



**Re: A Message from the New Vice President,
Tom Davidson**

Hello, and thank you for allowing me to serve as your new vice president. A little bit about myself: I am a beek, having graduated MeckBees' 2011 Bee School. I was excited to receive my state certification recently. I am overwintering my first two hives "Boris" and "Natasha" (yes, I keep Russian bees), and am learning all I can about natural beekeeping and IPM approaches.

I love the continual education that each day in the hives brings, and the interaction and advice I get from the many members of Mecklenburg Beekeepers at the monthly meetings. I look forward to serving you as your new vice president. Learn more about my beekeeping experiences by going to www.tsbeeshoney.com. Come introduce yourself to me at the next monthly meeting so I can put names with faces. You can also drop me a line at tom@tsbeeshoney.com, or [\(704\) 906-8776](tel:7049068776). Now, onto an exciting year for 2012!

