

## Beekkeeping Program (Advanced Session)

*Friday, March 10, 2006*

*9:00 am - 4:30 pm*

*Lincoln Room*

*Kellogg Center, Michigan State University*



### Agenda: Friday

**8:30 am Registration and getting acquainted**

**8:30-9:00 am Honey bee slide show (photo by Zachary Huang)**

#### **9:10 am Door Prizes**

● 9:30 am **"The Bear Bill (House Bill #5291)"\*\***  
Representative Rick Brown and Gary Randall

**\*\*ATTENTION-Any beekeepers who have suffered bear damage please either be at the meeting Friday, March 10, 2006 at 9:00 a.m. to discuss their problems or contact Terry Klein with any pertinent information 989-865-9377.**

● 10:30 am **"Queen rearing for small beekeepers"**  
Dr. Roger Hoopgarner, Michigan State University

● 11:20 am **"Honey bee research at the Tucson USDA bee lab"**  
Dr. Diana Sammataro, USDA Bee Lab at Tucson

**12:10 - 1:30 pm Lunch on your own**

● 1:30 pm **"Pesticide update and other bee issues"**  
Mr. Michael Hansen, State Apiarist, Michigan Department of Agriculture

● 2:20 pm **"Producing Colonies From Survivor Stocks"**  
Dr. Larry Connor, WICWAS Press

**3:10 pm Break**

**3:20 pm Door Prizes**

● 3:40 pm **"Report from the American Beekeepers Federation Meeting"**  
Judy and Bill, ABF Reps

● 4:00pm **"Report from the National Honey Board"**  
Eric Goodrich, NHB Rep

● 4:10 pm **Questions and Answers on any topic (All speakers)**

● 4:30 pm Meeting Adjourned

## Beekkeeping Program (Advanced Session)

*Saturday, March 11, 2006*

*9:00 am - 4:30 pm*

*Lincoln Room*

*Kellogg Center, Michigan State University*



### Agenda: Saturday

**8:30 am Registration and getting acquainted**

**9:10 am Door Prizes**

● 9:30 am "**Honey House Regulations**"

Michigan Department of Agriculture

● 10:30 am "**Living with the two mites**"

Dr. Diana Sammataro, USDA Bee Lab at Tucson

● 11:20 am "**Using honey bees for pollination**"

Dr. Larry Connor, WICWAS Press

**12:10 - 1:30 pm Lunch on your own**

● 1:30 pm "**Almond pollination in California**"

Dr. Zachary Huang, Michigan State University

**2:20 pm Break**

**2:30 pm Hive Raffle**

● 2:40 pm "**I. Progress toward replacing Pellett**" "**II. Taste - an important but elusive characteristic**"

Dr. George Ayers, Michigan State University

● 3:40 pm "**MBA panel discussion**"

Michigan keekeepers Association Board

● 4:30 pm **Questions and Answers on any topic (All speakers)**

● 4:45 pm Meeting adjourned

Future meetings:

MBA Summer Picnic, June 17, 2006, Traverse City, MI

MBA Fall Meeting, Oct 27 & 28, Midland, MI

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