

## **JANUARY 2003 NC NEE BUZZ**

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**2003 JOINT NORTH CAROLINA – SOUTH CAROLINA BEEKEEPERS  
ASSOCIATION SPRING CONVENTION**

*(TENTATIVE SCHEDULE)*

Rockingham, NC 14-15 March 2003

**FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2003**

12:00 Noon – 6:00 pm Meeting Registration: Cole Auditorium located  
on the campus of Richmond Community College

1:30 – 5:00 pm Introductory & Intermediate Short Courses  
Various Instructors and Topics

**Evening Session**

6:30 pm Banquet: All-you-can-eat buffet

7:05 Welcome & Door Prizes – Don Moore, NCSBA President

7:20 Entertainment: Bluegrass Band (NAME)

**SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 2003**

**Morning Session**

8:00 am Registration for late arrivals

8:05 Welcome and Door Prizes – Don Moore, NCSBA President

8:20 “The Giant Bees of India and Other Exotic Beekeeping  
Adventures.” – Dr. Wyatt Mangum, Mary Washington College

9:00 “Reports from Around the State” – NCDA Bee Inspectors

9:40 BREAK

10:00 “What’s New with the Small Hive Beetle” – Dr. Jeff Pettis,  
USDA Beltsville

10:40 “Varroa Mite Integrated Pest Management” – Dr. Mike Hood,  
Clemson University

11:30 Noon . . . **LUNCH** (on your own)

1:00-1:30 pm “Coumaphos and Queen Cups” – Dr. Jeff Pettis,  
USDA Beltsville

**FRIDAY, JULY 19, 2002 (continued)**

**Afternoon session 1:45 – 5:00 pm**

Session A: 1:40 – 2:40 pm  
Session B: 2:50 – 3:50 pm  
Session C: 4:00 – 5:00 pm

(Workshops are not yet assigned to specific Sessions. Please consult your registration packet for the formalized schedule when you register at the meeting.)

**Workshops and Activities Include:**

*Assembling Bee Equipment* by the Rockingham County Beekeepers

*Rolled Candle Making* by the Rockingham County Beekeepers

*Getting a Better Understanding of Queen Introduction Techniques* by Dr. Wyatt Mangum, Mary Washington College

*Pollination Contracts, Pesticides, and Your Farmer: Protecting Your Hives* by Taylor Williams, Richmond County Extension Office

*Small Hive Beetle Control Alternatives* by Dr. Mike Hood, Clemson Univ.

*Tracheal Mites and Bee Diseases* by the NCDA&CS Bee Inspectors

*Varroa Mites, Bee Pests and Predators* by the NCDA&CS Bee Inspectors

*NC Master Beekeeper Program Written and Practical Exams* by NC Masters and Master Craftsman Beekeepers

5:00 pm            **Adjourn until 2003 Summer Convention**

**Pesticide License Note:** one Friday afternoon short course topic (“Pesticides in the Hive: What you need to know”), and one of the workshops (“Pollination Contracts, Pesticides, and Your Farmer: Protecting Your Hives”) will count as credits towards maintaining your NC Pesticide License. Each will count for 45 min of pesticide training hours.

**Friday night’s banquet** will be an all-you-can-eat buffet offering Barbecue Pork, Fried Chicken, Baked Beans, Green Beans, Potato Salad, Red Slaw, White Slaw, Dinner Rolls, Hush Puppies, Tea, Lemonade, and a Variety of Desserts.

# Notes from Don Moore, President of the NCSBA

January, 2003

**Awards.** Although the summer meeting and the awards deadline are several months away, time does have a way of slipping up on us. I would encourage you to review the award requirements for the CES Worker of the Year and Person/Organization of the Year and make a submission if you know someone that meets the requirements. Those requirements can be found in our By-Laws that are on our web site [ncbeekeepers.org](http://ncbeekeepers.org). Look under the Member's Page, bottom of the first screen, and then double click on By-Laws. The requirements for submittal are shown on the first addendums. If you don't have a computer, check with your local CES office or the library.

**Executive Committee and other Committees.** Shown elsewhere in this BUZZ are listings of the current Executive Committee and other standing Committees of the NCSBA. If you have questions about some aspect of the organization, please contact the appropriate person. If you don't know who that is, then contact your Regional Representative or me. We want to keep our lines of communications open!

