

Brighton & Lewes Division (B&L) of the SUSSEX BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION (S.B.K.A)
 Member of the **British Beekeepers Association (BBKA)**

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP 1st January 2017 TO 31st December 2017

The classes and subscription fees of membership are:

	Newsletter Emailed	Posted
Full Membership Allows you to attend all summer & winter meetings and Bee Diseases Insurance (BDI) cover for up to three colonies (extra cover is required for more colonies, see below). Benefits: Monthly B&L Newsletter plus BBKA Newsletter, General help and advice from experienced beekeepers; Entitlement to vote.	£28.00	£42.00
Associate Member / Friend Friend of the Club: Members not intending to keep bees. Benefits, Brighton and Lewes monthly Newsletter and may attend all meetings. Associate, Open only to Full Members of another Division please record Name of other Division below.	£7.50	£21.50
Partner Member A member being a partner of a Full Member at the same address requiring full insurance cover. Benefits: As for Full Member but without Newsletter.	£20.00	
Family Member A member of a Full Member's family living with that Member who wishes only to attend meetings; please record Name below.	£1.00	
Bee Craft Internationally renowned beekeeping monthly magazine, includes on-line Bee Craft Digital . See table below/overleaf for the cost as it is dependant upon the your date of joining. To ensure you receive all 12 copies of Bee Craft for 2016 it must be paid by end of November 2015.	£25.20	<i>for 12 months</i>

Bee Disease Insurance (BDI) for Full & Partner Members: In accordance with our Constitution, all colonies must be insured with Bee Disease Insurance Limited. A colony is, any hive of bees regardless of size. Any potential increase in colony numbers between 1st January 2016 and 31st December 2016 must be taken into consideration. If found to be under insured YOUR CLAIM WILL BE INVALID. First 3 colonies are included your subscription. Details of the BDI insurance bands are given at the end of this form. 40 day rule - Members joining the BDI after 31.3.2016 cannot make a claim for 40 days. Members without insurance will not be eligible to collect swarms.

Please complete the membership form below and return it with your subscription to: Honorary Treasurer, Mrs Pat Clowser.
 5 Wivelsfield Road, Saltdean, BN2 8FP Tel. 01273 700404 Email: patricia.blbees@hotmail.com

Annual subscription to the S.B.K.A. (Brighton and Lewes Division) for the year 2017.

Full Member (renewing) New Full Member Partner Member Associate / Friend of the Club Family Member
 Please tick required

Name.....	Full Member	£
Address	Associate / Friend	£
.....	Partner Member	£
Post Code	Family Member	£
Telephone No.....		
Email	Donation	£
.....	Bee Craft until 31 st Dec. 2017	£
Number of colonies(over 3 hives, see BDI Table for premium)	Additional BDI. Premium	£
Associate: Division you are a Full Member	Total	£ _____
Family Member Name.....		

Gift Aid: If you are a UK Taxpayer and you Gift Aid your donation the taxman will give BBKA the tax back! Yes / No

Signature

Cheques and POs should be made payable to SBKA, Brighton and Lewes Division.

For those wishing to pay by bank transfer our bank details are:

Account: Sussex Beekeepers Association Sort code: 09-01-54 Account No: 97693488

Reference: YOUR SURNAME

Please email me after you have made the transfer and attach a completed membership form. patricia.blbees@hotmail.com

Tick this box if you don't wish your details to be passed to the Regional Bee Inspector, for inclusion in the NBU database Beebase.

Beecraft hard copy subscription has a sliding scale of charges depending on when joining:

No. of issues sent	Cost	If payment received by:	Subscriber will receive 1 st issue:
12	£25.20	15/11/16	January 2017
11	£23.10	15/12/16	February 2017
10	£21.00	15/1/17	March 2017
9	£18.90	15/2/17	April 2017
8	£16.80	15/3/17	May 2017
7	£14.70	15/4/17	June 2017
6	£12.60	15/5/17	July 2017
5	£10.50	15/6/17	August 2017
4	£8.40	15/7/17	September 2017
3	£6.30	15/8/17	October 2017
2	£4.20	15/9/17	November 2017
1	£2.10	15/10/17	December 2017

DIGITAL COPY ONLY IS £16.60 in VAT

Bee Disease Insurance BDI now have 8 bands for insuring hives:

Up to 3 hives	Included in your membership
" 4 / 5	Add £2-00
" 6 - 10	" £5.25
" 11- 15	" £7.75
" 16- 20	" £9.50
" 21- 25	" £11.10
" 26- 30	" £13.60
" 31- 35	" £16.10
" 36- 39	" £18.10

Full members BDI insurance certificates will be emailed out. Those with no email facilities can pick up a copy at the next meeting. Please phone Pat Clowser first so she can print them off and bring them to the meeting

Education

For those wishing to gain beekeeping qualifications, members can follow the BBKA Assessment and Examination Pathway. More information can be found on the BBKA website at <http://www.bbka.org.uk/learn>

The division will be running a course for the Basic Exam and can offer assistance for various module, if you would be interested tick the box

Data Protection Act. The information provided will be transferred to an electronic database for Association administrative purposes only, including the production of address labels to mail out the Newsletter and other related information. It will not be passed to any third party without prior consent. Should you not wish to have this information stored in this way please contact, in writing, the Webmaster: Dr Gerald Legg, 20 Manor Gardens, Hurstpierpoint, Hassocks, West Sussex, BN6 9UG.