

2024 Bluegrass Beekeeping School Saturday, March 9, 2024

Starts 8:00 AM	REGISTRATION Bradford Hall Lobby					
	Bradford Auditorium					
8:45 - 9:00	Welcome (Ruth Jeffers & Wes Henry) KSBA, KY Certified Honey Program (Phil Craft & Scott Moore) Hives for Heros (Will Reburn) Kaelyn Sumner 2024 American Honey Queen					
9:00 – 10:00	Collective Intelligence In Honey Bees, And The Honey Bee Dance Language David Peck, PhD					
10:00 – 10:20	Break					
	Bradford Auditorium	Carver Auditorium	Carver Classroom 1	Carver Classroom 2	Carver Classroom 3	Carver Classroom 4
10:20 - 11:10	Basic Bee Biology Tom Webster, PhD	Growing Your Apiary Kent Williams	Labeling And Marketing Honey & Hive Products Jessica Mayes & Scott Moore	Importance Of Local Bee Stock Dorothey Morgan	Varroa Destructor & The Viruses That Kill Bees Jack Kuhn	Diseases, Mites & Pesticides Across Kentucky Farida Olden PhD
11:10 – 11:25	Break					
11:25 – 12:15	Basic Beekeeping Equipment & Getting Started Tommy Steele & Ruth Jeffers	All about Queens David Peck, PhD	Engaging Consumers Getting Them Hooked On Honeybees Kaelyn Sumner 2024 American Honey Queen	Nucs: The Spare Tire Of The Beeyard Wes Henry	Systematic Treatment For Varroa Mites Jack Kuhn	Honey Bee Friendly Plants And Trees Janet Osborn
	Student Center Ballroom					
12:15 – 1:30	Lunch Visit Vendors					
1:30 – 2:15	Question and Answer Panel David Peck PhD, Kent Williams, Tom Webster PhD, Tammy Potter PhD, Phil Craft					
2:15 – 2:30	Break					
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2:30 – 3:20	First Year Hive Management John Antenucci	Queen Problems And Corrections Kent Williams	Value Added Products: Making Body Butter Laura Sparkman	New Unwelcome Arrivals: Spotted Lanternfly & Yellow-Legged Hornet Tammy Potter, PhD	Dead Bees Don't Make Honey Theresa Martin	Sampling For Varroa Mites Joseph Palmer & Kenny Holbrook
3:20 – 3:40	Break					
	Bradford Auditorium					
3:40 – 4:30	What Swarming Is All About David Peck, PhD					
4:30 – 5:00	Closing and Door Prizes					

Color Key:

Bradford Auditorium

Student Center Ballroom