

Guernsey Beekeepers' Association
Founded 1948
Mutual Assistance
Colony Request Form 2019

**please note we have not carried forward any names for the previous year **

Please submit requests by 10th June 2019

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ Mobile _____

Email _____

Please tick:

I am a new beekeeper I have lost all my bees I am expanding my colonies

My hive is not a national or WBC it is a.....

If there are not enough new colonies available, priority will be given to those who have no bees. For those members wishing to expand their hives there will be a demonstration in splitting existing colonies.

Swarms that have been collected by GBKA, will be kept at the Association apiary and used as a basis for raising colonies with viable queens. Each colony will be ready for collection when we have established that it has a laying queen. The queen will be marked and the colony health checked before leaving the association apiary.

Colonies are on brood frames that are suitable for a WBC or National. If you are going to keep your bees in a different type of hive (eg commercial) please let us know on this form – we will arrange for you to bring your hive to the apiary so that your colony can be raised directly into it.

The charge for a colony will be £60, plus return of brand new frames for the ones you will be supplied with.

Please complete form and either post or email
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high-hopes@lineone.net

Confirmation will be emailed to you on receipt of your form