Attendees:
Scott Allison            Kim Feuerhelm            Eric McEwen
Linda Brock              Raymond Foster          Kenny Olmstead
Ron Burrus               Josee Fournier          Travis Owen
Javier Cacho             Mike Gallup            Jody Palzer
Noah Clipp               Risa Halpin            Dave Powell
Dave Cyphers             Steven Hikade          Dale Puckett
De & Robert Davis-Guy    Cheryl Housden          Sharon Schmidt
Robert Denman            John & Mysti Jacob      Kip Skelton
Ramona Driggers          Christina Jones          Lani Soules
Richard Dumanowski      Ian Jones                Anthony Torreson
Tom Espinosa             Kathy Kelly             Teresa Vonn
Sue Evans                Gary Kliewer            Heather Wolf
Jim Ferguson             Kelly Leatherwood        Rick Hilton
Gary Feuerhelm           Leslie Lundgren         

August meeting minutes were accepted by motion by Gary and seconded by Cheryl and vote of members in attendance.

**Treasurer’s Report:** Cheryl Housden reported that we are in budget

**New Business:** Election of new officers was moved, seconded and accepted by vote. Only one person was running for each position. New officers are:

- President: Risa Halpin
- Vice-President: Noah Clipp
- Treasurer: Cheryl Housden
- Secretary: Travis Owen
- Regional Rep: Eric McEwen

Club members are needed to help with various aspects of club business. We need a volunteer to pick up the key to the Extension Center for meetings. We need someone to volunteer to weed whack the club bee yard next year. Volunteers are also needed for community outreach (contact coordinator Leslie Lundgren), answering emails, maintaining the website, coordinating the guest speakers and any other help you can offer to your beek community. We discussed creating an online form for guest speaker suggestions. Meanwhile you can send any speaker suggestions to sobeekeepers@gmail.com

One member suggested Eric Munson, retired, former head of Western Apicultural Society as someone who could speak on many current bee technologies.

Our annual drivert order is currently available on the club’s website (for members only).

We also raffled (to paid members ONLY) three tickets (to three different members) to the OSBA Fall Conference, to be held this year in Salem on October 26-28.

We discussed the need for the club to acquire a new microphone, a new laptop and (2) electric uncapping knives to go with the club’s extractors.
Let’s Talk Bees

John covered September beekeeping essentials. It’s NOT too late to treat your bees. Know your mite loads and treat accordingly. Know your treatment and follow the instructions to the letter! Nutrition is critical now. Feed pollen and nectar or bee tea, syrup or excess honey (from your own hives). If your bees are not taking the pollen now, there is probably a problem in the hive, especially with the queen.

There were lots of questions and answers discussed

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 pm