A Season of Beekeeping
2012 Workshop Series

Implemented by Edgecombe County Cooperative Extension & funded by the Coastal Plains Beekeepers and Edgecombe County Farm Bureau, Bob Filbrun and other local beekeepers will walk you through a “Season of Beekeeping.”

We will begin this “progressive” workshop on April 3rd and continue meeting monthly to carry out the regular maintenance chores associated with keeping honey bees. Our regularly scheduled meetings will be on Tuesday or Thursday evenings and will often last approximately 1 hour—or as long as activities and questions dictate.

Each evening will focus on a different element of hive maintenance and honey bee health. While attending all classes will not be required, it will help you to have a better understanding of the progression of activities through the beekeeping season and the time commitment required.

On April 3rd, we will start by splitting an existing hive. The educational hive is located near the vegetable garden behind Saint Anne’s Chapel on the corner of McNair & Howard Ave Extension (Tarboro).

Tentative Meeting Dates:
* Apr 3rd
* Apr 24th
* May 15th
* June 19th
* Aug 21st
* Sept 18th
* Oct 18th.

The Coastal Plains Beekeeper Meetings will follow the workshops in May, June & Sept.

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