



AGENDA

Friday, January 23, 2026

- 12:00 PM** **Registration Opens**
- 1:00 PM** **Commercial Beekeepers Meeting**
1:00 – 1:15 PM – Welcome and Introductions
1:15 – 2:00 PM – Rod Scarlett: Stocking Issues, Canadian Honey Council
2:00 – 3:00 PM – Dan Aurell – Talk #1: Varroa Mites, Auburn University
3:00 – 4:00 PM – TBD
- 4:30 PM** **Beer and Bees Social**
- 6:00 – 9:00 PM** **Banquet and Presentations**
- *Fireside Meadery*
- *Shelly Hoover – Topic TBD, University of Lethbridge*

Saturday, January 24, 2026

- 7:30 AM** **Registration Opens**
- 8:00 AM** **NSBA Annual General Meeting**
- *Call to Order*
- *Minutes of the 2025 AGM*
- *Presidents Report on Board Activities for 2025*
- *Treasurers Report*
- *Bylaws Proposed updates*
- *New business*
- *Election of Officers*
- *Adjournment*
- 9:00 AM** **Welcome**
- 9:15 AM** **Sawyer Olmstead – Provincial Apiculturist Update, Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture**
- 10:00 AM** **Nutrition Break**
- 10:30 AM** **Dan Aurell – Talk #2: Title TBD, Auburn University**
- 11:30 PM** **Rod Scarlett – Honey Adulteration, Canadian Honey Council**
- 12:00 PM** **Lunch**
- 1:00 PM** **Shelly Hoover – Title TBD, University of Lethbridge**
- 2:00 PM** **Pascale Michaud – Honeybee Virus Testing, AgroGene Solutions**
- 3:00 PM** **Nutrition Break**
- 3:30 PM** **Speaker Panel - TBD**
- 4:00 – 4:30 PM** **Wrap Up**