

42nd Annual Auction Sale

Bees and Beekeeping Equipment

to be sold by

Public Auction

Commencing at 1.00 p.m. on Saturday, 7th May 2022

At
The Greatham Village Hall, Near Liss, Petersfield, Hampshire.
GU33 6AD



Viewing from 11.00 am. on the day of the sale.

It is expected that the usual large quantity of equipment and some colonies of bees will be on sale.

Tea, coffee, cake and hot food will be available.

Deliveries of lots for sales to be made to the sale ground on the morning of the sale strictly between 8.00 am and 11.00 am.

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Conditions of sale.

General

The highest bidder to be the purchaser.

The Hon Auctioneer reserves the right to bid on behalf of intending purchasers unable to attend the sale.

Should any disagreement arise, the lot will be put up for sale again, at the discretion of the Hon Auctioneer, whose decision will be final.

For Sellers

All items offered for sale should be delivered to the site between the hours of 08.00 and 11.00 on the morning of the sale, unless other arrangements have been made with the auction organiser.

To cover expenses, a commission at the rate of 10%, plus £1 per lot entered, will be charged.

No drawn comb, in any form, will be accepted for sale. Should any be delivered, it will be removed from the site for later collection by the proposed vendor.

All hives containing live bees must have been examined by Ministry Inspectors before the day of the auction and evidence provided that this has taken place. Only those confirmed disease free will be accepted for auction.

For lots to be included in the catalogue details must be sent to the Auction Manager by 25 April. Lots will be accepted after this date at the Auction Manager's discretion, but may not be shown in the catalogue. **Notwithstanding the above, the number of lots will be limited to 250.**

For Buyers

Every care has been taken to describe the lots accurately in the catalogue but all lots are sold as viewed, and purchased with all faults and errors of description or otherwise, and no responsibility can be accepted by the Association or any member, for any error, mistake or omission made in connection with this catalogue or this auction sale

Purchasers should be aware that at the fall of the hammer, the lot becomes the responsibility of the successful bidder. The Association does not accept any liability for any loss.

All items purchased must be paid for and removed by the buyer on the day of the sale. **Payment can be made by cheque, cash or card. (Please note that there will be a 2% surcharge if paying by card. This is to cover the costs that the Association incur).** Lots shall be collected only after payment for the items purchased. Purchasers will be required to produce receipts, for items purchased, to the auction stewards before removal from the site.

All prospective purchasers must obtain a buyer's number before bidding.

All colonies of bees will be inspected on the morning of the auction immediately before bidding starts. Anyone considering making a bid **is strongly advised** to be present at this inspection to satisfy themselves of the state of the colonies. Whilst a report on condition of each hive will be given before it is auctioned **this is not to be relied on and is for general information only.**

All purchasers are advised to sterilize all used bee equipment before use.

LOT	Description	
1	Small Burko Boiler	
2	Unmade National super	
3	WBC travelling screen/crown board	
4	Stainless steel double sieve, boxed	
5	Stainless steel double sieve, boxed and old 'Honey Knife, inscribed.	
6	Ventilated travelling box	
7	Large straw skep	
8	2 No pairs hive lifters	
9	Bee jacket, pair gauntlets, hive tool and smoker	
10	Logar 9 frame stainless steel self turning radial extractor 52 cm barrel (brand new, never used).	
11	Logar honey tank, 25kg capacity, with air tight lid & stainless steel gate (brand new, never used)	
12	14 x 12 National hive complete, with open mesh floor, 1 No super & stand (made by Peak Hives in cedar)	
13	14 x 12 National hive complete, with open mesh floor, 1 No super & stand (made by Peak Hives in cedar)	
14	14 x 12 National hive complete, with open mesh floor, 1 No super & stand (made by Thornes)	
15	2 No National supers (made by Peak Hives in cedar)	
16	4 No National 'half size' supers (made by Peak Hives in cedar)	
17	4 No National 'half size' supers (made by Peak Hives in cedar)	
18	4 No National 'half size' supers (made by Peak Hives in cedar)	
19	2 No National Bailey boards (never used)	
20	3 No National ekes and 3 No rapid feeders	
21	2 No National Ashforth feeders & 2 No Queen excluders.	

22	4 No plastic 14 x 12 dummy boards
23	Bee suit with fencing veil medium (Buzz work wear)
24	Bee suit with fencing veil, jacket and trousers 4XL (Buzz work wear)
25	Pair leather gauntlet gloves size large
26	3 Frame tangential electric extractor
27	Box of lids for glass sample jars (new)
28	5 No Sealed boxes (plus on open) plastic double walled cosmetic jars.
29	Box of screw lids (new)
30	Box of small plastic jars for cosmetics
31	Device for processing heather honey
32	Box of plastic lids
33	Large stainless steel electrically heated uncapping table with stand.
34	Stainless steel electric warming cabinet
35	Gas fired heather press.
36	Skep
37	Skep and smoker
38	National poly nuc
39	Abelo National hive complete with floor, brood box, QE, 2 No supers, crown board and roof, including frames.
40	20 No BS deep foundation, wired.
41	20 No BS deep foundation, wired.
42	20 No BS deep foundation, wired.
43	20 No BS deep foundation, wired.
44	20 No BS deep foundation, wired.
45	20 No BS shallow foundation, wired

