



The Skep

September 2023

Columbiana & Mahoning Beekeepers' Association Newsletter

President's Corner

Hello Fellow Beekeepers,

Thank you everybody for entering stuff for judging and working the fair booth. Helping set up booth and tearing down Tuesday after fair. We will sell leftover products at next meeting.

Think of running for an office this fall

President - 2 year term

Secretary - 2 year term

Board Member - 3 year term

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Editor of Skep

-Bruce D.

September Meeting Information:

Meeting Date: 9/17/2023,
Monthly Membership Meeting and Luncheon

[Austintown Senior Center](#)
[100 Westchester Drive](#)
[Suite 110](#)
[Austintown, Ohio 44515](#)

Potluck Lunch at 1 pm
Membership meeting at 2 pm

Guest Speaker: Sell left over fair items.
Acknowledgment of fair winnings.
Share around the table.

Next Meeting: Banquet 10/15/2023



Meeting Highlights:

Prepared items for fair

Announcements

- Seeking Skep Editor to start January 2024
- October meeting will be at Ala Cart Catering in Canfield for the end of year banquet.

Thank you so much to the CMCBA for sponsoring our nature school programs! Because of your generosity, children can attend our educational programs on honey bees this September free of charge. We're so grateful for your support and commitment to education. You are all keepers! Make sure to check out the programs at WILDYOU.org.

*Sincerely,
Julie Bartolone and everyone at Wild You*

Looking for Swarms 2023	The Receive List
Davis, Steven & Kelly	330-881-0755,
Gabrick, Robert & Chris	330-549-3771, 3307182935
Jakim, James	916-304-5859,
Marshall, Floyd	330-821-0563,
McKim, Mike, Ashley	330-398-7662, 330-303-3063
McMillan, Bob (Honey Sales)	724-651-6125,
Ocasio & Arroyo, Grimilda & Bobby	330-536-8714, 330-774-2808
Temelkoff, Paul & Sonja	330-759-2804, 330-519-8975

Mentor List 2023	
Chmelik, Bob	330-799-6279, 330-501-8843
Chuey, John	330-549-3527, 330-501-2924
Davis, Steven & Kelly	330-881-0755,
Hood , Richard & Cynthia	330-538-3522, 330-207-6179
Jakim, James	916-304-5859,
Kovach, Donald	330-272-3711,

Happen in the Hive:

September:

- Provide more supers as needed.
- Check for brood disease.
- Requeen failing colonies.
- Remove excess honey.

October:

- Add supers as needed.
- Check for brood disease.
- Unite weak colonies.
- Fumigate empty combs for storage.
- Remove fall excess honey.
- Set aside supers needing repairs.
- Mite treatment.
- Start feeding.

Oney Aloe Vera Face Mask Recipe

Benefits of using a face mask:

relaxes skin, cleanses deeply, glowing skin,
improves skin quality and unclogs pores.



Ingredients:

- Aloe vera gel – 1 tsp
- Honey – 1 tbsp
- A bowl
- A spoon

- You can store this mask in the refrigerator, which means we can use it twice or thrice a week.

<https://thebeautyholic.com/>

Directions:

1. Take an empty bowl.
2. Take aloe vera gel and put it in the bowl.
3. Add honey to the bowl.
4. Mix all the ingredients well.
5. Apply the mask with your finger or brush on your face.
6. Leave it for 15 minutes
7. Rinse it with cool water
8. See the amazing results.

Swarm List (Get) 2023

Name	Service Area	Phone
Hector Colon	Youngstown, Austintown, Canfield	330-782-0512
Bruce, Deafenbaugh	Columbiana, Unity, New Springfield, East Palestine	330-565-5414
Chuck, Laird	Mahoning, Trumbull Counties	330-646-9546
Terry Volad	Mahoning	330-881-8467
Lori, Mowad	Poland , New Middletown, New Springfield	330-770-2937
Paul, Pinto	Canfield	330-233-0923
Donald, Kovach	Youngstown, Canfield, Boardman, Austintown,	330-272-3711
Tina, McCoy	Columbiana/southern Mahoning	330-503-4297
AJ, Rehlinger	50-mile radius from Canfield OH	330-261-8458
David Shoaff	Leetonia, Lisbon, Salem, Columbiana	330-416-0995
Don Duda	Mahoning, Columbiana	330-503-6725
Tom McMonagle	Mahoning, Columbiana	330-787-7562
Larry Miller	Columbiana	330-651-5658
Eddy Ernhardt	Columbiana, Springfield, Poland	330-207-7025

2023 Officers

President	Bruce Deafenbaugh	330-457-0326
Vice President	Laurie Coy	330-692-7790
Secretary	Grimilda Ocasio	330-774-2808
Treasurer	Dianna Perrico	330-360-3088
Board of Directors:		
A.J. Rehlinger	2024	330-261-8458
Nate Williams	2023	330-510-1128
Andrea Deafenbaugh	2023	330-565-5414

2022 Club Sponsors and Donors: 2023 list will come out soon!

<u>A.I. Root- Bee Culture</u> <u>Applewood Seed Company</u> <u>Betterbee</u> <u>Bee Smart Designs</u> <u>Beeline Apiaries</u> <u>Blue Sky Bee Supply</u> <u>Brushy Mountain</u> <u>Buckeye Queen Producers</u> <u>Dadant - American Bee Journal</u> <u>Draper's Super Bee Apiaries</u> <u>Ernst Seeds</u>	<u>Heartwood Lumber</u> <u>Kelley Beekeeping</u> <u>Mann Lake</u> <u>Olivarez Honey Bees</u> <u>Pigeon Mountain Trading</u> <u>Queen Right Colonies</u> <u>Rossmann Apiaries</u> <u>Western Bee Supplies</u> Hilltop Honey Farm
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