**NCSU Apiculturist Position.** The position was advertised in early summer and there were sixteen applicants. The field was eventually narrowed to six by the Search Committee and then to three by the Faculty. We would expect interviews to take place in January or February after which a selection will be made by NCSU. The NCSBA has been invited and we will have members participate in the interviews.

**New Chapters.** The Caldwell County Beekeepers Association have organized and requested a charter from the NCSBA. We are presently awaiting a copy of their approved (adopted) Constitution and listing of their officers. The Caswell County Beekeepers are meeting and are scheduled to have an Introductory Beekeeping Class beginning in January and running through March. Hopefully, this will give this group the assistance it needs to get up and running.

**Sympathy Cards.** In the last BUZZ I explained our use of obituaries of deceased members. I also reported that we send a Sympathy Card to a family member of the deceased. We need your help in this regard. When you send the obit, please let us know of the name and address of the family member to whom we should send the card. Your assistance will be appreciated.

**Grant Request.** In the last BUZZ we reported that the NCSBA had submitted a grant request to the Golden Leaf Foundation. Dr. John Ambrose and J.D. Foust spent many hours putting a very attractive package together and we had high hopes that it would be approved. However, that was not to be, it was not funded. Under the IRS codes the NCSBA is a 501.c.3 organization and to compete for these grants, we must be a 501.c.5 account. We will be investigating this in the coming months.

**Budget.** Printed in this issue of the BUZZ, you will find the finalized budget for year 2002. It shows the income and expenses for your organization over the past year. It is provided so you will know how the various aspects of the organization are funded, i.e. where the money comes from and where it goes.

**Obituaries. Edmisten, Sr., William, L.** Mr. William Larry 'Bill' Edmisten, Sr., 66, of 1251 Ray Brown Road, Boone, died Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 25, 2002, at Watauga Medical Center. He was born July 6, 1936, in Boone, Watauga County, to the late Claude Charles and Maxie Greene Edmisten. Mr. Edmisten was a graduate of Cove Creek High School and East Tennessee State University and attended Appalachian State University. He was a retired building contractor, having owned and operated William L. Edmisten Construction Company. He was a member of Mount Vernon Baptist Church and was very active in the Watauga County and North Carolina Tree Growers Association. Survivors include his wife, Loyce Minton Edmisten; two daughters, Mary Elizabeth Coffey and husband, Dennis, of Dunn and Sandra Kay Trexler and husband, Tom, of Boone; one son, William L. Edmisten, Jr. and wife, Teresa, of Decatur, Ga.; three granddaughters, Leslie Anne Coffey of Dunn, Sarah Marie Trexler and Heather Elizabeth Trexler, both of Boone; and two grandsons, Bradford Coffey of Dunn and Wesley Edmisten of Decatur, Ga.

# NCSBA 2002 BUDGET REPORT

(1/1/2002 Through 12/31/2002)

## INCOME

<u>Category Description</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Differences</u>
Apicultural Science Fund			
Donations	0.00	725.00	-725.00
Silent Auction	<u>388.00</u>	<u>250.00</u>	<u>138.00</u>
TOTAL Apic. Sci Fnd	388.00	975.00	-587.00
Designated Gifts			
Memorials	45.00	200.00	-155.00
NC Zoo Donations **	<u>0.00</u>	<u>30,000.00</u>	<u>-30,000.00</u>
TOTAL Des. Gifts	45.00	30,200.00	-30,155.00
Interest Inc			
Accounts interest	3,574.48	985.00	2,589.48
CD,Perm Pay	<u>2500.00</u>	<u>2,570.00</u>	<u>- 70.00</u>
TOTAL Interest Inc	1074.48	3,555.00	2519.48
McIver Audio Fnd			
Donations	235.00	100.00	135.00
Special Projects	<u>188.10</u>	<u>500.00</u>	<u>-311.90</u>
TOTAL McIver	423.10	600.00	-176.90
Member Dues			
Annual membership	12,647.00	12,750.00	-103.00
Perm Pay membership	<u>300.00</u>	<u>300.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
TOTAL Member dues	12,947.00	13,050.00	-103.00
Other Inc			
Buzz ads	318.75	0.00	318.75
Calendars, other	644.00	200.00	444.00
Item sales	1,412.90	2,500.00	-1,087.10
Visa Card rebate	0.00	275.00	-275.00
Yellow Book ads	<u>472.50</u>	<u>1,200.00</u>	<u>-727.50</u>
TOTAL Other Inc	2,848.15	4,175.00	-1326.85
Spring Meeting			
Banquet	1,600.00	1,200.00	400.00
Regristration	<u>2,345.00</u>	<u>2,700.00</u>	<u>-355.00</u>
TOTAL Spring Meeting	3,945.00	3,900.00	45.00
Summer Mtg			
Banquet	1,830.00	2,500.00	-670.00
Registration	3,508.00	4,500.00	-992.00
Setup	<u>72.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>72.00</u>
TOTAL Summer Mtg	<u>5,410.00</u>	<u>7,000.00</u>	<u>-1,590.00</u>
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>29,580.73</b>	<b>63,455.00</b>	<b>-13,874.27</b>

