

## New River Valley Beekeepers Association

Minutes for May 11, 2017

members present

Meeting called to order at 6:37 pm.

Minutes for April 13, 2017 approved unanimously.

Treasurer's report – approved unanimously.

Presentation by Rick Fell, Dept of Entomology, Va Tech. : “What Every Beekeeper Should Know About Honey Bee Diseases”

Business Meeting commenced 8:15pm.

Discussed date for picnic. Riverbend Park or Nellies Cave discussed as locations. Third Saturday in July – Second Saturday in July and 4<sup>th</sup> weekend in July. Check on available dates. Radford would be most preferable.

Bee yard dates – Saturday May 13<sup>th</sup>, 1 pm.

Discussed bee package delivery and Mark Chorba's efforts. Jerry suggested some form of compensation to him for his work. Recommended paying him \$200 for his efforts. Passed unanimously.

Discussion regarding making available member email addresses to the general membership. Consensus that Sue would conduct a survey asking who would like to have their contact, information made available

Meeting adjourned 8:51 pm

Submitted by Jim Hill  
NRVBA President