A new class has been added for the 2016 Farm Show. This was inspired by a frame that Capital Area Beekeepers had with their County Exhibit. The parameters are a bit open to encourage creativity. It can be single or multiple frames, so long as they fit a standard Langstroth hive. No extra points for 100th Anniversary theme, but the Farm Show committee would be excited to see that theme included.

**NEW!**

**Class 34. Novelty Frame of Comb**  
Beeswax comb honey on any foundation, mounted in an enclosed case. Must fit standard Langstroth hive and be removable frame design. Five process photos (4x6) may be included.

**Scorecard for Novelty Frame of Comb**

- Design and execution ..................... 25 points
- Container .................................. 15 points
- Uniformity of appearance .............. 20 points
- Absence of uncapped cells, absence of Watery cappings, leaking cells or Crushed comb and cleanliness.......... 20 points
- Freedom from granulation and pollen.. 10 points
- Effort of preparation ...................... 10 points
Collective Exhibit Pre-registrations

The Pa Farm Show committee is agreeable to allow the Apiary Department chairpersons to take a list on first come basis for Individual and County Collective Exhibits. As these projects often take more time than the on-line October registration allows, we want to assure all exhibit spots are filled. If you or your county association anticipate entering these exhibits, contact Charlie Vorisek at vbeefarm@windstream.net (814-350-0662). A list will be started on a first come basis and shared only with co-chairs Maryann Frazier and Lee Miller. Dutch Gold Honey will once again sponsor the first place County Collective Exhibit with a $500 premium.

Ziegler-Keeney Award

The Ziegler Award is has always been presented at the PSBA Annual Fall Meeting. This year that show will be discontinued for lack of space and limited entries. With the passing of Dennis Keeney, PSBA voted to continue the award and rename it the Ziegler-Keeney Award. This will be selected from the Best of Shows in the classes of Comb Honey, Extracted Honey and Beeswax. There is no additional premium paid. However, an elegant prestigious silver engraved plate is awarded and will be displayed during the Pa Farm Show.

NEW! Section 0009 SWEEPSTAKES

Class 53. Ziegler-Keeney Award – Selected from best of Class 47, Class 48 and Class 49. Plaque sponsored by PA State Beekeepers Association

Pfund Colors

Entries in Extracted Honey will be checked with a digital Pfund color grader. That scale with corresponding colors will be listed in Premium Book.

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