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Tocal Beekeepers' Field Day

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Program

Speakers	Topics
1. Mark Page (NSW DPI Training Coordinator Honey Bees)	Intro to field day, Welcome to country, industry support, changing time in beekeeping
2. Kelly Lees (NSW DPI Education Officer Honey Bees)	Varroa explained, lifecycle with honey bees, growing education
3. Dr. Madlen Kratz (NSW DPI Honey Bee Industry Development Officer)	Nutrition of honey bees and Varroa mites
4. Emily Noordyke (NSW DPI Technical Officer Plan Bee)	The ins and outs of monitoring for Varroa
5. Elizabeth Frost (NSW DPI Technical Specialist Honey Bees)	Varroa management options for NSW beekeepers
6. Rod Bourke (NSW DPI Bee Biosecurity Officer)	Varroa, viruses and biosecurity risks. Ferals, unmanaged, and surveillance hives
7. Dr. Cooper Schouten (Southern Cross University Lecturer, Leader of Bees for Sustainable Livelihoods Research Group)	Papua New Guinea, Fiji Varroa experiences and effects on pollination
8. Mark Page (NSW DPI Training Coordinator Honey Bees)	Native beekeeping, Varroa, and response impacts
9. Anna Noon (ReLeaf Lake Mac spokeswoman)	'Tiny Forests': creating urban wildlife oases
10. Sam Giggins (NSW DPI Bee Biosecurity Officer Surveillance)	Exotic, endemic pests and diseases
11. Dr. Chris Anderson (NSW DPI Biosecurity and Food Safety)	NSW Zones, permits for bee movements, reporting and timeframes

Industry updates

- Australian Honey Bee Industry Council update
- NSW Apiarists' Association update – Executive Councillor Ray Hull
- Amateur Beekeepers Australia update

QandA session

Live Question and Answer session. Speakers will answer questions received through: beekeeping@dpi.nsw.gov.au



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