## EXPENSES

<u>Category Description</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Differences</u>
Apicultural Fund			
Research Support	1,100.00	4,000.00	2,900.00
Special Donations	<u>0.00</u>	<u>50.00</u>	<u>50.00</u>
TOTAL Apic. Fund	1,100.00	4,050.00	2,950.00
Bank Charge			
Account Fees	13.00	12.00	-1.00
Checks	<u>38.00</u>	<u>30.00</u>	<u>-8.00</u>
TOTAL Bank Charge	51.00	42.00	-9.00
McIver Audio Fund			
Audio or Visual Items	<u>458.10</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>-458.10</u>
TOTAL McIver AVF	458.10	0.00	-458.10
Member Support			
Bee Buzz	3,445.73	3,500.00	54.27
Calendar	0.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Cont, misc	1,730.65	350.00	-1,380.65
labor for mailings	225.00	260.00	35.00
Mailings,Postage	66.70	750.00	6.70
Master Beekeeping prog	75.59	150.00	74.41
New Chapter Startup	50.00	100.00	50.00
Overpayment to Chapters	0.00	50.00	50.00
POBox 33803 Rental	150.00	200.00	50.00
Supplies,copy,etc	378.41	675.00	296.59
Yellow book	<u>6,360.70</u>	<u>4,500.00</u>	<u>-1,860.70</u>
TOTAL Support	13,182.78	15,535.00	2,352.22
NCSBA Projects			
NC Zoo Complex**	0.00	30,000.00	30,000.00
State Fair Exhibits	0.00	175.00	175.00
Zoo Displays	<u>0.00</u>	<u>200.00</u>	<u>200.00</u>
TOTAL NCSBA Projects	0.00	30,375.00	30,375.00
NCSBA Support			
Donations	100.00	300.00	200.00
EAS Meetings	0.00	100.00	100.00
Legislative banquet	<u>247.91</u>	<u>250.00</u>	<u>2.09</u>
TOTAL NCSBA Support	347.91	650.00	302.09
Publicity.			
4H Essay Award	50.00	50.00	0.00
Media, Home Page,etc	62.89	268.00	105.11
Supplies, Postage	<u>0.00</u>	<u>550.00</u>	<u>550.00</u>
TOTAL Publicity.	212.89	868.00	655.11
Special Executive Mtg			
Hotel costs	348.41	2,000.00	1,651.59
Setup, supplies	<u>0.00</u>	<u>250.00</u>	<u>250.00</u>
TOTAL Special Mtg	348.41	2,250.00	1,901.59

Expenses (continued)

Special project

Contests, gifts	0.00	100.00	100.00
Other	0.00	250.00	250.00
Purchased Items	<u>2,390.98</u>	<u>1,500.00</u>	<u>-890.98</u>
TOTAL S. Proj.	2,390.98	1,850.00	-540.98

Spring meeting

Banquet	1,211.44	975.00	-236.44
Facilities use	0.00	350.00	350.00
Honorariums,awards	150.00	100.00	-50.00
Hotel costs	165.00	200.00	35.00
Setup, supplies	111.03	450.00	338.97
Speakers	<u>460.00</u>	<u>500.00</u>	<u>40.00</u>
TOTAL Spring meeting	2,097.47	2,575.00	477.53

