

Beginning Beekeeping

A course for those considering Beekeeping for the first time dealing with the life-cycle of the bee, elementary management, setting up an apiary, and basic equipment. It consists of ten weeks of class-based work during the 'closed' winter season. September to March.



Beekeeping for Beginners
Wednesday 18th Jan 2012.
£75.00 7:30-9:30pm. Also on
Thursday morning 10:00am –
12:30pm.

Beekeeping courses are managed and run on a commercial basis by John Hamer, a Surrey bee farmer, using his purpose built facility at Blackhorse Apiaries in St Johns near Woking. The bees have been selected for their quiet handling characteristics and all essential equipment is provided. The tuition has been designed to work with local associations and equipment vendors to provide continual support for beekeepers during the early years. It aims to encourage beekeepers to understand the principles underlying what they are doing, and to develop an efficient, integrated management style, keeping beekeepers in touch with their local environment and enabling them to care responsibly for their livestock.

All courses will be run subject to a minimum number of students attending. All materials and equipment, and tea and coffee, are provided.

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