

QUEENRIGHT

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NORTHWEST INDIANA BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION.

A CLUB DEDICATED TO INFORMING THE PUBLIC, TEACHING NEW BEEKEEPERS AND HELPING THE ESTABLISHED HOBBY KEEPER

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Bee Our Guest

Summer is in full swing and with it our annual family picnic will be kicking off!

Date: August 18, 2018

Location: Hopper Building Supply

Address: 1300 W 180th Lane. Lowell, IN 46356

Time: 1:00pm to 4:00pm

Families are welcome to attend. Please RSVP to our Vice President and right hand man Alan Hopper.

Phone: 219-712-3268 Email: alanhopper55@gmail.com

You will need to include the number of family members that will be in attendance as well as what dish/dishes you will be bringing to share.

Drinks will be provided, if you have something specific you want to drink, please accommodate yourself and bring it.

There will also be activities for attendees but feel free to bring yard games if you so chose!



August Meeting

There will be NO official general membership meeting this August because of the Lake County Fair and the Annual Picnic.

September's general membership meeting will be announced in the next news letter.

If you have any questions, concerns, topics of conversations, or points of interest for the next meeting please contact one of the NWIBA officers.

Lake County Fair

Lake County Fair is fast approaching! August 3rd-12th Don't forget to sign up as a volunteer for the observation hive & sales counter, and candle making!

We would greatly appreciate all hands on deck!

Entry Information:

The Agricultural Department Premium List (entry categories) is available at the fair secretary's office. Entry forms are due by July 27th. Entries are to be brought to the Agricultural Building, gate 3, on Thurs, Aug. 2nd, 9am-9pm. Queen line 1lb glass jars are available at Jake's & Crown Feed.

Club Photo Competition:

The club will be doing a photo contest this year. If you are interested please bring a framed 8x10 photo of bees or beekeeping to the Ag Building on Thursday, August 2. Please label photos with your name & your preference on gift card should you win the \$50 prize.

In Search Of Helping Hands!

We have several upcoming events listed here that are in need of volunteers. This is a great opportunity to network with fellow beekeepers. for more information contact :

Ed Rice: **219-718-8526**

Alan Hopper: **219-712-3268**



Bee Buys

Bee related items for sale you can list it here. Simply provide a brief description, name, and phone number

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Lake County Fair: August 3rd thru 15th

LCF Entry Forms: July 27th

LCF Entry Items: August 2nd

NWIBA Picnic: August 18th

New Contest Announcement: Enter your best hand painted 6" honey super! Bee creative and colorful! Entries are due the same day as the photo entries, August 2nd, and should be turned in to the Agricultural Building. Please label the boxes with your name and phone number and preference on gift card should you win the \$50 prize.