



Brighton and Lewes Beekeepers  
Disease Recognition  
and Microscope Workshop.  
United Reform Church Hall, Hassocks.

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2009 Starting at 10:00am  
£5.00 to include Tea/ Coffee Biscuits and Ploughman's lunch.

Book early to avoid disappointment 01273.584522

Programme.

- 9.45 Arrive at United Reform Church Hall - Tea / Coffee.
- 10.00 **Welcome:**, general outline of the day - Stephen Kelly.
- 10.05 **The work of the National Bee Unit**, Nick Withers,  
Seasonal Bee Inspector.
- 10.35 **"Observing the Colony"** with Nick Withers.
- 10.55 **Tea / Coffee and biscuits.**
- 11.05 **Bee Pathogens**, Alan Byham, Regional Bee Inspector SE.
- 12.10 **Practical Comb Examination.** An opportunity to examine diseased combs and to recognise symptoms.
- 1.00 **Summary of comb examination.** General Q&A.
- 1.15 **Lunch, Ploughman's** - please be ready to re-start promptly at 2.00.
- 2.00 **Practical Microscopy.** The use of microscopes in disease recognition - Acarine and Nosema.
- 4.00 - 4.30 **Final Q&A and close of meeting.**

