Beekeeping / Short Courses

Tutors

Apicultural Advisory Officers

Offered at Telford (Balclutha), Flock House (Bulls) or various Polytechnics.

Beekeeper Training

Tutor Telford Farm Training Institute. Private Bag, Balclutha

Paul Marshall

Ph (0299) 81 550

Research

Bee Pathologist DSIR, Private Bag Auckland

Dr Denis Anderson

Ph (09) 893 660

Apicultural Scientist Ruakura Insect Control MAF, Private Bag.

Dr Mark Goodwin.

Ph (071) 62 839

Bee Disease Diagnosis

Hamilton.

Auckland.

Technician Plant Protection Centre

Brian Milnes

MAF, PO Box 41

Ph (09) 676 026

National Certificate in Beekeeping

Tutor **BOP** Polytechnic Private Bag. Tauranga.

Nick Wallingford

Ph (075) 440 920

MAF Consultants

Contact your nearest AAO

NATIONAL BEEKEEPERS' ASSOCIATION

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Allen McCaw Ph (02997) 4614

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The NBA has branches in the following districts:

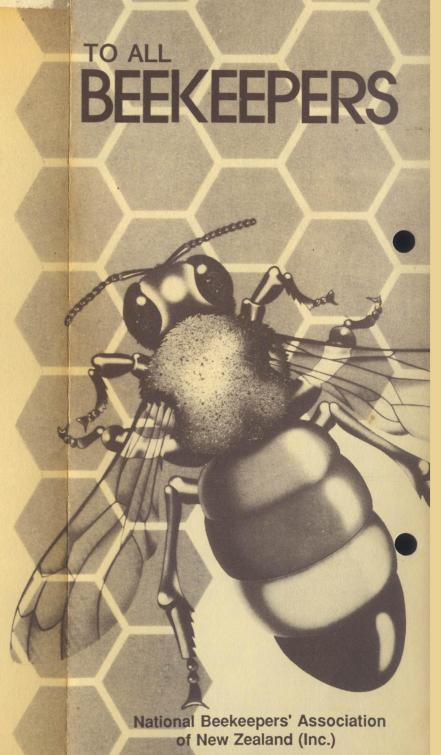
Northland Marlborough Auckland Nelson West Coast Waikato Bay of Plenty Canterbury South Canterbury Poverty Bay Hawkes Bay North Otago South Western Otago Southland (Palmerston North)

Contact the National Secretary or your local MAF Apicultural Advisory Officer for the name and address of branch presidents or secretaries.

Advisory and Regulatory

Apicultural Advisory Officers (AAO's)

| Whangarei | (089) | 487 17 |
|------------------|-------|--------|
| Auckland | (09) | 771 72 |
| Hamilton | (071) | 81 94 |
| Tauranga | (075) | 82 06 |
| Palmerston North | (063) | 68 07 |
| Nelson | (054) | 8106 |
| Christchurch | (03) | 794 10 |
| Gore | (020) | 89 59 |



THE NATIONAL BEEKEEPERS' ASSOCIATION OF NZ (INC)

"Better Beekeeping - Better Marketing"

Membership of the National Beekeepers' Association (NBA)

- Commercial members who own 50 or more beehives, and pay a hive levy to the NBA (1)
- Ordinary members (with less than 50 hives) can join by paying the membership fee.
- As a member of the NBA you are entitled to all the benefits including full voting rights.
- You also receive, free of charge, four issues of "The New Zealand Beekeeper" magazine.
 - (1) levied each year in January under the Hive Levy Act 1974. For more information write to the National Secretary, National Beekeepers Association, PO Box 4048, Wellington.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Yes I would like to become a member of the NBA and enclose \$20.00 (GST incl) as my membership

I understand this fee also entitles me to four ssues of the "New Zealand Beekeeper" Magazine and access to the library.

| Name: | | | |
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| Address: | | | |
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THE NBA WORKS FOR YOU

Dear Beekeeper,

Our association is made up of committed and caring beekeepers who work together to protect our industry and to plan for its future growth.

But we need your help. We want you to become a member of our association. Let me tell you all about the benefits:

- Policy: We represent all beekeepers to the Ministry of Agriculture. We also work closely with other government and local body organisations, and with our advisers and scientists in MAF and DSIR.
- We have a vision for our industry and a plan for the future. You can read about this in our "Industry Plan". Be part of this.
- Communication: Our mission is "Better Beekeeping Better Marketing". To achieve this we must have effective communication. This is why we hold regular branch meetings for you, also field days. seminars, conferences and industry planning workshops.
- Library: Become a member and you have access to the largest collection of beekeeping books and magazines in New Zealand. Would you like some slides, video tapes or movies on beekeeping? We've got those too.
- Our quarterly magazine "The New Zealand Beekeeper" is one of the best beekeeping magazines in the world. It has something for you and is free to members.
- We support beekeeper education at many Polytechnics. Why don't you become a master beekeeper by taking our two year Certificate Course at the Bay of Plenty Polytechnic? Do you have a son or daughter who wants a year's practical training in commercial beekeeping? Send them to the Farm Training Institute at Telford near Balclutha. Our industry has bursaries available that may assist.
- Industry Trust Funds are used to support research in pathology, pollination, queen bee production, honey chemistry and marketing strategies.
- Promotional and publicity material is available for members. Use our honey recipes, pens, stickers and posters to tell others about beekeeping.
- Disease control: MAF's Agricultural Quarantine Officers intercept over 200 samples of foreign honey per month! We work closely with MAF to prevent exotic bee diseases becoming established in New Zealand. We also financially support the disease control and monitoring programmes provided by MAF. All beekeepers need this service.

I hope I've convinced you that our association really does work for you. But we need your support too. Why don't you become a member today?

Yours sincerely, Aller Maw.

President National Beekeepers' Association