

2018 SUMMER PROGRAMME

14 April			BBKA Spring Convention / skep workshop
15 April	Joint	Lethangie	Intermediate (1) 2pm
21 April	DWF	Muirside	Beginners (1) 2pm <i>Introduction to apiary</i>
22 April	FBA	Newton Bank	Beginners (1) 2pm <i>Introduction to apiary</i>
28 April	DWF	Muirside	Beginners (2) group A, 2pm <i>Opening hive, use of smoker, hive tool, taking out frames</i>
29 April	FBA	Newton Bank	Beginners (2) groups A,B,C, 11am, 1pm, 3pm <i>Opening hive, use of smoker, hive tool, taking out frames</i>
5 May	DWF	Muirside	Beginners (2) group B, 2pm <i>Opening hive, use of smoker, hive tool, taking out frames</i>
6 May	Joint	Lethangie	Intermediate (2) 2pm
12 May	DWF	Muirside	Beginners (3) group A, 2pm. <i>Looking at what is normal, assessing space, swarm prevention</i>
13 May	FBA	Newton Bank	Beginners (3), 11am, 1pm, 3pm <i>Looking at what is normal, assessing space, swarm prevention</i>
19 May	FBA DWF	Cupar Muirside	Stand at Fife Show, 8.30am-5pm Beginners (3) Group B, 2pm <i>Looking at what is normal, assessing space, swarm prevention</i>
20 May			
26 May	Joint	Lethangie	2pm, SWARM CONTROL DEMONSTRATION Intermediate (3) and all assoc. members
27 May	Joint	Mawcarse	2pm Intermediate (4)
2 June		Ingliston	1-3 June, Gardening Scotland
3 June		Ingliston	1-3 June, Gardening Scotland
9 June	DWF	Muirside	2pm, beginners (4) group A <i>Swarm Control</i>
10 June	FBA	Newton Bank	Beginners (4) 11am, 1pm, 3pm <i>Swarm Control</i>
16 June	DWF	Muirside	2pm, beginners (4) group B <i>Swarm Control</i>
17-25 June	Joint	Ingliston	Royal Highland Show 21- 24 June and setting up/clearing. Stewarding (contact Susan Fotheringham 07743 703 022 , bifa.sf@btinternet.com to volunteer)
30 June	DWF	Muirside	2pm. Assoc. <i>Q assessment, grafting, nucs</i>
1 July	FBA	Balgove	2pm. Assoc. <i>Q assessment, grafting, nucs</i>
7 July	DWF	Muirside	EMBA to visit Muirside <i>Q assessment, grafting, nucs</i>
8 July	FBA	Newton Bank	Beginners (5) 11am, 1pm, 3pm <i>Checking nucs for delivery, general husbandry</i>
14 July			
15 July	Joint	Weymss Castle	2pm Barbecue
21 July	DWF	Muirside	2pm Beginners (5) group A, <i>General Husbandry</i>
22 July			
28 July	DWF	Muirside	2pm Beginners (5) group B <i>General Husbandry</i>
29 July	FBA	Balgove	2pm, Association, <i>varroa checks</i>
4 Aug	DWF	Muirside	2pm, Association, <i>varroa checks</i>
5 Aug			

11 Aug	Joint	Kinross	Stand at Kinross Agricultural Show – contact Enid to volunteer
12 Aug			12-17 Aug, Gormanston, Ireland
18 Aug	DWF	Muirside	2pm, Beginners (6) group A, <i>Removing honey, uniting, preparing for winter</i>
19 Aug	FBA	Newton Bank	Beginners (6) 11am, 1pm, 3pm. <i>Removing honey, uniting, preparing for winter</i>
25 Aug	DWF	Muirside	2pm, beginners (6) group B. <i>Removing honey, uniting, preparing for winter</i> SBA Honey Processing Workshop, Newburgh
26 Aug			SBA Trustees meeting, Perth
1 Sep			29 Aug – 2 Sep. Scottish National Honey Show, Camperdown Park, Dundee
2 Sep			
8 Sep			
9 Sep			
15 Sep			15-16 Sep Fife Open Honey Show, Leven (entries in afternoon of Fri 14 th)
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22 Sep			SBA Autumn Convention, Glasgow
23 Sep			
29 Sep			Possible SBA Swarm Control Class
30 Sep			
Early Oct			SBA Tour speaker
25-27 Oct			National Honey Show, Weybridge, Surrey
3 Nov			SBA Members Meeting
10 Nov			SBA Module Exams
24 Nov			SBA Trustees meeting