

HBKA LOCAL ACTIVITY NETWORKS (LANs)

We offer members the opportunity to participate in our LAN scheme in which the county is subdivided into smaller areas and groups of eekkeepers within that locality join together to share experiences and access to each others' colonies, with expert tuition and support.

On joining, you will automatically be allocated to one of these LAN Groups but you are free to join another, or none at all, if you prefer. *Existing LAN Group members need take no action.* If you want to know more about the LAN Scheme please contact the Membership Secretary. If you wish, please indicate your interests below:

Name: Tel.No.: Postcode:

Please tick to show your particular interests:-

- 1. General colony management
- 2. Hands on experience and practice
- 3. Basic examination study
- 4. Swarm prevention and control
- 5. Queen selection and rearing
- 6. Others – please specify.

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Herefordshire Beekeepers' Association **Gift Aid Declaration.**

Registered Charity No. 510732

This declaration will enable your Association to recover Income Tax and should be completed only if you are a Taxpayer. You can cancel this authority at any time you wish. Members already registered for Gift Aid to the Association need not complete this section.

Declaration: I confirm that I am a Taxpayer and authorise the Herefordshire Beekeepers' Association to recover Income Tax at the Standard Rate on all my recorded gifts to its funds from 6th April 2012 until this authority is cancelled in writing.

Name (in block letters) Forenames

Address.

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.....Postcode Date

HEREFORDSHIRE BEEKEEPERS' **ASSOCIATION**

Founded in 1882

Affiliated to the BBKA, the National Honey Show, BDI and the Midlands & South Western Counties Convention
(Registered Charity No. 510732)

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND **RENEWAL FORM FOR 2012**

**Please forward Applications for Membership and
Membership Renewals to:**
Anthea Keller Smyth, the Membership Secretary
(not to the Treasurer)

Cheques should be made out to Herefordshire Beekeepers' Association.

Your Full Membership of Herefordshire Beekeepers' Association brings the following benefits:

Technical Support:

Lectures and Meetings/workshops on Beekeeping and Harvesting of Hive Products.
 Local Support Groups with expert guidance (LANs).
 HBKA Monthly Newsletter. Membership of BBKA. BBKA Newsletter (bi-monthly).
 DEFRA Guidance leaflets. "Beecraft" magazine at 10% discount for 12 copies delivered.
 Updates on research into Bee Health and Good Beekeeping Practices & Methods.
 HBKA Affiliation to: The British Beekeepers Association, The National Honey Show and the Midlands & South Western Counties Convention of Beekeepers.

Associate Membership does not include membership of the BBKA or BDI (Insurance).

Insurance Protection:

This includes Third Party Public Liability Insurance in the BBKA Scheme with £5 million cover for accidents involving your bees. *It is a condition of our Affiliation to BBKA that all Full Members of the Association have this insurance cover.*

Bee Diseases Insurance through BDI also gives protection against destruction of your colonies and equipment as a result of Foul Brood.

What does it cost?

below for details. *Insurance for up to 3 colonies is included in the Full Membership fee.*
 For insurance purposes, Junior members with bees must be enrolled in the parent or guardian's name but have full benefits of Membership at a reduced subscription.

Extra costs of BDI for additional Colonies:

Basic cover for three (3) Colonies at a cost of £2.00 is included in the Full Subscription fee of £27.00, even if you do not keep bees. Junior members keeping bees pay for BDI cover, which is included in their reduced Full Membership fee of £15.

The BDI Scheme A – Colony Insurance Rates

Total No. of Colonies	Additional Premium
Up to 3 colonies	Nil (included in Membership Subscription)
Up to 5 Colonies	£ 2.00
Up to 10 colonies	£ 5.25
Up to 15 colonies	£ 7.75
Up to 20 colonies	£ 9.50
Up to 25 colonies	£11.10

Members requiring cover for more than 25 colonies contact the Treasurer for a quotation.

Under the terms of this insurance all colonies should be insured and account taken of any increase in numbers during the season. For insurance purposes a colony is regarded as any hive (excluding "apidea" or similar hives) containing bees, regardless of size of the colony.

HEREFORDSHIRE BEEKEEPERS' ASSOCIATION APPLICATION AND RENEWAL FORM FOR 2012.

Name: (Block letters please)

Address:

Post Code:

Telephone No. : Mobile:

E.mail:

Date:

Subscriptions:

Full Member (including basic BDI for 3 colonies): £27.00 £

Associate Member with Newsletter: £10.00 £

Associate Member without Newsletter (for additional people living at the same address) : £ 2.50 £

(Names):

Additional Late fee for renewals after 28th February 2012: £5.00 £

Junior Member (under 18 years) D.o.B.: Free

Junior Member (under 18 years) with up to 3 hives £15.00 £

(Name of parent or guardian for Insurance purposes) :

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Bee Diseases Insurance (BDI)

Total Number of colonies to be insured: £

(including the basic 3 colonies) See table on facing page.

Donation: £

TOTAL £