

Theo's April Workshop
April 11, 2015 – 10am

Mite check – after 24 hours on sticky board

- a. normal mite drop
- b. with apivar mite strips
- c. with alcohol wash

Colony check for Health

- a. brood in all stages
- b. Pollen stores
- c. Feed stores
- d. Space – some may need a box

Colonies checked – standard late summer Nucs & Packages

Packages (2lb) installed March 31, 2015

1. onto died out wintered hive
2. onto drawn comb
3. onto foundation

Shake a package.

Make a split.

Next workshop – May 9th, 2015, 10am will cover topics including:

Swarm Control

- a. splitting hives for increase
- b. for double queen colonies
- c. for raising queens

Wishing you good beekeeping and the ladies a Happy Mothers Day.

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