

# NWABA MEETING MINUTES

## JUNE 9, '25

The meeting was opened by President Jay Davidson @ 7 pm

Door prizes were announced by Earl Rowe.

Announcements included:

- Highlights of the Orthodox Brewery bee event on May 18th from 2-6pm.
- Another invitation was given for those interested in helping out with the Botanical Garden of the Ozarks apiary. A sign up sheet went out for those interested.

### *In the Hive*

Jay gave a short presentation on separating honey supers a week up to the day before as the first step in preparing for extracting honey.

*What's Feeding our Foragers* for June was presented by Maureen Grace.

## **PROGRAM**

### ***SUMMER INSPECTIONS***

by JACOB BATES

AR State Bee Inspector for northern AR

The program included information on:

- Potential pests and diseases to be on the lookout for including the yellow-legged hornet not yet in Arkansas and the Tropilaelaps mite not yet in North America
- June priorities
- Honey harvesting
- The laws regarding registering your bee yard, moving honey bee locations and selling hives

**Attendance:** Approximately 85 people

For video of the meeting please check out the *NWABA FACEBOOK PAGE*.

