

## ABOUT THE INSTRUCTORS

### JOHN J. TALBERT

Owner of Sabine Creek Honey Farm in Josephine, Texas. Married over 50 years to Lavada with two grown children, Leslee and John, and three grandsons. Grew up on a dairy farm in McLernan County near Waco. UT Austin graduate with BS in Mechanical Engineering. Retired after 37 years at Raytheon E-Systems in Garland, Texas. Honorary Fellow member of American Institute of Plant Engineers. Beekeeper since 1985. Past President of Collin County Hobby Beekeepers Association. Past President of Texas Beekeepers Association and Chairman of the TBA State Fair Booth Committee. Member Board of Directors American Beekeeping Federation. Currently Executive Secretary of the Texas Beekeepers Association.

### BLAKE SHOOK

Owner of Desert Creek Honey Co Blake is the past president of the Collin County Hobby Beekeepers Association, CCHBA Director of the Youth Program, and Director of the Texas Beekeepers Association and the American Beekeeping Federation. He currently is operating 1200 colonies of bees with John Talbert. Blake, usually accompanied by his wife Kathleen, is a frequent speaker at beekeeping meetings in other local, state, and national beekeeping associations.

### Schedule

Due to the increased interest in beekeeping, two seminar classes will be offered. These will be: Class 1, January 21, February 4, March 3, April 21, and May 12; Class 2 will be January 28, February 11, March 10, April 28, and May 19. A third class on the afternoon of the first group will be offered if there is sufficient demand.

## Registration Form

Participants:	Price
<input type="checkbox"/> First Family Member	\$175.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Family Member	\$125.00
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Name _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Family Member	\$125.00
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Name _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Family Member	\$125.00
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Name _____	
Total:	_____

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Do you already have bees? \_\_\_\_\_

How many hives? \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been beekeeping? \_\_\_\_\_

Send registration form and make payment to:  
**Sabine Creek Honey Farm**  
P.O. Box 6  
Josephine, TX 75164

All five sessions, handbook, and one year's membership in Collin County Hobby Beekeepers Association are included in the \$175 per person registration. Additional family members can register for \$125 each. One handbook and one CCHBA family membership will be provided for each family. Additional handbooks are \$40. Advance registration is required. Only 25 people per class will be accepted to enhance student/instructor interaction. Contact John Talbert at 214-532-9241 or john@sabinecreekhoney.com for detailed registration information.

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beekeeper or a better  
beekeeper?