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July Summer Field Day

Dwight & Jerry will once again be hosting the Summer Field Day Workshop at their Honey Farm near Continental. This is scheduled for Saturday, July 9th at 1:00pm. There will be a potluck meal to follow at 5:00pm. The Club will furnish meat, water, and table service. Please bring a hot or cold dish to share. Their Honey Farm is located at 23151 Rd. A, Continental, Ohio (see directions below). The workshop is open to any beekeeper or anyone wanting to learn. Please bring your bee gear (veil, jacket, etc) if you plan to be in the apiary.

Family members are also welcome, as there will be kids activities ran by Dawn.

Agenda

1:00pm - Field Day Begins

Beekeepers will meet in the apiary. Peggy Garnes will build a cell starter from one of the hives, and use the eggs from that hive for grafting. Dwight Wells will have brought in eggs from two different queens from Purdue University (Ankle Biter Stock). We will be using those for grafting. We encourage everyone attending to do some grafting. We will have cell starters there to put your grafted eggs in. The queen cells can be picked up at a later date. If you want to bring your own nuc, after the queen cells have matured, they then can be left there for mating. Another option ~ You can bring a cell starter with you and take it home with your grafted eggs.

We will have other things happening in the bee yard. Some of you may not want to graft.

Jamie Walters will be demonstrating OTS (On The Spot) queen rearing.

Dwayne Hathaway will be going thru hive basics...finding the queen, and inspection.

Alan Wischmeyer will be demonstrating using an oxalic acid vaporizer for varroa control.

Dwight Wilson will be re-queening 4 hives using 4 different methods

Barb Bloetscher will have a microscope set up to check for nosema count. You will need to bring approximately 300 bees from your hives. She will also be doing a varroa check on those bees and demonstrating in the bee yard.

5:00pm - Potluck Starts

Information / Questions

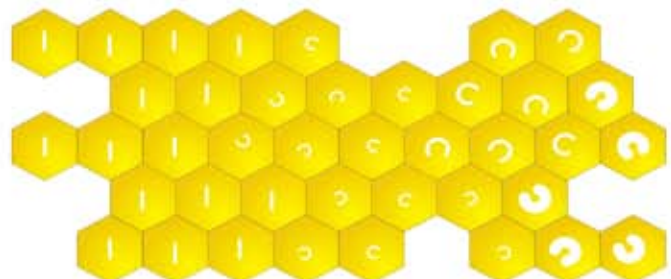
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Planning Ahead

**NWOBA
Summer Picnic**
Dwight & Jerry's
Bee Farm
July 9th @ 1pm

**Heartland
Apiculture Society**
Bowling Green, Kentucky
July 14th - 16th



Dwight & Jerry's Honey Farm

23151 Rd. A, Continental, Ohio
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*Looking forward to seeing everyone...
Thank you*