

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 4, 2023 TBA CONVENTION SCHEDULE

START	FINISH	Topic	Person in Charge / Speaker	Location
7:30 AM	7:45 AM	Conference Registration		Lobby
9:00 AM	2:00 PM	Silent Auction Bidding - Closes Promptly at 2PM		Main Ballroom
8:00 AM	5:00 PM	Vendor Show		Vendor Area
8:00 AM	8:10 AM	Welcome & Announcements	Byron Compton & Chris Doggett	Main Ballroom
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	Honey Breakfast (Free for Attendees)		Main Ballroom
8:10 AM	9:10 AM	Using Drones to Predict Mite Infestations	Dr. Zac Lamas	Main Ballroom
9:15 AM	10:15 AM	The Potential of Texan Honey to Treat Hospital-acquired Infections	Dr. Ferhat Ozturk	Main Ballroom
10:15 AM	10:30 AM	Networking and Vendor Visits		Vendor Area
10:30 AM	11:50 PM	Session 2 (1 hour 20 minutes)		Expert Speakers
		Honey - TBD	Dr. Ozturk	Main Ballroom
		Top Bar Beekeeping	Brandon Fehrenkamp	North Room 5: Special Interest
		Beginner (Where to start, Equipment, Bee Biology, Basic Hive Management, Nuc's vs. Packages, etc.)	Justin Russell	North Room 3: Newbee
		From Hobbyist to Hollywood — My Journey in Beekeeping and Big Media	Charles Agar	North Room 1: Advanced
12:00 PM	1:30 PM	Award Lunch - Award Presentation - Included in Ticket Price Honey Show Awards/Centerpiece Winners and TMBP Advancements		Main Ballroom
2:00 PM		Silent Auction Bidding ENDS Payment & Item Collection from 2pm to 5pm in Main Ballroom		Main Ballroom
2:00 PM	2:50 PM	Session 3 (50 minutes)		Expert Speakers
		Beepocalypse – The man-made Perfect Storm	Ed Erwin	North Room 1: Advanced
		Ag Exemption using Beekeeping	Dennis Herbert	North Room 5 & 7: Special Interest
		Honey Bee Viruses	Dr Tonya Shepard	North Room 3: Newbee
		Fun with Wax - Hanging Ornaments	Becky Barajas & Dodie Stillman	Main Ballroom: Hands On
3:10 PM	4:00 PM	Session 4 (50 minutes)		Expert Speakers
		Making Moola With Bees: Creative Opportunities to Monetize Beekeeping Business	Kim Townsend	North Room 1: Advanced
		Commercial Beekeeping	Justin Russell	North Room 5 & 7: Special Interest
		Honeybee Communication	Lauren Ward	North Room 3: Newbee
		Bee Removals	Steve Butler	Main Ballroom: Interactive
4:20 PM	5:10 PM	Session 5 (50 minutes)		Expert Speakers
		Organic Treatments for Beekeeping	Tanya Phillips	Room 1: Advanced
		Keeping Bees Calm	Les Crowder	North Room 5 & 7: Special Interest
		A year in review in the life of a Nuc	Linda Williams	North Room 3: Newbee
		Preparing Bees for Winter	Chari & James Elam	Main Ballroom: Interactive
5:10 PM	5:20 PM	Wrap Up, Door Prizes		Main Ballroom