

# Stokes County Beekeepers Association

Minutes for Tuesday September 12, 2023

**Present:** Travis Dezarn (President), James Davis (Vice President), Jason Paris (Secretary), Nicky Makruski (Treasurer),

**Absent:** Dale Marshall (Program Chair)

## Call to Order

Travis Dezarn welcomed members and visitors.

## Approval of Minutes

Approve minutes from July meeting.

## Treasurer's Report

Nicky Makruski reported a balance of \$2,925.84 in the checking account.

## Old Business

### *Damaged Honey Extractor Update*

An offer of \$300 was made by the gentlemen responsible for the destruction of the association's extractor. A motion was made and seconded to accept the offer. The motion was approved by a unanimous vote. A discussion on replacing the extractor took place. Travis Dezarn volunteered to get quotes for hand cranked and motorized extractors for the October meeting.

## New Business

### *2024 Officers*

Nicky Makruski and Karen volunteered to help Rusty Hampton with the nominating committee for 2024 officers. Elections of officers to take place at the November meeting.

### *Bee School*

Travis Dezarn spoke briefly on 2024 bee school. Possible payment methods were discussed. Dates for bee school to be presented at October's meeting.

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday October 10th, 2023