Kakabeka Legion Kitchen opens at 6:00 p.m. Meeting starts at 7 p.m.¹

- 1) The objectives of the Thunder Bay Beekeepers Association shall be:
 - a) To encourage, facilitate and develop the growth and expanse of the Honey Bee species;
 - b) Promote and educate the appropriate Regulatory bodies to ensure the proper management of the speciesⁱ
 - c) To assist and monitor the protection of the Honey bee species;
 - d) To support and promote the Health and welfare of the honey bee, to organize and supervise activities and events related to beekeeping;
 - e) To promote public awareness and the appreciation of the Honey bees.

AGENDA

- 1) Call to Order.
- 2) Previous minutes
- 3) Business Arising
- 4) President's Report (Bruce Browne)
 - a. Update on volunteer activities
 - b. Update on July workshop
 - c. Ongoing support for City of Thunder Bay Pollinator Garden Award
 - d. Ongoing support for Hymer's Honey categories
- 5) Treasurers Report (Don Kamula)
- 6) Bee inspectors Report (verbal)
- 7) Ongoing Business:
 - a. Need for volunteer coordinator
 - b. Pays Platt (Kathy, Ingrid, Rob, Gordon)
- 8) New Business.
 - a. Priorities for the year
 - i. Updating posters/education/display board
 - ii. Education needs for club
 - iii. Lawn signs

¹ TBBA doesn't pay for the use of the Legion ... in return, we need to support the kitchen and bar.

- iv. Bee calendar
- v. Bee yard
- b. *Club vaporizers: Don has 1 and ?Dean has the other*
- c. Observation hive biosecurity issues: ideas, email out
- d. *Club decision to choose 1 medication (apivar vs. apistan) annually to prevent resistance (MOTION and VOTE)*
- 9) Bulk purchases
 - a. Containers
 - b. Medication needs
- 10) Education & Discussion:
 - Wintering and mite control
 - Video on Wintering
 - Q&A -- anything you want to discuss

11) Next meeting: Tuesday, November 14, 2017 at the Kakabeka Legion with OMAFRA 12) Adjournment.

Don Kamula will be available

before and after the meeting to process your

January to December 2017 membership