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Brown County Bee Keepers Association, November meeting minutes : BCBA meeting was held on Wednesday, 21st, 2018 at the Great Lakes Energy Education center building of the NWTC campus.

There were 11 members and 4 guests present.

Attendance: Orren Fredrick, Todd Witthuhn, Julie Mazzoleni, Monika Pynaker, Sara Kowalski, Lisa Miotke, Dave Elsen, Jon Bootz, Daniel Parsley, Steve Hupfer, Thomas Cashman, Dan Lawth, Jordan Steel, Diane Elsen, Dillon Weist

Neville Honey Bee Exhibit - data shows 6,403 visitors. Thank you all who loaned your equipment for this exhibit.

Bushy Mountain Bee Supply has closed their doors and Kelley Bees has been acquired by Mann Lake Bee Supply.



REMINDER : NO DECEMBER MEETING

What's coming:

January meeting: January 16th at the Botanical Garden. There will be a social and networking opportunity beginning at 5:30. Refreshments will be served. Business meeting starts at 6:30. An agenda for this meeting will be included in the January Newsletter but the **education topic will be about BUYING BEES !!** A good topic for January meeting that many have asked to discuss.

Einstein Science Expo—Date: February 2, 2019. Time: 8:45—4:00PM. There could be about 5,000 visitors and of that 3000 kids. This is a really FUN and rewarding event so please consider volunteering to help man the booth. You don't need to be a "bee" expert to be part of the fun. We are looking for up to 4 volunteers to work 2 hour blocks.

Introduction to Beekeeping — Saturday, February 23rd. Time: 8:00—4:00PM. Location: Northeast Wisconsin Technical College—Great Lakes Energy Education Center. Volunteers needed to help with set up, take down, refreshments, and teaching /presenting. **PLEASE pass on** to anyone you may know that would benefit—instructions for sign-up are on our website. Browncountybeekeepers.com



CLUB DUES— due January 1st. **DON'T FORGET !**

\$20.00 for individual or \$30.00 for family

See our website for instructions: browncountybeekeepers.com



What to do in DECEMBER:

Bees are clustered in the hive staying warm!

- ⇒ Order bee packages and equipment if needed
- ⇒ Keep snow away from entrances
- ⇒ Make sure you have adequate ventilation for moisture control
- ⇒ Check hive for damage after winter storm

