



East of Scotland Beekeepers' Association

**2017 / 2018**



The East of Scotland Beekeepers' Association is a local organisation open to all beekeepers but especially to those in Tayside and Angus. It provides a meeting point for beekeepers and a presence at local shows.

The association exists to support bees and beekeepers, to improve standards of beekeeping and to provide a source of information about bees to the general public and interested organisations.

The E.S.B.A. organises the following for its members:

- Evening lecture series over the winter
- Beginners' & improvers' classes in spring
- Summer apiary demonstrations
- Mentoring of beginners
- Access to the association's library

If you are interested in becoming a beekeeper please e-mail the secretary at the address below or contact any member of the association for further details. We would be delighted to hear from you.

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[www.eastofscotlandbeekeepers.org.uk](http://www.eastofscotlandbeekeepers.org.uk)

# W I N T E R   L E C T U R E S

Dundee Methodist Hall   20 West Marketgait   Dundee   DDI IQR  
Starting at 7.30pm

2017

Monday   **2 October**                      **Beehives and frames  
through the ages**  
Alan Riach

Monday   **6 November**                      **My method of  
beekeeping**  
Graeme Sharpe

Monday   **4 December**                      **Beekeeping in our  
present environment**  
Phil McAnespie

2018

Monday   **8 January**                      **Members' night**

Monday   **5 February**                      **Inside and outside the  
beehive**  
Becky Marsland

Monday   **5 March**                      **Annual General Meeting**

Monday   **19 March**                      **Rescuing a  
long-established colony  
from a loft**  
Kate Atchey

# S U M M E R   E V E N T S

2018

Saturday	<b>19 May</b>	<b>Apiary visit</b> Association apiary
Saturday	<b>9 June</b>	<b>Apiary visit</b> Location to be announced
Saturday	<b>18 August</b>	<b>Heather picnic</b> Location to be announced
Friday	<b>31 August</b>	<b>Dundee Flower</b>
Saturday	<b>1 September</b>	<b>+ Food Festival</b>
Sunday	<b>2 September</b>	Camperdown Park, Dundee

## BEGINNERS' CLASSES

Tuesdays	<b>Feb / March</b>	<b>Classes</b>
Saturdays	<b>April / May</b>	<b>Apiary visits</b> Dates to be confirmed

Please check the website for current information closer to the event

Locations of apiaries will be posted prior to each event

If transport is required please contact the Secretary



President           **Derek Uchman**                           01382 534718  
The Retreat, 4 Hill Street, Monifieth, DD5 4JQ

Vice President                           vacant

Secretary           **Colin Smith**                           01241 830372  
The Laundry House, Ethie, Inverkeilor, DD11 5SP

Treasurer           **Stan Franklin**                           01241 852690  
Ravensby Cottage, Barry, Carnoustie, DD7 7RJ

Flower Show  
Convener           **Gavin Ramsay**                           07751 142155  
14 Redcliffs, Kingoodie, Dundee, DD2 5DL

### **Committee**

W Hunter, A Crozier, G Reid, S Scott, C Sinclair, C Young

### **Honorary Members**

M Jenkin, H Kinnes, W Taylor

### **Committee Dates**

2017 - 17 October

2018 - 16 January, 8 May + 7 August

Mark 2018 queens red

Subscription is £10 payable on 1 January 2018

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