



Bath Beekeepers

A branch of Avon BKA

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Dear Member,

The Annual General Meeting has passed and with it an agreement of the amount of subscription payable for the year ending 31st October 2020.

Full Membership of Bath Beekeepers Association gives great value: membership of Avon Beekeepers Association; The British Beekeepers Association; Bee Diseases Insurance and Public and Product Liability Insurance. Additionally, your membership of BBKA helps find answers in an increasingly challenging beekeeping climate.

As usual, I must remind you that the amount you pay depends on the maximum number of hives, nuclei and swarms you are likely to have at any one time during the season. I recommend that you 'over insure' as, if you decide to add later, all your hives (and those of others if you occupy a shared apiary), will be uninsured for 40 days after the date at which the extended insurance is taken out.

Membership Classes:

Full Members £38 - those who keep bees and wish to participate fully in all aspects of Bath Beekeepers. Includes insurance for up to 3 colonies.

Partner Members £28 - those who reside within the same household as a Full Member. Partner Members enjoy all the rights of full membership but will not receive BBKA News or insurance (although this can be purchased separately if required).

Associate Members £14 - for those who are generally interested in beekeeping and wish to support Bath Beekeepers. Associate Members will not be registered as beekeepers with the BBKA and will not receive BBKA News.

Country Members £28 – for those who wish to belong to a branch but do not require BDI or BBKA public and product liability insurance. Country Members do not have any voting rights, but will receive copies of the BBKA News.

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How much should you pay?

For Branch Associate Membership it is £14.00

For Full Membership it is:

£38.00 for up to 3 colonies
£40.00 for up to 5 colonies
£43.25 for up to 10 colonies
£45.75 for up to 15 colonies
£47.50 for up to 20 colonies
£49.10 for up to 25 colonies
£51.60 for up to 30 colonies
£54.10 for up to 35 colonies
£56.10 for up to 39 colonies

It is a condition of Membership that if you have bees you must be a Full (or Partner) Member. Partner Membership is £28.00.

If you are an Associate Member and think that you might keep bees sometime during the year, please take out FULL membership, now.

How do you pay?

(1) By Cheque:

Made payable to " BATH BEEKEEPERS." and sent to me at the above address.

or

(2) By direct transfer to HSBC, Milsom Street, Bath. 40-09-19 Account 10132993 "Bath Beekeepers".
If you choose this method, please tell me by email that you have done so.

Please note that this year there is no need to complete a Membership Application form, GDPR form or Gift Aid form unless your details have changed.

It is a great help if you pay upon receipt of this letter as it saves me having to send reminders.

Thank you.

Kind regards,

Philippa Burgess.
Hon membership secretary.

Please make cheques payable to "Bath Beekeepers"
Registered Charity Number 271717