Subscriptions

American Beekeepers Fed	50.00	50.00	0.00
E A S	30.00	30.00	0.00
I B M A	<u>0.00</u>	<u>180.00</u>	<u>180.00</u>
TOTAL Subscriptions	80.00	260.00	180.00

Summer meeting

Awards	75.00	400.00	325.00
Banquet	1,272.00	1,750.00	478.00
Facilities Use	1,384.00	900.00	-484.00
General expense	233.83	550.00	316.17
Honorarium	0.00	250.00	250.00
Hotel expenses	110.53	250.00	139.47
Speakers	<u>1167.48</u>	<u>1,000.00</u>	<u>-167.48</u>
TOTAL Summer mtg	4,242.84	5,100.00	857.16

**TOTAL EXPENSES                    24,512.38                    63,655.00                    39,142.62**

\*\* This line Item is to be supported by Special donations

Prepared by: Paul L Madren, Treasurer

## COMMITTEES

North Carolina State Beekeepers Association  
(Effective through Summer Meeting 2003)

### Annual Meetings

#### **J. D. Foust**

Jack Tapp  
Dr. Mike Stanghellini  
Don Hopkins  
Paul Madren

### Yellow Book

#### **Dr. Mike Stanghellini**

Bill Smith  
Paul Madren  
Don Moore

### Legislative

#### **J. D. Foust**

Bob Blackwelder  
Paul Madren  
Jack Tapp

### Extension Worker of the Year Award

#### **Kenneth G. Pipes**

Bobby Davidson  
Claiborne Holtzman

### Person or Organization of the Year Award

#### **Dan Kirby**

Tim Gentry  
Bill Waddell

### Finance/Budget

Paul Madren

J. D. Foust

Jack Tapp

### NCSBA Documents

#### **Paul Madren**

Bill Sheppard  
Dr. John Ambrose

### Constitution & By-Laws

#### **Paul Madren**

Dr. John Ambrose  
Don Moore

### Nominating

#### **Sally Ellis**

John Brittle  
Joe Smith

### Publicity

#### **Audrey Moore**

Jack Tapp  
Dr. Mike Stanghellini

### Web Site

#### **David Martin**

Dr. Mike Stanghellini  
Dr. John Ambrose

### McIver-Haas Life

#### Achievement Award

Committee appointed by  
President as required

### History

#### **Dr. John Ambrose**

Bill Sheppard  
Irvin Rackley

### Audit (Directors)

#### **Sally Ellis**

Janno Daniel  
Norman Faircloth

### Honey, etc. Judging

#### **Dr. Mike Stanghellini**

Dr. John Ambrose

### Zoo Bee Exhibit

#### **Irvin Rackley**

Bill Sheppard  
George Byrum  
Bill Waddell  
Jerry Isley  
Lowell Perry  
Gayle Young  
Don Moore, Ex-Officio  
NCFBF  
Greg Barnes  
William Golder

### Awards / Contest

#### Coordinator

**Jack Tapp**

### President's Cert. of Merit

**Jack Tapp**

### Parliamentarian

**Ken W. Bailey**

### Special Projects

#### **Fred Deer**

Geoffery & Teresa Elliot

### Cooking with Honey

**Bill Sheppard**

### Music

Ken W. Bailey

- Notes: 1. The first person named of a committee is the chairperson.  
2. Chairpersons of Committees are entitled and expected to participate in Executive Board Meetings.

