



Palm Beach County Beekeepers Association (updated 12/05/11)

Palm Beach County Beekeepers Conference

Saturday 14th April, 2012

A one day event for anyone interested in Beekeeping

8 am -5:00 pm

Catered Lunch provided.

Pine Jog Environment Education Center

6301 Summit Blvd. West Palm Beach, FL 33415

Keynote Address by: Kim Flottum, Editor Bee Culture Magazine

Speakers include: Jeanette Klopchin, HBREL, Bud Grant, Apiary inspector (retired)

Gary Ranker, FSBA President, Dr. Bill Kern, Univ. of Florida IFAS.

For the beginner beekeeper, no previous experience required.

This program will make you discover the joys and rewards of beekeeping.

You will be a lot more comfortable when dealing with bees as knowledge will improve your understanding of these wonderful pollinators.

-Beginners Course Outline-

Basics of Honey Bee Biology, Pollination basics, Pests & disease, Locating the queen, Brood pattern.

-Mathematics for Beekeepers, Safety attire, Hive examination & more.

_Hands on hive inspection on site.

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For the beekeeper that has gotten over the first sting, this program for the intermediate beekeeper will improve your knowledge to better manage your hive.

Experienced Beekeepers Course Outline

-Colony Management, Identifying a failing queen, laying worker, advanced pests and disease in the beehive, Transition from Hobbyist to Sideliner, How bees communicate and more.

There will be hands on hive section, so all participants must have a hat and veil. If you do not have one, you can purchase at registration for \$25.00.

You can also purchase a five-frame nucleus (nuc) hive on training day for \$90.00.

For more information visit our web site: <http://beekeeperspbc.com/>

Register early by mailing the attached with your check to:

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\$50.00 Beginners Course. \$50.00 Experienced Beekeepers Course. \$25.00 Hat & Veil

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