

Beginner's Beekeeping  
An introduction to Beekeeping for the South Islands of BC  
**Starting on Wednesday, March 14, 2018 at 7:00 pm**

Fee: Course - \$237.00, Material - \$25.00

plus applicable taxes of \$3.00

**Total: \$265.00**

**Location: Victoria West Community Centre  
521 Craigflower Rd, Victoria BC**

**Presented by Barry Denluck:**

Barry has been a beekeeper in the Victoria area for 15 years and avid gardener for more than 20 years. He is an accredited Province of BC Bee Master and BCHPA certified instructor.

**Course Description:**

This introduction to beekeeping offers participants both theory and practical field experience. The course is comprised of 6 evening class room sessions of 2 ½ hrs each plus two field sessions of approximately 2 hrs each for a total of 19 hrs.

**Curriculum:**

- History of beekeeping
- The honeybee society
- Honey bee physiology
- Honey bee health
- The hive
- Getting started
- Field Day # 1, hands on with beekeeper equipment
- Honeybee products
- Spring and summer management
- Integrated pest management
- Fall and Winter management
- Harvesting and marketing
- Putting it all together
- Field Day #2, handling live bees
- Field Day #3, optional – setting up an apiary

**Note:** A bee veil for over the head protection during the field sessions is required. Course material is included. **I will assist in starting your new apiary by sourcing beekeeping and beekeeper equipment and guaranteeing the availability of at least 1 NUC (starter hive) of locally bred bees from my private stock, typically available early May. Price to be set during March 2018.**

For registration or more information, please contact Barry directly by email: [Barry@BarrysBees.ca](mailto:Barry@BarrysBees.ca) or by telephone: **250-900-5133**.

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Barry's Bees - Registration

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Please fill out the following form and return with payment. You can print, fill out by hand and send an image by email.

Name: .....  
Address: .....  
City: .....  
Province: ..... Postal Code: .....  
Email: .....  
Phone: .....

Course: Beginner's Beekeeping  
Limited to 12 students per section  
Location: Victoria West Community Centre, 521 Craigflower Road

Permission to share your email address with other students in your section: YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_

Choose --- Section 2: X, beginning March 14, 2018

**Section 2** is 6 lecture sessions: **Wednesday evening at 7 pm** on March 14, 21. 28, April 4, 11 and 18 for 2.5 hours per session. In addition there will be 2 field sessions of 2 hours each to be scheduled, probably Saturday am.

**Payment:** \$50.00 to register with balance of \$215.00 due at first class **or** \$265.00 as payment in full to register. Payment by e-transfer to [Barry@BarrysBees.ca](mailto:Barry@BarrysBees.ca), cash or cheque (payable to **DenCor Group**) would be appreciated.

Upon confirmation of registration, I will email a welcome package. Upon full payment, I will email a receipt.

**Mail to:** 551 Prince Robert Drive  
Victoria BC, V9B 1E1

**or** I can pick up at the next CRBA meeting

**Refund:** A full refund is available provided cancellation request is received within 10 days of first scheduled class.