

Pollinator Friendly Habitat Group Minutes for October 10, 2016

Meeting opened at 6:02 pm at the Alliance Church in Menomonie room 314.

Attendance included JG, DF, VK, guest NB.

Jenny provided Wild Blue Indigo seed and blue balloon flower seed.

Open discussion covered a range of topics:

- Monarch butterfly – how to keep/feed larvae to full development
- American / European foul brood disease and treatment
- Possible explanations of tiny holes in caps of brood
- Robbing
- Decline of strong hive to death
- Needs for fresh water; use of peat moss to provide special nutrients;
- Honey harvest

Meeting adjourned at 6:50 pm

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