

**Pawtuckaway Beekeepers Association
Bee School and Membership form**

Did you know...

- Honeybees will visit two million flowers to collect the nectar for one pound of honey.
- Bees only sting to protect the colony, queen or themselves. After a bee stings, she dies!
- Bees pollinate 70% of all fruit, vegetable and seed crops used for food and grown here.
- To make a ½ teaspoon of honey, a bee will spend an entire lifetime collecting nectar.
- It is not unusual for a beekeeper to harvest 50-100lbs of honey from one strong colony.
- A strong queen is able to lay in upwards of 1500 eggs a day.
- In addition honey, bees also produce: propolis, royal jelly, bee's wax and pollen.
- Bees can't see the color red.

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

* Email required to receive newsletter (we do not share with anyone)

* **2019 Bee School Tuition** **\$60**
- Includes PBA membership
(non-voting) and newsletters.

* **Additional family members** of the same address attending with a student are **\$10 each**.

Attending Bee School: _____

We will be using the book "Beekeeping for Dummies, 4th Edition", (Amazon, Walmart, B&N) Please pick up a copy before classes start & bring to class with you.

Send this form together with your check made payable to: 'PBA' and mail to:

Cheryl Riehl, PBA Treasurer
99 Rolling Hill Rd.
Hampstead, NH 03841

Or Visit our Website & pay via PayPal
www.pawtuckawaybeekeepers.org/bee-school.html

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Pawtuckaway
Beekeepers
Association

2019

Bee School



Become a Beekeeper
and Learn the
Fascinating Art of
Keeping Bees

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The Pawtuckaway Beekeepers Association is a diverse group of people who meet to learn about, discuss and promote all aspects of beekeeping and honey production. We are hobbyists, new, experienced, and commercial beekeepers, all people interested in the value of the honey bee.

Our meetings are held on the 3rd Monday of every month from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm at the Deerfield Community Church in Deerfield, NH.

During the summer months we may meet at different locations throughout New Hampshire. These outings give our members an opportunity to visit other apiaries and bee yards. As farm and forage land is decreasing here, honey bee husbandry plays an important role in our world.

Once a year we offer 'Bee School', a series of classes in beekeeping that are taught by beekeepers. On six classes you will learn the fascinating life cycle of the honey bee, the equipment and tools you will use, how to assemble and set-up a hive, how to take care of your bees, hive products and more. A half hour before each Bee School class, at 6 pm, we show a beekeeping video or have demonstrations that relate to beekeeping.

The course costs \$60 (+\$10 for each additional family member) and includes your 2019 membership (non-voting) in the PBA club and you will receive our monthly newsletter.

Don't miss this opportunity to learn and become involved in a beneficial and fascinating hobby you will enjoy and treasure for a lifetime.

Pawtuckaway Beekeepers Annual Bee School 2019 Schedule

January 28th
February 4th
February 11th
February 18th PBA Meeting
February 25th
March 4th
March 11th
March 18th PBA Meeting
March 25th as a snow day

Demonstration/video starts 6:00 pm.
Classes are from 6:30 - 8:30 pm.

Location:

Deerfield Community Church
15 Church St., Deerfield, NH

For more information:

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www.PawtuckawayBeekeepers.org/bee-school.html

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