



Elm Fork Beekeepers Association

GM Meeting Minutes

November 17, 2022, 6:30 pm

VFW Hall, 3332 North Grand Ave,
Gainesville, TX

Officers in Attendance			Other Board Members in Attendance		
✓	President	Jan Hodson	✓	Communications	Gavin Hutchins
✓	V. President	Stan Brandon	✓	Director at Large	Tim Branam
✓	Treasurer	Julie Haza	✓	Education Director	Byron Compton
✓	Secretary	Connie Hutchins		Webmaster	Stacy Branam

Attendance: 36

Meeting called to order at 6:39 pm at the VFW.

Officers Reports:

President: Jan Hodson

- Welcome to all. 2 new people.

Vice President: Stan Brandon

Elections Held, Slate:

- President: Tim Branam
- Vice President: Stan Brandon
- Treasurer: Kim Lester
- Secretary: Connie Hutchins
 - Byron Compton motioned to approve slate as presented, Sheldon Lutkenhaus seconded, all approved.
- Tim Branam nominated Tim McGee for Director at Large. Gaylon Thompson motioned to approve, Connie Hutchins seconded, all approved.

Education Director: Byron Compton

- Beekeeping classes
 - will be held at the collage on January 28, February 25, March 25, 2022
 - Held at NCTC building 500 in Gainesville
 - All classes are held from 9:00am to 4:00pm.
 - Price is \$120. Includes all three classes, snacks, lunch, and all books and other materials.
- Lily Mask, the EFBA 2023 scholarship recipient was introduced. She is 12 years old, homeschooled involved in 4H and volleyball. Went to Byron's bee yard, tasted his honey and loved it.
- Also Addison Arsenault has been accepted as for a 2023 scholarship.

Secretary: Connie Hutchins

- Minutes were presented for October. Motion to approve made by Lorrie Gibbs, Stan Brandon seconded and all approved.

Treasurer: Julie Haza

- Bank: \$2900.14
- Paypal: \$25.57
- Total \$2925.71
- Current Members: 61

Communications: Gavin Hutchins

- See Gavin if are not receiving emails.

Director at Large: Tim Branam

- Stacy will be updating website over the holidays. Do not anticipate any problems, however, if it causes problems with anyone's login, please inform Tim or Stacy.

Next Board Meeting: Dec 1, 2022, 6:30 pm at the LDS meetinghouse. Meet at the Wolf Den for dinner at 5:30. All members welcome and if you would like to attend, please let Jan know.

Next General Meeting: January 19, 6:30.

Presenter: Tim Branam

- Tim Branam had several good ideas for things to do over the winter and a great list of resources for learning, including authors, YouTubers, and Podcasters. See him if you would like this list.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:43