



## **SABA Seminar - Saturday March 31, 2012**

9:30 am- 5 pm (check-in begins at 8:30 am) in the Huxley Theater in the **NY State Museum**, within the Cultural Education Center. 222 Madison Ave., Albany NY

**NEW LOCATION - - - LUNCH IS INCLUDED**  
**Parking is much closer, and bigger.**  
**No stairs involved between parking and the room.**

We're very pleased that the walk from parking to the room is only half the distance that it was at the University. The Museum will be open during the day if you want to wander. Museum entry is free, as is parking.

### **Guest Speakers:**

#### **Randy Oliver, Scientific Beekeeping**

- "Keeping Bees Healthy"
- "Honey Bee Husbandry"
- "Identification of Bee Diseases"
- "New Paradigms for Successful Beekeeping"

#### **Maryann Frazier, Penn State University**

- "Thinking Outside the (Bee) Box"
- "Update on Pesticides and Pollinators"

**Vendors:** Betterbee, Brushy Mountain Bee Farm and Dadant will have booths. *Check with them for pre-orders.*

**Raffles:** As usual, a fundraiser will be held with many many beekeeping prizes donated by vendors and friends.

**Lunch Break:** SABA has arranged a lunch this year, so there won't be any need to dash out to drive and find a restaurant. The new seminar venue is in downtown Albany, and there are only a few places close by for lunch.

**Cost:** If pre-registered by March 24:

\$38 for SABA member. Lunch is included in the fee.

\$43 for non-SABA member. Lunch is included in the fee.

Walk-ins on seminar day (seminar only, no SABA lunch):

\$35 for non-SABA member

\$30 for SABA member

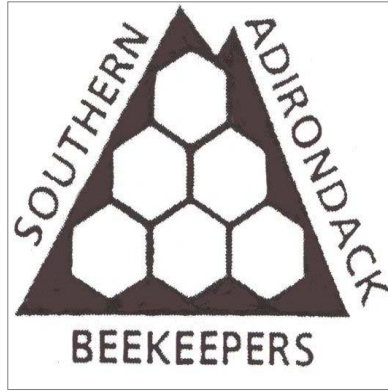
\*\*\*\* Remember, if we don't receive your registration by March 24, you will not get the SABA lunch. \*\*\*\*

To join SABA, see website <http://www.adirondackbees.org/join.htm> .

All students who have ever applied for a SABA youth award can get in the seminar for free, but must register for the seminar and pay by March 24 for the lunch if you join us for the SABA lunch (\$14).

**Dinner With the Speakers:** Would you like to get together with the speakers and a few dozen beekeepers for dinner? We'll be eating out Friday 3/30, again at The Italian-American Community Center (now The Treviso). Dinner cost is \$32 per person. We will each order from a select menu. *Alcoholic drinks are to be paid for by the individual. The total dinner bill will be split equally between diners. Any excess money will be returned. To determine possible refund, any excess will be equally divided by the number of diners.*

**See website or contact Anne Frey with questions: [annef@capital.net](mailto:annef@capital.net) or 518-895-8744 before 9 pm.**



## 2012 Seminar Registration

Please send this Registration and your check or money order by March 21 to:

**SABA,**  
c/o Anne Frey  
4808 Skyline Dr.  
Delanson NY 12053-3932

*You will soon receive confirmation,  
maps, directions, etc.*

Your name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ home phone \_\_\_\_\_ cell \_\_\_\_\_

snail mail street address \_\_\_\_\_

city, state, zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email (to be used only for seminar confirmation, seminar replies and future seminar announcements)

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Are your SABA dues paid for 2012? YES / NO

*Note: Memberships run by calendar year and expire on Dec. 31. If you joined between Sept. 1, 2011 and Dec. 31, 2011, your dues are considered paid through the end of 2012. **Please renew, if needed.***

*If you're not yet a SABA member, please consider joining us!*

SABA membership = \$15 per household per year  
\$75 for 5 years  
\$150 for an individual lifetime membership

Membership application form online at:  
<http://www.adirondackbees.org/join.htm>

**Would you like to be notified of the Friday March 30 dinner with the speakers?** Yes / No

*Dinner will be at The Treviso, formerly known as the Italian-American Community Ctr., same place as in 2011.*

Registration(s): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Dinner deposit(s): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

SABA membership \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**HOW DID YOU LEARN  
ABOUT THE SEMINAR?**

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**TOTAL:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (check or money order, payable to SABA)

**Directions to the 2012 SABA seminar at the Huxley Theater in the NY State Museum/ Cultural Education Center at 222 Madison Ave., Albany NY**

**FROM THE WEST** use NYS Thruway I-90 east to I-87 south (“New York, Boston”) to exit 23.

**FROM THE SOUTH** use NYS Thruway I-87 North to exit 23 .

- 1) Take exit 23 (“787, 9W, Albany, Rensselaer”) and go through tollbooth.
- 2) After tollbooth, go straight on 787 North. You will drive a bit more than a mile to exit 4.
- 3) Take exit 4 (“9 north, 20 west, Downtown Albany”).
- 4) See sign for “To 20, Broadway” and follow it. Turn left at light and then get in right lane.
- 5) Continue following signs for “20 West” or NY State Museum.
- 6) Take right at next light onto Madison Ave (Route 20 west) and get in left lane to stay straight.
- 7) A few blocks later, see the huge brown Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception on the left. **You can park in their lot, or continue through one more traffic light and park in Museum lot on the left. Parking is free in each lot.**

The museum is between the two lots, a large white building. Entry is on your left under the covered walkway as you face up hill. Huxley Theater is to the right after entering lobby.

**You may choose to let off passengers beneath the covered walkway in front of the Museum.**

**FROM THE NORTH, or from within the Capital Region:**

- 1) Take the Northway (I-87) or Rte. 9 to I-90 east and get off 90 at exit 6A, for I-787 south (“Albany”).
- 2) Get off at exit 3-B off 787 (“20 West, Madison Avenue, Port of Albany”). 20 West is Madison Ave.
- 3) Get in left lane near end of ramp or soon after. Go straight, up hill on Madison. (Route 20 West).
- 4) Continue as in step 7 above.

**FROM THE EAST:** Take I-90 West to I-787 South and continue as in step 2 in FROM THE NORTH.

**LEAVING:** To exit Museum lot, you must go out the back side. Simply circle around the block either left or right until you are back on Madison Ave. To return to 787, go down hill on Madison, past the McDonald's and see signs for 787.

787 South and Thruway, I-90 West will be left lane of Madison, taking you straight, and 787 North (for Rensselaer, Troy, I-90 east to Mass., etc.) will be the right lane, turning you right.

**Keep watching for signs for your route at all times! The ramps are unusual, but it is all well marked on the highway and in the city.**