President's Letter May 13, 2021

Hello to All,

It is hard to imagine that nearly a month has passed since our last meeting. I am writing to remind you of the next club meeting scheduled for Thursday, May 20 at 6:30 pm. We will again be meeting in the theater at the Good Zoo Building in Oglebay Park. A program on Nucs and Splits will be provided by Shanda King, the WV Chief Apiary Inspector. In addition, following our discussion at the last meeting, a basket will be available to accept contributions to the fund to provide beekeeping equipment for the inmates' beekeeping club at the Belmont Correctional Facility. We have already provided two nucs to them and have ordered an assortment of requested items for the program.

This meeting will be your last opportunity to pay your \$15 annual dues to the Tri-State Beekeepers Club before we clear our mailing list of inactive individuals.

Please plan to attend to share in the camaraderie and to learn more about keeping your bees. I will see you there.

Steve