

Handout #2 – IEBA Schedule 2017

Inland Empire Beekeepers Association Schedule for 2017

Version 4

Dates and time may change

Classes may be cancelled if an instructor is not available

Courses open only to members of the Inland Empire Beekeepers Association

<u>Date</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Program Topics/Notes</u>
13 Jan	IEBA Monthly Meeting Social: 6:00 – 7:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM	IEBA Budget <u>Monthly What to Do:</u> Yearly Hive Management Plan
10 Feb	IEBA Monthly Meeting Social: 6:00 – 7:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM	<u>Monthly What to Do:</u> Emergency Feeding, Refurbishing Equipment, Multi-use Equipment Creamed Honey Production
11 Feb (Saturday)	Basic Beekeeping Class Group A Classroom portion 9-5 pm	County Extension Office
25 Feb (Saturday)	Basic Beekeeping Class Group B Classroom portion 9-5 pm	County Extension Office
10 Mar	IEBA Monthly Meeting Social: 6:00 – 7:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM	<u>Monthly What to Do:</u> Stimulating Hives, Splits, Nucs, Queenless Hives
17 Mar	2nd Year Beekeeping County Extension Office 6:30 – 8:30 PM	See course syllabus
24 Mar	2nd Year Beekeeping County Extension Office 6:30 – 8:30 PM	See course syllabus
31 Mar	2nd Year Beekeeping County Extension Office 6:30 – 8:30 PM	See course syllabus + NUC production & use
1 Apr	Train the Trainer Class 0900-1030 2nd Year Beekeeping Field Day 1200 (noon)	County Extension Office See course syllabus
14 Apr	IEBA Monthly Meeting Social: 6:00 – 7:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM	<u>Monthly What to Do:</u> Hive Balance. Mite Eval, Spring Mite Treatment, Disease & Foulbrood Eval. Swarm Control
15 Apr	Package Installation Class -Basic Beekeeping Students- 1st group at 11:30 AM Ends at 3:00 PM	Parking lot of County Extension How to install a package Students install IEBA packages New group every 30 minutes 11:30, 12:00, 12:30, etc.
29 Apr	Garden Fair at WSU Extension All day event	IEBA exhibit & sale of Honey
May 3 and 4	Farm Fair – Spokane area Est 1400 kids during the two days	POC: Scott Ingles

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6 May	Field Day 1 Basic Beekeeping Course	See course syllabus Group A: 9-1200 am Group B: 1-4 pm
20-21 May	NW Spring Fest – CDA Idaho	POC: Kelly McSheehy
24-25 May	Farm to Table – North Idaho	POC: Kelly McSheehy
19 May	6 th Grade Conservation Day	POC: Scott Ingles
12 May	IEBA Monthly Meeting Social: 6:00 – 7:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM New Beekeeper Questions ≈ 5:30–6:30	<u>Monthly What to Do:</u> Guest Speaker
TBD	Fair Exhibits	How to exhibit your honey and other products from the hive.
3 June	Field Day 2 Basic Beekeeping Course	See course syllabus Group A: 9-12 am Group B: 1-4 pm
9 June	IEBA Monthly Meeting Social: 6:00 – 7:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM New Beekeeper Questions ≈ 5:30–6:30	<u>Monthly What to Do:</u> Honey Flow, Requeening, Queen excluder use, Fine Tuning Supering, Queen NUCs
8 July	Field Day 3 Basic Beekeeping Course	See course syllabus Group A: 9-12 am Group B: 1-4 pm
14 July	IEBA Monthly Meeting Social: 6:00 – 7:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM New Beekeeper Questions ≈ 5:30–6:30	<u>Monthly What to Do:</u> Discussion, Pulling Honey, Extracting, Mite Evals & Treatments, Sample cups w/ instruction sheet & data sheet
6 Aug (Sunday)	IEBA Annual PICNIC & Graduation Ceremony	12:00 PM, Sullivan Park Collect Bee Sample cups Must be in zip lock w/data sheet
11 Aug	IEBA Monthly Meeting Social: 6:00 – 7:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM	<u>Monthly What to Do:</u> Health of Hive Evaluation, Pull Honey, Mite Treatments, Feeding, Fall Bees
23-27 Aug	North Idaho Fair	
8-17 Sep	Spokane Interstate State Fair	
13 Oct	IEBA Monthly Meeting Social: 6:00 – 7:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM	<u>Monthly What to Do:</u> Winter Yard Prep Wrapping etc
3 & 17 Nov 1 & 15 Dec	Journeyman Course Fridays: 6:30-8:30	Classroom portion: IEBA members only
10 Nov	IEBA Monthly Meeting Thanksgiving Feast 6:00 PM, Eat as soon as possible	Guest Speaker
8 Dec	IEBA Monthly Meeting Christmas Celebration – 6:00 PM, Eat as soon as possible	Election of Officers Picture Presentation/Year in Review