2011 SCBA SUMMER MEETING SCHEDULE

Thursday, July 14, 2011

12:00 Noon  Meeting Registration - Poole Agricultural Center Lobby  
Exhibitor Setup - Poole Agricultural Center Lobby

1:00 p.m.  Intermediate Level Beekeeping Short Course - Session I - Poole Agric. Center Auditorium

1:30-4:30 p.m.  Queen Rearing Workshop - Cherry Farm, Limited and Prepaid Enrollment  
Juliana Rangel, N.C. State University

5:00 p.m.  Dinner on your own  
(SCBA Executive Committee will meet in the auditorium at 5:00.)

6:30 p.m.  Intermediate Level Beekeeping Short Course - Session II - Poole Agric. Center Auditorium

8:30 p.m.  Adjourn for Evening

Friday, July 15, 2011

8:00 a.m.  "Invocation" – Henry Chassereau, Edisto Beekeeper, Ehrhardt  
"Welcome to Clemson University” – Joe Culin, Assoc. Dean for Research,College of Agriculture,  
Forestry, and Life Sciences, Clemson University

8:10 a.m.  "Announcements and Introductions” - Mike Hood, Extension Apiculturist, Dept. of Entomology, Soils, and  
Plant Sciences, Clemson University, & Executive Secretary, SCBA

8:20 a.m.  "President’s Address and Business Meeting” – Wesley Bommer, President - SCBA

8:45 a.m.  "Legislative Update” – Representative Thomas (“Tom”) Corbin, District 17 – Greenville County

9:05 a.m.  "Eastern Apicultural Society 2011 Meeting Announcement” – Steve Genta, Director SCBA, Member EAS  
Board of Directors

9:10 a.m.  "American Beekeeping Federation News” – Eric Mills, Timmonsville

9:15 a.m.  "The Honey Bee: A Super Organism and What It Means for Bee Health” – Keith Delaplane, University of  
Georgia, Athens, GA

9:45 a.m.  Break - Visit Exhibitors

10:10 a.m.  Door Prizes

10:15 a.m.  “TBA” Jeff Harris, USDA Honey Bee Lab, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

10:45 a.m.  “Honey Bee Biogeography” Debbie Delaney, Department of Entomology and Wildlife Ecology, University  
of Delaware, Newark, Delaware

11:15 a.m.  "TBA" Juliana Rangel, Post Doctoral Scientist, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, North Carolina

11:45 a.m.  Lunch on your own

1:10 p.m.  Door Prizes, Announcements, State Fair Report (Frank Blanchard), Workshop Introduction
Friday, July 15, 2011 (continued)

1:30 p.m. Concurrent 45 Minute Workshops (Sessions begin on the half hour)

1. “New Ideas on Honey Bee Breeding” -- Keith Delaplane (Poole Auditorium)
2. "TBA" Jeff Harris, (Newman Hall Auditorium)
3. “Queen Rearing and Sex Determination” Debbie Delaney (Classroom A102)
4. "Queen Rearing Workshop #2, Juliana Rangel, Cherry Farm, Prepaid Enrollment
5. “Bears and Their Control” Edd Buchanan, Black Mountain, NC (Classroom A103)
6. “Marketing Outside the Beehive” Virginia Webb, Clarkesville, Georgia (Classroom E-144)
7. “Beekeeping Equipment for the Beginner” Kerry Owen, Pickens Co. (Classroom A105)
8. “SC Master Beekeeper Program, Certified, Journeyman, and Master Level Written Tests”
   David MacFawn (offered first hour only), (Classroom C-127)
9. “TBA”

4:30 p.m. Depart for Evening Activities at Jimmy Howard’s Home (Wild Hog Rd, Pendleton, (See Map on
Registration Table for Directions)
Horseshoe Pitching Tourney
Barbecue Pork/Baked Chicken Supper ($7.00/Plate) Frank & Carol Blanchard
Smoker Lighting Contest, Edd Buchanan, Black Mountain, NC

Saturday, July 16, 2011

8:00 a.m. Announcements & Door Prizes
8:15 a.m. Results of the Honey Show - Clyde McCall and Steve Genta, Honey Competition Judges
8:30 a.m. “TBA” Jeff Harris, Baton Rouge, La.
9:00 a.m. “TBA” Juliana Rangel, NC State Univ.
9:30 a.m. Break - Visit Exhibitors
9:55 a.m. Door Prizes
10:00 a.m. “Honey Bee Biology and Sociality” Debbie Delaney, Univ. of Delaware
10:30 a.m. “Small Hive Beetle Traps” David Miller, Tennessee
11:00 a.m. “Experiences of a Migratory Beekeeper,” Bob Bennie, Blue Ridge Honey Company, Lakemont, GA
11:30 a.m. “South Carolina – California Pollination Connection” Eric Mills, Timmonsville, SC
12:00 Noon “Closing Comments,” Wesley Bommer, President, SCBA
12:15 p.m. End - Have a Safe Trip Home!

(SCBA Executive Committee Meeting at 12:15)