



Elm Fork Beekeepers Association

Board Meeting Minutes

Date: February 6, 2025

Location: NCTC, Gainesville, TX

Time: 6:30

Attendance: Tim Branam, Kimi Locke
Kim Lester, Tim Magee, Connie Hutchins
Brandy Bonn, Steve Bonn

Officers:

President – Tim Branam

Vice President – Kimi Locke

Treasurer – Kim Lester

Secretary – Sharon Gillum

Other Board Members:

Education Director – Byron Compton

Director at Large – Tim Magee

Communications –

Hospitality – Brandy Bonn

Webmaster – Stacy Branam

President – Tim Branam

- Tim heard good reviews for the first day of classes. Connie mentioned the binders are expensive.
- Byron is in the hospital. We need to look for someone to help with scholarships. Currently Byron has all the contacts. Tim donates NUCS but we don't really know where everything else comes from.
- Tim will ask for volunteers in general meeting
- Need a mentor for one of the scholarships
- Extraction party will be booked for July.
- Farm days are the 2nd and 3rd of April. There is a 10 minute presentation per group for 4th graders. Goes on all day. Could use some help.

Vice President – Kimi Locke

- Hannah Blackburn from TAIS will be speaker for February talking about hornets and mites.

- April will be Gene Cushion

Treasurer – Kim Lester

- \$1915.53 Bank
- \$749.05 Paypal
- \$2664.58 Total
- Current Membership 74

Secretary – Sharon Gillum

- Not present due to illness. Connie to take minutes

Communications – Connie Hutchins

- Wants read only access to member list on google drive in order to download and update email list.
- Add to meeting reminder if you are sick, stay home. Say it nicely.

Director at Large – Tim Magee

- Nothing new to report

Hospitality – Brandy Bonn

- Nothing to report

Business: Master beekeeping program course is \$75 which include test.

Meeting adjourned 7:30