

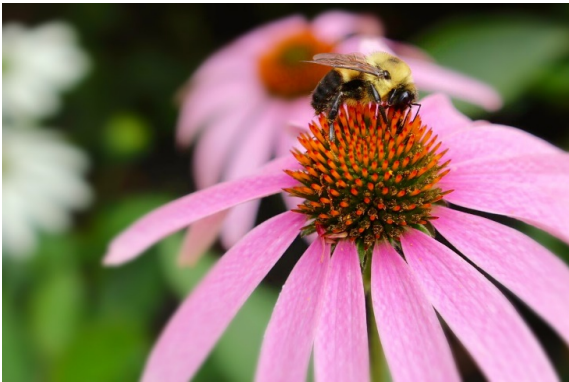


Bee Campus USA Annual Report for 2018 Pollinator Conservation & Education



Washington College Chestertown, Maryland

EDUCATION & OUTREACH



NOTE: Washington College only became a Bee Campus USA affiliate on April 3, 2018 and is not due to submit an annual report until February 2020. But they couldn't wait to get started and shared this following news.

Pollinator Photography Contest (April 30) - 19 students submitted 41 photos, 150 students participated in voting through the people's choice category.

Honey Extraction Workshop (February 4) - When robber bees took out the Campus Garden hives, the students borrowed an extractor from the Upper Eastern Shore Beekeeping Association to harvest the honey and sell it as a fundraiser to purchase more bees.

POLLINATOR HEALTH & HABITAT & SERVICE-LEARNING

The college maintains a campus apiary in the Campus Garden. During the college's campus beautification day, called Casey Time, the student government association and volunteers planted partridge pea (*Chamaecrista fasciculata*) in selected locations around campus.

CURRICULUM

Beekeeping 101 is offered in the spring semester at Washington College. The Course is free to WC undergraduates and open to the local community. There were 13 students in the 2018 class.

EDUCATIONAL SIGNAGE

Students designed a t-shirt for the campus beautification project that became the inspiration for our Bee Campus USA signage that now hangs in the college dining hall.



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