# York County Beekeepers' Association

March 23, 2021 via Zoom

7:00 pm via Zoom

## AGENDA

#### Welcome - Gary Anderson

#### Bee Talk - David Papke

- "The Calm Before the Swarm"
- Reproduction at the colony level
- Swarm traps/bait boxes
- Responding to a swarm call
- Care of newly acquired swarms

#### Review and Discussion of COMB Project - Dr. Robyn Underwood

- Project COMB (Conventional and Organic Management of Bees) aims to determine the impacts of various management systems on honey bee colony health
- Side-by-side comparison of conventional, organic, and chemical free management systems

## NOTES

- Celia Berkstresser's Plants and Trees for Bees presentation for March will be distributed to members via PDF
- The meeting was recorded and can be viewed with this link: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/rec/share/luq31wlX94SMvvxrlpCOJiomlewGsiUPjCzKlutZlBi8</u> <u>smvLNWnt4uSZqbemANt.lzG9iqRvfp-y\_m5X</u> Passcode: VR35fLv=

### NEXT MEETING

Tuesday 4/27 at 7:00pm via Zoom; link will be provided closer to the date