## 2002 – 2003 NCSBA Executive Committee

(number in parentheses indicates Region – see pages 39-40 in the 2001-2002 Yellow Book for NCSBA Regions)

**President**-Donald L. Moore (3)  
3634 Stoney Creek Church Road  
Elon, NC 27244-9514  
(336) 584-3195

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President**-J. D. Foust (3)  
609 Lakestone Drive  
Raleigh, NC 27609-6339  
(919) 787-3578 Snow Camp (336) 376-6647

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President**-Jack Tapp (3)  
1201 New Hope Church Road  
Chapel Hill, NC 27516  
(919) 942-2006

**Past President**-Irvin E. Rackley (3)  
2431 Leggett Road  
Rocky Mount, NC 27801  
(252) 446-5487

**Treasurer**-Paul Madren (3)  
329 Laurel Street  
Mt. Airy, NC 27030 -(336) 786-4848  
Mountains (276) 728-7531

**Correspond. Sec.**-Audrey Moore (3)  
3634 Stoney Creek Church Road  
Elon, NC 27244-9514  
(336) 584-3195

**Recording Sec.**-Joseph Smith, Jr. (6)  
36126 Gene Road  
New London, NC 28127  
(704) 463-7039

**Exec. Sec.**-Dr. Mike Stanghellini (3)  
NCSU, Box 7626  
Raleigh, NC 27695  
W (919) 515-1660

**Director, 1 Year**- Sally Ellis (5)  
178 Stoney End Drive  
Marion, NC 28752  
(828) 738-4048

**Director, 2 Years**- Janno Daniel (6)  
364 Cardinal Avenue  
Troy, NC 27371  
(910) 572-1015

**Director, 3 Years**- Norman Faircloth (2)  
302 Jamestown Road  
High Point, NC 27260  
(336) 454-2331

**Regional Rep.**-Edd R. Buchanan (1)  
602 Blue Ridge Road  
Black Mountain, NC 28711  
(828) 669-8936

**Regional Rep.**-Jerry Isley (2)  
1276 Kennedy Farm Road  
Thomasville, NC 27360  
(336) 472-6325

**Regional Rep.**-Kenneth G. Pipes (3)  
3047 Isley Drive  
Snow Camp, NC 27349  
(336) 229-5622

**Regional Rep.**-John Brittle (4)  
3605 Elveden Road  
New Bern, NC 28562  
(252) 637-6489

**Regional Rep.**-L.E. "Moon" Mullins (5)  
4715 S. New Hope Road  
Belmont, NC 28012  
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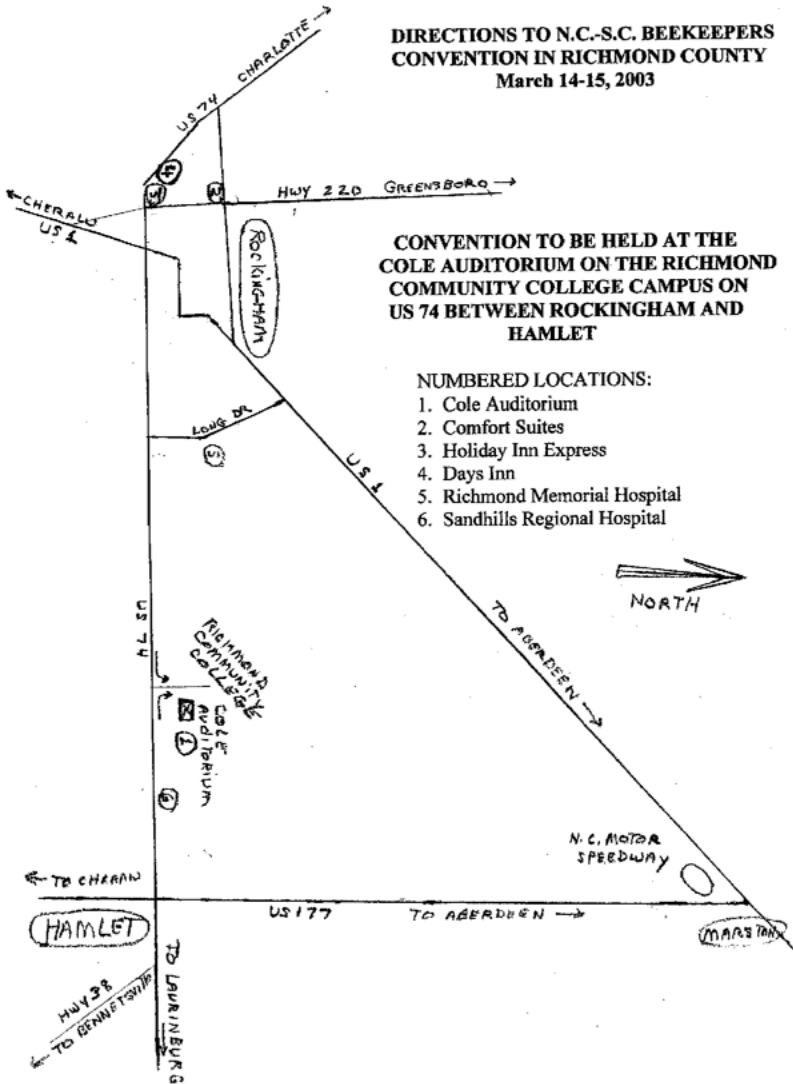
**Regional Rep.**-Bill Lathan (6)  
902 Pinebluff Lake Road  
Aberdeen, NC 28315  
(910) 281-4365

