

ACBA
May 12, 2016
Regular Meeting Minutes

1. Any new members (Doug Hart? Don Abbott?)? Welcome!
2. Larry Cox, a member of the Alleghany bee group, is hosting a bee field day on May 28, 11am - 2pm (lunch provided). He said Greg Fariss is doing a sugar shake demonstration and a lesson on how to find the queen; he'll send an agenda and directions soon. There is no charge but he mentioned that while not expected, a tip for the cook might be nice! If you're interested in attending contact Larry at 336-467-4340. Larry also has nucs with laying yellow VSH queens with good brood patterns available for \$125 (pick up now or at the field day).
3. We're still waiting for an update about the special license plates.
4. If you haven't paid your dues yet but would like to do so tonight, Helen will be available if Bill Naser, our treasurer, hasn't returned from his other meeting. If you paid your dues tonight, be sure you pick up a swarm lure!
5. Maggie and her experience with European foulbrood (computer presentation) Any questions or comments?
6. Introduction of James Wilkes - James will discuss his experience at Apimondia and his son Sullivan's experience working in a commercial bee yard (Sullivan had another commitment tonight).
7. Next month (June 9) - hive check report and general Q&A!