

Five Rivers Bee Club

Monthly Meeting Minutes for December 20, 2022

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Mission Statement 'The mission of Five Rivers Bee Club (FRBC) is to provide our membership and local community with a forum for sharing knowledge (through presentations and/or articles in print) of mutual interests in beekeeping, honey production and marketing of honey and related products. To educate and promote the benefits of beekeeping to the public'

Meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm. by Lonnie Perry - President

Opening prayer was given by Adam Taitano

Minutes of November 15, 2022 were approved after corrections were made. Lonnie Perry motioned to accept and David Rosenberg 2nd. All approved.

The changes were to postpone the Officers Voting until the January 2023 meeting.

Treasurer Report. \$977.77 (All books are open to the members)

In Attendance: 28 total (20 adults, 8 young persons)

Tonight was socializing and enjoying each other's company.

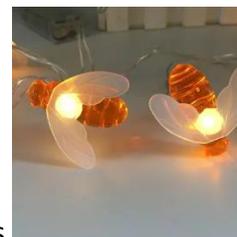
We had wonderful pot luck and I do not think anyone went away hungry. There was lots of great food.



SantaBEE stopped by and all got a little gift.



Congratulations to Bronna Birdsell, she won the raffle for the water color painting by Luanne Stone.



William had strings of bee led lights he raffled off.

Adam Taitano headed up the choir with all the children, who sang 5 Christmas songs for us. They were wonderful and you can see the performance on the Video of the meeting.

Lonnie then took the stage, passed out song sheet to all and we all sang a parody of "The Twelve Days of Christmas". It was called "The Twelve Days of Beekeeping". This also can heard on the video of the meeting. Here is the last page of the song to see all the lyrics. Enjoy.

On the Twelfth Day of Beekeeping, my true love sent to me:

Twelve New Bee Hives
Eleven Queens a piping
Ten Frames of Broad
Nine Nucs a mating
Eight Weeks of Waiting
Seven Drones a Flying
Six Queens a laying
Five Golden Jars
Four Frames a Spinning
Three Hive Tools
Two Pair of Gloves
And a Swarm in the Pear tree.

Next month, we will have the voting and swearing in of new 2023 Officers for the Five Rivers Bee Club.

Meeting adjourned 7:40pm and many socialize afterwards.
Next month, our meeting will be held on January 17, 2023
Location 301 Main Street - Hardy AR 72542 (Hardy Civic Center)
Minutes submitted by Jacque English

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