

Harrow Beekeepers' Association

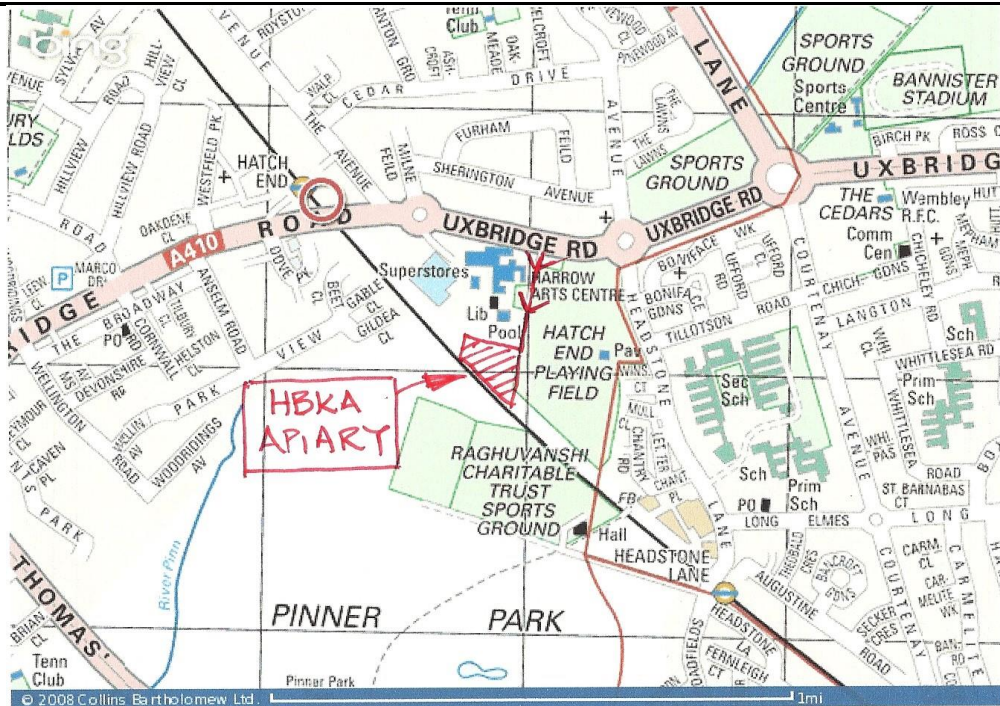
Association Bee Centre
Hatch End Apiary Uxbridge Road, HA5 4EA



2 Day Bee Keeping Course - **Saturdays March 30th + April 6th 2019**
10.00am to 4.00pm

Time		Tutor
9.50	Arrival and registration	
10.00	Welcome- Introduction to the Team	Jo Telfer
10.05	General talk-wasps, bumblebees, solitary bees	Jo Telfer
10.20	Honeybees-the colony, social life ,castes and functions	Doreen Tylden Pattenson
11.00	Equipment- the hive explained	John House
11.40	Coffee/tea break	
12.00	Equipment -Bee suits/veils/gloves, hive tool, smoker	Aline Bowers
12.30	Lunch break -Please bring your own food. Drinks provided all day	
1.00	Where to keep bees. Choosing a site Gardens,Allotments. Neighbours? + Bee stings	John House
1.30	Local Forage. Nectar, pollen, propolis + Moving bees	Eileen Samuroff
2.15	comfort break + tea	
2.30	Care of Equipment- hygiene	Eileen Samuroff
3.00	Present day problems for bees	Jo Telfer
3.30	Any questions? What to bring/wear in the morning.	
	Sunday morning 31stth- March 11.00-1.00 Practical - A) make a frame B) Assemble a hive C) looking at bees weather dependant	All the team
	Continuing course -Saturday April 6th 10am	
10.00	Four Seasons. Spring management. What are the bees doing month by month	Bill Fitzmaurice
10.40	Summer build up	Marc Kalicki
11.15	Coffee/tea break	
11.30	Swarming. Reasons for it! Collecting a swarm	Doreen
12.15	Lunch- please bring something with you. Tea/coffee are provided	
12.45	Autumn- Harvest time- Products of the hive	Bill Fitzmaurice
1.30	Short break for tea/coffee/Mead tasting 'Winter preparation'	
2.30	How to get started. Swarm or nucleus? Build your hive first. Decide where to put them.	Marc Kalicki
3.00	Joining the HBKA./ Insurance thro' BBKA	Jo Telfer
	Sunday April 7th - 11.00 am apiary practical continued. Remember- Looking into bee hives is weather dependent! Equipment will be on sale on 1 st /2 nd and 4 th Sundays	All the Team

The cost of the course is £140 and includes both Saturday classroom and Sunday morning practical sessions. This fee covers your membership of HBKA for the year PLUS monthly issues of BEECRAFT magazine designed to aid Beginners. It includes membership of the British Beekeepers Association and their monthly magazine. Hot and cold drinks will be provided but please bring a packed lunch. Toilet facilities are available on site. Please park your car at the turning circle by the swimming pool. Nearest postcode for sat nav. is HA5 4EA. The fee for Partners and siblings will be £80. If you require any further information please contact Jo Telfer at jvtelfer@hotmail.com (07969392827) .



To confirm your place please either return the enclosed form with a cheque for £140 (**payable to Harrow Beekeepers Association**) C/o J Telfer, 36 Elm ark Road Pinner HA5 3LH Or email the details below to jvtelfer@hotmail.com and make payment by bank transfer to Harrow Beekeeper Association Lloyds Bank PLC Sort code **30-98-90** Account No **16711668**

Please add reference '**Course 2019**' We will confirm your place on the course when payment is received.

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Address.....

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Post Code.....

Telephone number.....

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