**Special Projects**-Fred Deer (3)  
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Cary, NC 27513-3046  
(919) 380-7005

**EAS Rep.**-Donald Hopkins (3)  
381 Griffin Road  
Snow Camp, NC 27349  
H (336) 376-8250; W (919) 233-8214

**Publicity Chair**-Audrey Moore  
**NC Zoo Committee** - Irvin Rackley  
**Awards/Contests Coordinator** – Jack Tapp

**DIRECTIONS TO N.C.-S.C. BEEKEEPERS  
CONVENTION IN RICHMOND COUNTY  
March 14-15, 2003**



**Hotel Information and Special Beekeeper Rates:**

**Comfort Suites**

307 Greene Street  
Rockingham, NC 28379  
Phone: 910-410-8354  
\$55.95 plus tax  
1 King or 2 Queens  
Continental Breakfast

**Holiday Inn Express**

400 W. Broad Avenue  
Rockingham, NC 28379  
Phone: 910-895-0662  
\$58 plus tax 1 King  
\$60 plus tax 2 Queens  
Continental Breakfast

**Days Inn**

408 E. Broad Avenue  
Rockingham, NC 29379  
Phone: 910-895-1144  
\$54.50 plus tax 1 King or  
2 Deluxe Double Beds  
Continental Breakfast

**ADVANCED REGISTRATION FORM  
 JOINT NCSBA & SCBA MEETING -- 2003 SPRING MEETING  
 ROCKINGHAM, NC MARCH 14 & 15, 2003**

Host, NCSBA Local Chapter: Rockingham Beekeepers Association

Please complete and send with check to: **Paul Madren, Treasurer NCSBA**  
 (Make Check payable to NCSBA) **329 Laurel St., Mt Airy, NC 27030**  
 Phone (336) 786-4848

NAME(s) \_\_\_\_\_ (Children) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Ph: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

**REGISTRATION FEE** (Note: These are **ADVANCED** mail-in fees, **WALK-IN** fees at the Conference will be \$5.00 higher on Individual & Family registrations)

	<u>AMT. PAID</u>
Individual Registration (NCSBA Member)	\$15.00 _____
Individual Registration (SCBA Member)	\$15.00 _____
Family Registration (NCSBA Member)	\$20.00 _____
Family Registration (SCBA Member)	\$20.00 _____
NON-NCSBA Member Registration*	\$30.00* _____
NON-NCSBA Family Registration*	\$35.00* _____

(\* This includes 2003 NCSBA membership dues)  
 (Note: South Carolina Beekeepers are **not required to join** the NCSBA to register for the meeting)

**BANQUET TICKETS -- -- \$ 10.00 each**

Banquet Tickets (how many) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 ea = \_\_\_\_\_

**DUES** (if non-pay for YEAR 2003 or new NCSBA member)

\* (If not included above with registration)

[South Carolina Beekeepers are welcome, and may join]

Annual NCSBA Membership \$15.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Annual Commercial Membership \$30.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL CHECK AMOUNT = \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Hotel Reservations:**

Hotel Reservations are your responsibility. Three area hotels have Special Rates for Beekeepers. Please see page 14 for Hotel contact information and rates.

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***This for Treasurer use:***

Amount Paid: \_\_\_\_\_ How Paid: Cash \_\_\_\_\_ or Check \_\_\_\_\_  
 (check # and date)

# of Banquet Tickets - - - - Received by: \_\_\_\_\_, Date \_\_\_\_\_