Triangle”</b>		
11:30-12:20	<b>NCSBA General Business Meeting &amp; Early Closing Remarks</b>		
12:30-1:20	<b>Workshops</b>		
	<i>The Magic of Mead</i>	<b>Christy Hemenway</b> Run Amok Mead	Hickory 3
	<i>Honey Bee Anatomy</i>	<b>Greg Fariss</b> NCDA&CS Apiary Insp.	Hickory 4
	<i>Microbials from the Beekeeper’s Perspective</i>	<b>Earl Hoffmann</b> EAS Master Beekeeper	Catawba 4
	<i>Amongst the Bees</i>	<b>Apiary Inspectors</b> NCDA&CS	In the Apiary!
1:30-3:00	<b>“In Demand” Workshops</b>		
	<i>Increasing Your Honey Production Using Queen Castles</i>	<b>George McAllister</b> Past President Mecklenburg County Beekeepers Assoc.	Hickory 3
	<i>Beekeeping Hacks &amp; Tricks to Save You Time, Money, &amp; Labor</i>	<b>Bryan Fisher</b> NC Master Beekeeper	Catawba 4
	<i>Mite Rolls/Washes and the Health of Your Colony</i>	<b>Lewis Cauble &amp; Friends</b> NCDA&CS Apiary Insp.	In the Apiary!
3:00	<b>Vendor Area Closes</b>		
3:00	<b>Conference Concludes</b>		

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