

Meade County Beekeepers Association

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Meeting minutes: January 18, 2011



Beekeepers Association Meeting was called to order at 7:00 on January 18, 2011.

Minutes were read by Pat Garcia and approved.

Treasurer's report was read by Ed Wooden and also approved. Motion to pay Joe Taylor \$50.00 was approved by member vote. \$470 in account as of 1/18/11.

Shird Robinson passed out the flyer with 2011 plans. He went over the plans for 2011 for the association. Brochure for the Association was distributed and met with approval by members.

2011 plans discussed were:

- 🐝 (#6) Cost to advertise in local newspapers. (\$75. For small ad and \$150. For larger) Free to list on radio under public event
- 🐝 (#7) Andy Mills volunteered to do article for paper, and will maintain list of people who want a swarm hive.
- 🐝 (#9) Chuck Davis will investigate equipment costs to become a beekeeper, for those members who are just starting out.
- 🐝 (#10) A plan to secure a fair booth was shelved until February for discussion
- 🐝 (#11) A plan to have a fund raising event in spring of 2011 was also postponed until February.

It was suggested that a web site for the association would be more useful than advertising. Joe Burns volunteered to be the webmaster, and will present his website at the February meeting. Web committee members are: Joe Burns; Amy Serafin and Bernard Hobbs.

Please contact Kelly's Bees if you wish to receive the Kelly Bee Newspaper. Go to www.kellybee.com to sign up for it.

Andy Mills will provide a banner for the Association. Warren Shiroma will design banner to present in February.

Motion was made by Joe Burns and 2nd by Chuck Davis to make dues payable in July. If we are within 6 months, dues will be ½ prices. Motion passed.

Phil Craft will be at the April 19th meeting (to be held at Amy Serafin's house) to bee demonstration.

Norma Wooden will check on designs for; and cost of; shirts and hats with the MC Beekeepers logo to sell.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Garcia

Secretary

MC Beekeepers Association