



## Elm Fork Beekeepers Association

GM Meeting Minutes

June 18, 6:30 pm

Zoom Meeting

Officers in Attendance			Other Board Members in Attendance		
*	President	Jan Hodson		Communications	Susan Pritchard
	V. President	Michael Barber		Hospitality	Melanie Clinton
*	Treasurer	Julie Haza		Hospitality	Gary Clinton
*	Secretary	Louann Barfknecht	*	Education Coordinator	Byron Compton
*	Webmaster	Stacy Branam	*	Director At Large	Tim Branum

Attendance: 21 Guests:

Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm via Zoom (Internet).

### Officers Reports:

#### President: Jan Hodson

- Stacy Branam is working on our website. The site has moved to a new host site and new program software for ease in management. Byron is working on his new task of being Education coordinator. He will be working on future classes & looking into teleconferencing & education videos.
- Justin Hartman has taken the lead on handling our facebook accounts. We are getting more posts & lots of "likes".
- TBA conference still scheduled for Nov 5-7 in Allen, TX. More info to be forthcoming.
- The final beekeeping class for the series of 3 is scheduled for June 20 at Mountain Springs Community Center.
- Extraction Party scheduled for August 22 at the Mountain Springs Comm Ctr. More info forthcoming.
- Jan is hopeful the bank will reopen the conference center so our meetings can resume there. If anyone knows of another location that will hold up to 100 people with adequate parking, let us know.
- Honey recipes for the website- discussion. If you have any good recipes to share, let us know.
- Membership dues will be coming due soon.

#### Vice President: Michael Barber

- Not present

#### Secretary: Louann Barfknecht

- Feb Minutes – were emailed. They were presented & voted on & passed acceptance as is.

- **Note: There will not be minutes for March-May 2020 as all face to face meetings were cancelled. PowerPoint Programs were emailed monthly to members.**

**Treasurer: Julie Haza**

- **Announced current checking balance is \$3108.71 , Paypal \$137.41 for a total of \$3246.12. Current membership is 72.**

**Education Coordinator: Byron Compton**

- **3<sup>rd</sup> & last class will be held this Saturday.**
- **Zoom meetings will be recorded.**

**Hospitality: Melanie Clinton**

- **Not in Attendance**

**Director at Large: Tim Branam**

- **Tim has taken over the Mentor Program.**
- **Discussion about members needing help, if you are in need of help with your bees/hives, please contact a board member.**

**Web master: Stacy Branum**

- **Working on development of new website & information to include. More info to be forthcoming as site is developed.**

**Blooming Plants & Nectar- shared at the meeting**

**Monthly Tips and tools – shared at the meeting**

**Question & Answer session - shared at the meeting**

**Speaker and topic**

- **Jan gave a presentation on small hive beetles & how to control them.**

**Next General Meeting: July 16 6:30 via Zoom.**

**Next Board Meeting: August 6**

**Meeting Adjourned: at 7:55 pm.**