



Beekeeping Introduction Day

Saturday 13 February 2010

**Edge Hill University, St Helens
Road, Ormskirk,
Lancashire L39 4QP
10.00am – 4.00pm**

You have heard about the decline in bees in the media and wonder whether you might like to keep bees – or simply want to learn a little more about these fascinating insects. If so this day long introduction to bees and beekeeping is for you.

This taster day will feature

- Lectures by Martin Smith, Chairman of the British Beekeepers Association on

- Honey bees, bumble bees and wasps
- The cost & time involved in beekeeping
- The life cycles of queen, worker and drone bees
- Where can I keep bees?

- Talks by Barbara Roderick, President & Education Officer of Lancashire & North West Beekeepers Association on

- Local beekeeping groups in the area
- Support for new beekeepers
- How new beekeepers actually get bees to get started

In addition examples of hives and equipment will be on display and people who have recently taken up beekeeping will be on hand to talk to interested people

Cost £50.00 per person, including lunch and morning/afternoon refreshments.

Numbers are limited, so registration in advance is essential. Please use the enclosed booking form below or telephone Penny Oakley on 08445 867841 to book a place.



Lancashire and North West Beekeepers Association

Affiliated to the BBKA - Registered Charity No. 506167

Beekeeping Introduction Day – Booking Form

The Beekeeping Introduction Day is taking place at Edge Hill University on Saturday 13 February 2010.

If you would like to attend please complete and return the reply slip below and include your payment by 22 January 2010 to reserve your place(s).

Many thanks

Penny Oakley

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I / we would like to attend on 13 February 2010. I enclose a cheque made payable to Lancashire and North West Beekeepers' Association for £50 per person.

Name: **Name:**

Phone: **Phone:**

Email: **Email:**

**Please return to: Penny Oakley
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