

# York County Beekeepers' Association

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## Dear Beekeepers

Happy New Year!

Jeremy, Eugene, Judy and Gail met in late November to discuss the meeting schedule for 2008 and now that all but one of those dates are scheduled we'd like to share them with you.

All meetings are held at 7:00 pm in Room 1, Penn State Extension Office, unless otherwise stated.

Thursday, Jan 24 : Our Bees in Winter.

Thursday, Feb 28, 6:30 pm, Bees in the Garden by Jeremy Barnes, York Toyota Arena.

Thursday, Feb 28 - Sunday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>, Mid Atlantic Flower and Garden Show. YCBA will be setting up and manning an exhibit.

Saturday, March 1. Beekeeping Short Course by Jim Bobb at Nixon Park.

9:00 -4:00pm, for Nu-bees and more experienced beekeepers. \$15, which includes lunch.

9:00 - 12:00 pm, for those interested in keeping bees.

Thursday, April 24 : The Anatomy of a Bee. Phil Orr and Jeremy Barnes.

Saturday, May 17 starting at 2:00 pm. Field Day with Eugene Hoover.

Thursday, June 26 : Producing and Extracting Honey. Dave Papke, President of MD Beekeepers' Assoc.

June : Mike Thomas picnic and 4H Auction - dates to be announced.

Thursday, August 28 : Topic to be announced.

September 5 - 14 : York Fair.

Saturday, Oct 4 - 6:00 pm, Banquet, Old County Buffet.



**UU6S** can be paid at the January meeting or mailed to **Judy Brenneman, 4446 Zeigler Church Rd., Spring Grove, PA 17362**. There is now a choice of levels at which to subscribe :

**The Honey Pot: \$5:00 The Worker Bee \$10:00 Queen Bee \$15:00** The benefits and privileges of membership are the same for all three levels.

Is anyone interested in designing a **L.O\$0** which we can use not only for stationery but also perhaps for TCBA shirts? Please speak with Jeremy, 428.1144 or [babathemba@mac.com](mailto:babathemba@mac.com)

*You may have read in the York Daily Record, Dec 4, that a teaspoon of honey before bedtime calms children's coughs and helps them sleep better than does cough medicine. And there was a reminder about giving honey to children under one year of age because of the possibility of botulism **Yeah honey!***

Gail Leasure, Secretary.