



KLCB ~ Beekeeping A to Z ~ Spring 2010

Thursdays ~ 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. (unless otherwise noted)

Date	Topic	Speaker
March 4th	Introduction to Knox-Lincoln County Beekeepers(KLCB) and Maine State Beekeepers Association (MSBA)	John Webster, President Ken Stewart, Vice President Pete Lammert, MSBA Delegate
	Introduction and Welcome to 9 th Annual Bee School Let's Get Started	Jean Vose, Bee School Director
	What is this all about? Hive Demonstration	Al Maloney, Waldoboro Peter Lammert, Thomaston Dick Royer, Waldoboro
March 11th	Starting with the Basics	Bill Truesdell, Bath
March 18th	Spring - Summer Management	Rick Cooper, Bees 'n Me Bowdoinham
	Fall - Winter Management	
Saturday, March 20th	Optional Field Trip - Humble Abodes, Windsor	Leader: Pete Lammert
March 25th	Beehives and Protective Equipment ☛ Langstroth (10 & 8 frame) ☛ Top Bar ☛ Warré ☛ Other types	Ken Stewart, Waldoboro Matt Kopishke, Liberty Trish Badger, Jefferson Toni Jackson, Bath
	Installation of Packages and Nucs ~ demonstration	Jean Vose, Nobleboro
Sat, March 27th 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.	MSBA Annual Meeting See flyer for details	Club Calumet, Augusta
April 1st	No Class	
Sat April 3rd Begins 9:30 a.m.	Hive assembly overview & workshop Bring your unassembled hive, hammer & nails	Pete Lammert & KLCB Members
April 8th 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.	The Challenges of Beekeeping Understanding and Managing Pests and Diseases	Tony Jadczyk State Apiarist
April 15th	Beekeeping ~ The Gentle Art & Craft Discussion of Alternative Beekeeping and Organic Approaches for the Keeping of Honeybees	Ken Stewart, Waldoboro Alex Arau, Rockport
	The Panel Bring your questions to this panel of experienced beekeepers. Open discussion and course evaluation	KLCB Beekeepers ~ John Webster (moderator) Ken Stewart, Al Maloney, Dick Royer, Peter Lammert, Regina Davey, Matt Kopishke
Sat, April 24th Begins 1:30 p.m.	Outdoor Workshop - Installing Package Bees	Home of Dick and Jean Vose, Nobleboro
Sat, May 1st Begins 10:30a.m.	Bee School Outdoor Workshop and KLCB Meeting Featuring a Hive Opening and Vendor Raffle	Home of Dick and Jean Vose, Nobleboro



Remember your reading assignment for each class !