

GM Meeting Minutes
June 16, 2022, 6:30 pm
VFW Hall, 3332 North Grand Ave,
Gainesville, TX

# Elm Fork Beekeepers Association

Officers in Attendance			Other Board Members in Attendance		
٧	President	Jan Hodson	٧	Communications	Gavin Hutchins
	V. President	Stan Brandon	٧	Director at Large	Tim Branam
٧	Treasurer	Julie Haza	٧	Education Director	Byron Compton
٧	Secretary	Connie Hutchins		Webmaster	Stacy Branam

Attendance: 34

Meeting called to order at 6:35 pm at the VFW.

# **Officers Reports:**

## **President: Jan Hodson**

- Welcome to all. 5 new attendees.
- Registration open for TBA Summer Clinic, June 25<sup>th</sup> in Conroe, TX. \$85 for members. Jan has 6 passenger van and riders are welcome. Contact Jan.
- Save the Date: Extraction party will be August 20<sup>th</sup> at the Mountain Springs Community Center. Food will be provided. Bring your honey or just come to see and learn. Will begin at 2:00pm Please RSVP when invitation goes out.
- TBA Fall conference will be November 3-5, Temple TX

#### **Vice President: Stan Brandon**

Stan not in attendance. He is taking a class on queen rearing including artificial insemination.

# **Secretary: Connie Hutchins**

• Minutes were presented. Motion to approve made by Kim Lester, Lorrie Skwarek seconded and all approved.

## Treasurer: Julie Haza

• Bank account: \$4403.92

PayPal: 101.14Total: 4505.06

• Current Members: 69

Member dues renew June 30<sup>th</sup>.

### **Communications: Gavin Hutchins**

- Apologized for duplicate emails.
- If not getting email, talk to Gavin to be sure you are on the list.

# **Education Director: Byron Compton**

• Master Beekeeping class will be begin at 6:30 on July 5<sup>th</sup> for apprentice and July 14<sup>th</sup> for the advanced. There are 4 modules for each class and the test will be in November.

# **Director at Large: Tim Branam**

- Thanks to Byron for the master beekeeper courses.
- If any new members need mentors see Tim

**Q & A;** several good questions including one about painting your hives.

**Next Board Meeting:** July 7, 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: July 21, 2022 6:30. Topic will be queen rearing.

**Presenter: Donny Johns** – Pest Control

Meeting Adjourned: 8:00.