

NORTHEASTERN KANSAS BEEKEEPER'S FUNDAY 2017 SCHEDULE

7:30-8:30 Registration, Beverages, Fresh breads from Wheatfield's with honey butter and assorted creamed honey

8:30-8:40 Overview of the day and Introductions Steve Messbarger, President

8:40-9:35 General Session: Protecting Beneficial Insect Communities in Nebraska, Dr. Judy Wu-Smart

	Bee Hives	Room 21 North	Room 21 South	Dreher North	Dreher Kitchen	Flory East	Flory West	Outside Stage
9:40-10:35	Bee Hive Basics Finding eggs, larvae, brood, Steve Tipton, Cecil Sweeney, Kristi Sanderson- Beg.	Managing Bees for Honey Production Dr. Marion Ellis	Visit Vendors, Silent Auction All Day	To Be Determined	Making Soap Lisa Opitz	Horizontal Hives Steve Messbarger	Queen Rearing for the Hobby Beekeeper Scott Debnam	
10:40-11:35	Bee Hive Basics Finding eggs, larvae, brood (repeated) Steve, Cecil, Kristi Beginners	Other Bees: An Introduction to Some Wild & Crazy Wild Bees Dr. Judy Wu-Smart		Extracting Larry Coppinger	Making Skin Care Products & How she Started her Business Lisa Opitz	Is There a Time and a Place for the use of Pesticides for Beekeepers? Chad Gilliland	Small Hive Beetles Wes and Wanda Johnston	
11:40-12:35	Youth Scholarship Students at the Hive (closed session) Marion Ellis	Judy Wu-Smart's Students		Basic Equipment Robert Hughes	Exploring the World of Pollinators-Robin Kolterman-kids age 6-12 – if under 5 a parent needs to stay	Keeping Bees Alive Part 1 Jennifer Berry	Swarming-it's only a big deal to us Scott Debnam	
12:35-1:20			Lunch					
1:20-2:15								Swarm Demo Dr. Chip Taylor
2:15-2:45			Homemade Honey Ice Cream 2:40 Silent Auction ends & Pick up Evaluation forms					
2:45-3:40	Bob and the Virgins Catch and Release Queens-Robert Burns	Pollination Biology Dr, Marion Ellis		Finding the Queen and Marking her Kristi Sanderson	Hobby Tax Rules for Beekeepers Mark Wood	Keeping Bees Alive Part 2 Jennifer Berry	Fall Management Andy Nowachek	
3:45-4:40		Sub-Lethal Effects of Pesticide Residues in Brood Comb on Worker Honey Bees Dr. Judy Wu-Smart		Choosing Great Plants for Pollinators	The Whole Ball of Beeswax Warren & Jane Nelson	Queen Selection and Genetics Jennifer Berry	Natural Beekeeping- Integrating Honey Bee Ecology into Modern Beekeeping Scott Debnam	Bee Olympics Ages 6-12, parents welcome to play along

4:45 (21 North) Turn in Evaluation forms, door prizes, drawing for hive and swarm of bees and drawing for the beautiful quilt that is being raffled. You must complete an evaluation form to be eligible for the drawings. You must be present to win the hive of bees. **Topics and Speakers Subject to Change**