

Southern Adirondack Beekeepers Board Meeting – July 17, 2017

Board Members Present: Chris Cripps (P), Bruce Raver, Anthony Antonucci (1-VP), Vicki Wills (S), Farial English, Kirt Coonradt (T), Gregory Stoddard (2-VP), Jennifer Ford

Guests:

Board members not present - Stephen Wilson, Walt Wojtowicz, Dan Kerwood, Chris O'Connor, Leo Siemion Jr., Alicia Purzycki, Tom Wells, Bill Daniel, Bruce Blender

OLD BUSINESS --

- Treasurer's Report – Kirt Coonradt.
- Seminar – Considering moving to fall. One of the speakers can't make it in the spring, if another can't then will move to fall.

NEW BUSINESS –

- Reconsideration of remuneration for speakers. Decision - \$200 for the meeting. For speakers coming from out-of-town, SABA will also cover the cost of dinner for them and partner, mileage (53.5/mi) at the current federal, tolls, and overnight accommodations.

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Tabled

- Board Officers election and change over discussion. – The beginning of the year presents many difficulties; learning curve (especially as treasurer), Beekeeping classes, Seminar & membership renewals, come all too fast. Seems if we follow the guidelines set out – Sept slate announced, October elections and Dec. Joint meeting. Motion to change the election to occur earlier in fall. Seconded and TABLED April 17.
- SABA to make donation to research. Not discussed.

Next meeting start at 6:15 on August 21, Monday. Vicki Wills, Secretary

Speaker : Vincent Aloyo, Queen Raising www.vincemasterbeekper.com 83 present (44 sign-in)