

Tri-County Beekeepers Monthly Meeting Minutes

JULY 6, 2021

Meeting called to order by President Bob Cross at 7:07pm

Treasurer's report: Beginning - \$7,298.24 Ending \$6,154.41. Given by treasurer Clay White and approved

Secretary's report: Minutes of last meeting read by Vice President Amy Jonas and approved

A presentation was given by 2020 scholarship award winners Grace and Genevieve Kapsner and Jenalyn Ostendorf. They each gave a slide show recounting their progress learning to be beekeepers.

Benton County Fair will be held this year August 3-8. Sam Jundt (612-770-1949) has volunteered to be the Fair Committee chair this year. A signup sheet was sent around to sign up for minding the fair booth.

We will need 3 people each for 3 demonstrations about extracting honey. Please call Sam if you are willing to help. There will be 2 on Saturday and 1 on Sunday. We can use the club's extractor and Clay White will bring some honey from the club's demonstration hives to extract.

Conrad Legatt will bring an observation hive to the fair booth. Clay White will bring some bees for it.

Nancy Koos has ordered more pamphlets to distribute at the fair. Thanks Nancy! Amy Jonas has these and will bring them to the fair booth.

It was decided to sell jar honey at the fair and keep the prices the same as 2 years ago. Same with the price of the honey straws.

Treasurer Clay White will bring the cash drawer to the fair each morning and pick it up at night to make the deposit.

The club's August meeting will be 7:00pm on August 2nd at the Heritage building at the Benton county fair grounds and will include set-up for the fair. You can sign up for shifts at the booth at that meeting as well.

Trailer is at Richard Beck's house. We need someone to volunteer to bring it to the fair on Monday the 2nd and keep it until fair is over. Please call Sam Jundt (612-770-1949) if you are willing to do this for us.

Rhonda Shoberg the new librarian has some missing books. Please look at home and see if you might have forgotten one and let her know.

Questions were answered about current beekeeping tasks.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:35pm.

Respectfully submitted by Amy Jonas

