

# Pennsylvania State Beekeepers Association Annual Meeting and Conference

**Last Call! We CANNOT provide lunch or the Banquet option for registrations not RECEIVED by 30 October.**

If you mail your registration after 25 October we request you email [PSBASecretary@gmail.com](mailto:PSBASecretary@gmail.com) or call 412.508.0820 to let us know your registration is in the mail.

**Dates:** Friday and Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**Location: Ramada State College Hotel and Conference Center**  
1450 S Atherton St,  
State College, PA 16801

For a room call 814-238-3001, however rooms may not be available, and/or the group rate (code CG03PB) may not be available. October 16<sup>th</sup> was the deadline.

**Conference Registration Deadline Extended to October 30th!**

**Please Register! Walk-Ins will pay the same registration cost, however lunch will not be included and the banquet will not be an option.** They need our meal counts 3 business days before the event and **cannot** accommodate walk-ins for lunch or the banquet.

## **Your Pre-Registration Includes:**

Light Breakfast Saturday Morning  
Beverages and Snacks at Breaks on Saturday  
Express Deli Buffet Lunch on Saturday. **(Not included for walk-ins)**

## **Friday Evening Banquet Buffet: (Not available to walk-ins)**

**Salads:** Caesar Salad  
Pasta Salad  
Potato Salad

**Entrees:** Sliced Sirloin of Beef with Roasted Garlic Demi  
Stuffed Chicken Breast with Cornbread Stuffing  
Vegetable Lasagna with White Sauce

**Sides:** Herb Roasted Red Potatoes  
Rice Pilaf  
Honey Glazed Carrots

## **Chef's Dessert Assortment**

**Drinks:** Iced Tea, Hot Tea, Coffee (regular and decaf)

**Cash Bar**

## Annual Meeting and Conference Agenda:

### Friday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017

- 8:30 am – 9:30 am Beekeeping 102 Attendee Registration
- 9:30 am – 12:30 pm Beekeeping 102: Jim Bobb/Dr. Deb Delaney
- 9:30 am – 1:30 pm General Conference Attendee Registration
- 9:30 am – 12:30 pm Executive Board Meeting (County Representatives should attend)
- 12:00 pm Vendors Open
- 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm Lunch - Everyone on their own
- 1:30 pm - 1:45 pm Welcome - Steve Repasky
- 1.45 pm – 2:15 pm The State of the Bees in PA - Karen Roccasecca
- 2:15 pm – 3:15 pm Randy Oliver – Reading the Combs: Understanding Bee Biology Over the Course of a Season
- 3:15 pm – 3:45 pm Break – On your own
- 3:45 pm – 5:45 pm General Membership Meeting & Officer Elections (All PSBA Members)
- 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm Banquet - Guest speaker - Emma Mullen

### Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017

- 7:00 am – 8:30 am Pre-Meeting Break (light breakfast for all)
- 7:15 am – 8:00 am Attendee Registration Open
- 8:00 am – 8:15 am Welcome – Steve Repasky
- 8:15 am – 8:45 am Landscape 4 Honeybees - Dr. Christina Grozinger
- 8:45 am – 9:30 am Feral Bee Project - Dr. Margarita Lopez-Uribe
- 9:30 am – 10:30 am Harbingers of the End Time – Dr. Jim Frazer
- 10:30 am – 11:00 am Break (beverages provided)
- 11:00 am – 12:00 pm Break Outs
  - A Sticky Hive is a Healthy Hive: How/Why Bees Use Propolis – Dr. Michael Simone-Finstrom
  - Best Beekeeping Management Practices – Emma Mullen
  - PA Queen Project/Field Days - Jeff Berta /Mark Gingrich/ Steve Repasky
  - Talking to Children about Honey Bees - Cathy Vorisek
  - Planting for Pollinators – Master Gardener Philip Bauerle
- 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm Lunch Break (Express Deli Buffet for All Pre-Registered Attendees)
- 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm Poster Session (during lunch break)
- 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm Break Outs Repeated (attendees get to attend a 2<sup>nd</sup> breakout session)
- 2:30 pm – 3:00 pm Break (beverages and snacks provided)
- 3:00 pm – 4:00 pm Randy Oliver – Understanding Varroa Management
- 4:00 pm – 4:30 pm Conference Wrap Up - Steve Repasky

## 2017 Conference and Banquet Registration – Updated 11 Oct 2017

Registrant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Partner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Beekeeping Club: \_\_\_\_\_

**Conference Registration:** Register for each event separately.

<u>Event</u>	<u>Number Attending</u>		<u>Cost per Person</u>		<u>Total</u>
Beekeeping 102 Class	_____	X	<u>\$25.00</u>	=	\$ _____
Conference Friday ONLY	_____	X	<u>\$35.00</u>	=	\$ _____
Conference Saturday ONLY	_____	X	<u>\$45.00</u>	=	\$ _____
Conference Friday AND Saturday	_____	X	<u>\$55.00</u>	=	\$ _____
Spouse/Partner Friday AND Saturday	_____	X	<u>\$40.00</u>	=	\$ _____
Special Conference Student Rate	_____	X	<u>\$25.00</u>	=	\$ _____
Friday Evening Banquet	_____	X	<u>\$35.00</u>	=	\$ _____
<b>Friday Evening Banquet (Kids 12 &amp; under)</b>	_____	X	<u>\$17.50</u>	=	\$ _____
					Total: \$ _____

**Two Breakout Sessions You Plan to Attend:** (please note number attending)

A Sticky Hive is a Healthy Hive: Understanding How and Why Bees Use Propolis: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Beekeeping Management Practices: \_\_\_\_\_

PA Queen Project/Field Days: \_\_\_\_\_

Talking to Children About Bees: \_\_\_\_\_

Planting for Pollinators: \_\_\_\_\_

Make Checks Payable to: PA State Beekeepers Association

Mail Registration Form and Payment to: Bob Tatro

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Email [PSBASecretary@gmail.com](mailto:PSBASecretary@gmail.com) if you have any questions.