

NORTH CANTERBURY BEEKEEPERS CLUB INC NEWBIE COURSE ENROLMENT FORM

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name:	Occupation:	Home Phone:
Age Group: Below 20, 20 - 50, above 50	Email:	Mobile Phone:
Current address:		

BEEKEEPING INFORMATION

Your main purpose of beekeeping:		
This course is open to club members.	If not yet a club member, please complete an NCBC Members Application form.	Would you like to have a "buddy" who lives near you? N / Y
Number of hives owned:	I started beekeeping in	

EMERGENCY CONTACT

Level of reaction to bee stings:	Hospitalisation required? N / Y Time Limit?	
Name of an emergency contact person:		
Address:		Phone:
City:	Region	Post Code
Relationship:		

TRAINING DAY INFORMATION

The main training morning (Newbie Course) is the second Sunday of the month, before the normal club Hive Day afternoon.

The training follows the beekeeping calendar for 2 years starting with the basics in August and progressing each month to a point where self-sufficiency should be attainable.

The aim is for you to have a booklet after 2 years, assembled from the notes provided on training days and those you have taken along the way, as well as a reasonable working knowledge of keeping bees, maintaining them in good health and the associated components in good condition, all without stressing yourself out.

There is a \$40 fee to cover photocopying of the notes for the whole 2-year course.

The morning will be split into roughly 2/3rds questions and theory and 1/3 (weather permitting) opening a hive to see basic handling techniques and smoker operation + any bee questions you have.

The afternoon Club Hive Day meeting is centered around seasonal variations that everyone needs to know and some slightly more advanced/faster ways of doing things and some hands on practice for those brave enough to have a go.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE

Signature:	Date:
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Club Use

Print Name of club official:

Signature:

Date:

Checked applicant is a financial member of NCBC - Date subscription paid:

Checked applicant has paid the \$40 photocopying fee - Date fee paid: