

Memberships are renewable  
annually at the beginning  
January 1<sup>st</sup>

**Dues are \$ 15.00 per year**

*Paying multiple years is accepted.*

Dues must be paid by March 31<sup>st</sup> to remain active.  
web users will also have access to our Google page.

<http://groups.google.com/group/NWPBA1>

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Dues for 20\_\_\_\_ to 20\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to:

**“NW Pa Beekeepers Association”**

**mail to: NW Pa Beekeepers Assoc.  
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Cranesville, Pa 16410**

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*Beekeeping can be a profitable  
sideline or a full-time occupation. Almost  
anyone can keep bees. You may want to  
keep bees for the delicious fresh honey they  
produce, for the benefits of their valuable  
services as pollinators, or perhaps just for  
the fun of learning more about one of  
nature's most interesting insects.*

*Beekeeping is generally considered  
a minor industry in Pennsylvania, but  
because of its interrelationship with other  
phases of agriculture, it is much more  
important.*

### NorthWestern Pa Beekeepers Association

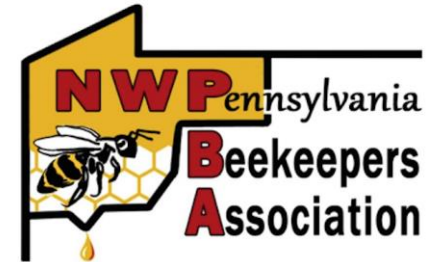
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The Northwestern Pennsylvania Beekeepers Association (NWPBA) was re-established in 2001. Previously, the Association existed for many years but disbanded about 1990 for a variety of reasons including aging beekeepers and heavy losses due to the arrival of varroa mites. Keeping with tradition, it continues serving the five counties of Warren, Erie, Crawford, Venango and Mercer. NWPBA has been an important resource in maintaining a working relationship with local media, farm organizations and a growing interest in beekeeping. Membership began with 25 and has grown to over 150.

Some of our members are professional beekeepers while some are just getting started. All share an interest in the wonderful and remarkable world of the honey bee. The purpose of the NWPBA is to provide our members with interesting and practical information about honey bees and beekeeping techniques. The club also provides the general public with educational programs about benefits of bees and beekeeping in our communities.

We are non-profit, charitable organization.  
If you share our interest - please join us!

## NWPBA meetings

### [2019 Meeting Schedule](#)

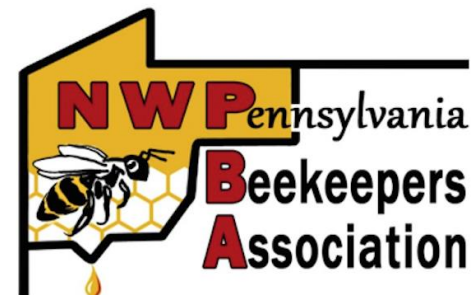
[We normally meet from 10:00-Noon](#)

<u>Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup></u>	at Wiley Science Center, Edinboro University
<u>March 23<sup>rd</sup></u>	at Wiley Science Center, Edinboro University
<u>April 28<sup>th</sup></u>	No Meeting
<u>May 18<sup>th</sup></u>	at Compton Hall, Edinboro University
<u>June 22<sup>nd</sup></u>	Bee Yard Field Day – 12-3:30 PM Vorisek's Bee Yard, 15834 Linesville Rd, Linesville, PA
<u>July 20<sup>st</sup></u>	Out-yard apiary visits – Regional arranged yard visits July 27 rain date
<u>Aug 10<sup>th</sup></u>	NWPBA Picnic at Bertram Park, Rt 198 Saegertown, PA
<u>Oct 26<sup>th</sup></u>	at Compton Hall, Edinboro University
<u>Nov 23<sup>rd</sup></u>	at Compton Hall, Edinboro University

## Regional and State Events

### [2019 Events](#)

<u>Feb 15-16<sup>th</sup></u>	Western Pa Bee Seminar, Gateway Senior High School 3000 Gateway Campus Blvd, Monroeville, PA
<u>June 18-24<sup>th</sup></u>	Pollinator Week at TREC, Erie Tom Ridge Environmental Center, 301 Peninsula Dr, Erie
<u>July 14<sup>th</sup></u>	PSBA Summer Picnic 3950 Ferguson Valley Rd, McVeytown, PA
<u>July 15-19<sup>th</sup></u>	EAS 2019, Hampton Roads Convention Ctr., Hampton, VA
<u>Aug 17-24<sup>th</sup></u>	Crawford County Fair, Meadville, PA
<u>Aug 25-31<sup>st</sup></u>	Wattsburg Fair, Wattsburg, PA
<u>Sept 8-12<sup>th</sup></u>	Apimondia International Bee Conference, Montreal, Canada
<u>Sept 21<sup>st</sup></u>	Fall Honey Harvest Festival, Asbury Woods Nature Center, Erie, PA
<u>Nov 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup></u>	PSBA Annual Conference, Ramada Inn, State College, PA



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