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List of available publications to borrow

Beginners and General Techniques

Keeping Bess – Vivian, John

A Practical Manual of Beekeeping - Cramp, David

Haynes Bee Manual - Waring, Claire & Adrian

BBKA Guide to Beekeeping – Davis & Cullum-Kenyon

Bees at the Bottom of the Garden - Campion, Alan (4 copies)

Guide to Bees and Honey – Hooper, Ted

Practical Beekeeping – De Bruyn, Clive

Notes for New Beekeepers - Cadmore, Bill

Teach Yourself Beekeeping - Waring, Claire and Adrian

The Jefferson Beekeeping Guide - Jefferson, Tony

Beekeeping; for would be smallholders – Davies, Andrew (2 copies)

Keeping Bees: Looking After an Apiary – Head, Vivian (3 copies)

Beekeeping a Beginner's Guide – Cramp, David

Do/Beekeeping/The secret to happy honey bees – Fox, Orren

A Book of Bees – Hubbell, Sue

Beekeeping – inspiration and practical advice for beginners – Davies, Andrew

Bulding Beehives for Dummies – Blackiston, Howland

Beekeeping – A seasonal Guide – Brown, Ron

Bee Breeding & Queen Rearing

Principles of bee improvement – Widdicombe, J

Queen Rearing Essentials – Connor, J L

Queen Bee: Biology, Rearing & Breeding - Woodward, D

Some Alternative Pathways for the Hesitant Queen Rearer - Harden, B

In Search of the Best Strains of Bees - Brother Adam

Local Queens Are Best: How To SimplyRear Your Own – Henderson Smith, Bruce

Queen Rearing Made Easy: The Punched Cell Method - Patterson

Dynamics of the Hive

The Buzz about Bees. Biology of a Superorganism - Tautz, J

The Honey Bee Around and About - Davis, C. F.

Honeybee Democracy Seeley - T. D.

The Honey Factory - Tautz, J Steen, D

Pests and Diseases

The Asian Hornet Handbook - Bunker, Sarah (2 copies)

Keeping Healthy Honey Bees – Aston , D, Bucknall, S

Varroa Managemet – Stainton, K

National Bee Unit Guides -

- Small Hive Beetle
- Tropilaelaps
- Managing Varroa
- Foulbrood Disease of Honey Bees and other Common Brood Diseases

Fit 2 Fight – a practical guide to managing the Asian Hornet – Baxter, Alan.

AI in the Apiary – honeybee diseases – Walker, Paddy

Swarming

An Apiary Guide to Swarm Control - Shaw, Wally

Swarms and Swarm Prevention Techniques (DVD) - Davis, Ivor & Basterfield, Dan

Exam Study Notes and Microscopy

Beekeeping Study Notes for BBKA Examinations, Vol 1 Modules 1-3 - Yates J. D.

The Honey Bee Inside Out Davis - C. F.

The Biology of the Honey Bee - Winston, M. L.

Understanding Bee Anatomy: a full colour guide - Stell, I

Anatomy & Dissection of the Honeybee - Dade, H. A.

Practical Microscopy for Beekeepers -Maurer, R

Pollen Identification for Beekeepers - Sawyer, R

Bees and Plants

Plants for Bees Kirk - W. D. J. & Howes, F. N.

Plants and Honey Bees: An Introduction to their Relationships - Aston, D

Hive Products and Showing

A Practical Guide to Producing Heather Honey - Jefferson, A

Mead: Making, Exhibiting & Judging - Riches, H

A Comprehensive Guide to Preparing Exhibits for a Honey Show - Shannon, D

Robbing the Bees: A Biography of Honey - Bishop, H

Beeswax Alchemy - Ahert, P

Cookery/Health

Honey and Its Many Health Benefits – Briggs, Margaret

Honey Recipes From A Welsh Kitchen – Jones, Jane

BBKA Special Issue Series

- Feeding Honey Bees
- In the Apiary - Month by Month Guide
- Honey Bee Anatomy

- Flower Families for Forage
- General Husbandry
- Advanced Husbandry
- Swarming

Historical

There are a number of historical pamphlets and books covering multiple subjects, and old HBKA Minute Books. These items may be of interest to the beekeeping historian. Contact the HBKA Librarian for details.