

40th Annual

Tocal Beekeepers' Field Day

12th October 2019

Free!



Program

- 9.00 Welcome
- 9.10 40 Years of Beekeeping - Bill Winner
- 9.40 2019 Apimondia Review - Bruce White
- 10.00 Honey and Pollen Flora of South-Eastern Australia - Dr Doug Somerville
- 10.30 Morning Tea - Demonstrations for Beginners, bee smokers and tools, PPE, Hive parts and opening of a beehive
- 11.30 NSW DPI Queen Bee Breeding Program Update - Elizabeth Frost
- 11.45 Beekeeper Training Update - Dani Lloyd-Prichard and Kevin Tracy
- 12.00 Bee Biosecurity Update - Mark Page and Rod Bourke
- 12.30 The History of AFB and Analysis Techniques - Dr Michael Hornitzky
- 1.00 AFB Sniffer Dogs - Sam Giggins
- 1.15 Lunch – Field demonstrations of pests and diseases inspection of a beehive, and lifting beehives.
- 2.00 Main hall special lunchtime presentation on 'The Benefits of Competitions and Marketing your Backyard Honey' - Len Verrenkamp and Michael Symes
- 3.00 What makes a good Apiary Site? - Nick Geoghegan
- 3.20 Urban Hum: Boutique Backyard Beekeeping - Kelly Lees
- 3.40 Raffle draw and close

**A free event for
beekeepers and
beekeepers-to-bee**

Tocal College,
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Trade Show, Honey Tastings and Sales,
Food and Coffee available all day.

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