46	20 No BS shallow foundation, wired
47	20 No BS shallow foundation, wired
48	20 No BS shallow foundation, wired
49	20 No BS shallow foundation, wired
50	One gross (144) new metal lids for 1lb jars
51	Straw skep
52	3 No Miller type National feeds
53	3 No Miller type National feeds
54	WBC hive complete with floor, 3 lifts, brood box, QE, supers, crown board and roof.
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57	10 litre tub of crystallised honey from 2021 crop (34lb)
58	Langstroth hive, complete with 3 No supers
59	Langstroth hive, complete with 3 No supers
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61	2 No boxes of frames and foundation for Langstroth, brood and supers.
62	Large honey creamer, with dedicated electric drill, both having been little used.
63	4 Frame Maismore National poly nuc including frames and super.
64	6 Frame poly nuke brood box with 14 x 12 eke
65	5 Frame poly nuke brood box with 14 x 12 eke
66	6 Frame poly nuc with 14 x 12 eke
67	6 Frame poly nuc, miller feeder and paynes roof
68	Poly hive, 2 no 14 x 12 brood boxes, crown board and roof

69	14 x 12 Nuke box
70	2 No Paynes poly hive roofs
71	2 No stands and landing boards
72	2 No National crown boards
73	2 No Miller feeders for nuc (one large, one small)
74	25 No 14 x 12 Hofman frames, new and unassembled.
75	25 No SN1 & 25 SN4 National frames, new and unassembled
76	Double strainer
77	2 No National plastic English feeder
78	3 No National super foundation
79	2 No super thin foundation
80	2 No 14 x 12 wired foundation
81	Box of 1lb round jars (72)
82	994g Filtered wax
83	935g Filtered wax
84	Starter pack box
85	2 No Medium round tubs with taps
86	7 No Medium round tubs & 4 No small tubs, all with lids
87	National roof with clearer board and glass crown board
88	2 No feeders and queen catchers
89	White bee suit and hood
90	White sheriff bee suit and extra sleeves
91	Bbwear hood
92	White bee jacket
93	2 No Rapid feeders
94	3 No National dummy boards
95	5 No 30lb & 1 No 15lb food quality plastic buckets

96	5 No 30lb & 1 No 15lb food quality plastic buckets
97	5 No 30lb & 1 No 15lb food quality plastic buckets
98	5 No 30lb & 1 No 15lb food quality plastic buckets
99	5 No 30lb & 1 No 15lb food quality plastic buckets
100	Block of beeswax suitable for candles or foundation 5lb 13oz
101	Block of beeswax suitable for candles or foundation 6lb 6oz
102	Block of beeswax suitable for candles or foundation 6lb 13oz
103	Block of beeswax suitable for candles or foundation 6lb 15oz
104	Block of beeswax suitable for candles or foundation 7lb 11oz
105	Block of beeswax suitable for candles or foundation 6lb 15oz
106	Pack of 10 No aluminium alloy printers 'plates for hive roofs and other uses, easy to work
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108	Pack of 8 No aluminium alloy printers 'plates for hive roofs and other uses, easy to work
109	Pack of 8 No aluminium alloy printers 'plates for hive roofs and other uses, easy to work
110	Pack of 8 No aluminium alloy printers 'plates for hive roofs and other uses, easy to work
111	Langstroth jumbo brood box with frames and foundations, new
112	Langstroth jumbo hive with glass side and end, 2 No supers with glass side and ends, floor, crown board and roof
113	Langstroth rapid feeder, 2 varroa screen inserts consisting of wire mesh and clear insert.
114	2 No Langstroth supers and frames

115	2 No Langstroth supers and frames
116	Uncapping tool, mains electric, as new
117	Queen rearing equipment, all you need: cells, punches, frames, 2 ploy mini nucs, mostly new
118	Projector stand, suitable for most projectors
119	Colony of bees description to be confirmed
120	Colony of bees, overwintered in a nuc on national frames. A deposit of £20 will be paid, in addition to the bid price, refunded on return of the nuc.
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122	Extraction bucket with three filter inserts, unused.
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124	Nassenheider kit
125	Thorne flat pack national super
126	Thorne flat pack national super
127	Thorne flat pack national super
128	National plastic queen excluder and decapping comb.
129	National metal unframed queen excluder and decapping comb
130	National brood box
131	National hive roof
132	National hive floor
133	National hive floor
134	4 Frame extractor
135	Smoker, new, and fuel
136	6 No wooden National supers
137	2 No Poly National supers

138	2 No National wired queen excluders
139	Various honey buckets and unused jars
140	Skep
141	2 No National wooden ekes
142	50 No + National unassembled super frames
143	2 No National hive stands
144	2 No National wooden supers, unassembled.
145	6 No Rapid feeders
146	7 LB filtered beeswax
147	5 Frame nuc box
148	Stainless steel wax separator
149	Miscellaneous beekeeping tools
150	National hive with mesh floor, brood box, QE, 2 No supers crown board and roof
151	National hive with mesh floor, brood box, QE, 2 No supers crown board and roof
152	Smoker with leather bellows
153	Smoker with leather bellows
154	National cedar brood box, frames and foundation
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156	National cedar brood box
157	2 No National plywood travelling boxes
158	National cedar nuc box
159	National cedar nuc box
160	National plywood nuc box with 14 x 12 eke
161	Set of 14 x 12 frames with foundation
162	Langstroth plywood jumbo nuc hive including feeder

163	Langstroth jumbo plywood hive with floor, brood box, crown board and roof
164	2 No Langstroth Ashforth feeders
165	2 No Langstroth plastic Ashforth feeders
166	2 No clear nuc feeders
167	Plastic bucket 15 lb, new.
168	2 No commercial supers
169	Easy - steam cleaner
170	2 No National wooden hive stands
171	Thornes 9 frame heavy duty manual polythene extractor
172	3 Frame tangential manual stainless steel extractor
173	Bhrnat' poly hive, 3 brood boxes, frames for 2 boxes, plastic QE, floor roof and feeder
174	Skep, woven green, unused
175	WBC outer lifts only, painted green, with stand and roof
176	WBC outer lifts only, painted green, with stand and roof
177	National hive roof, 6" flat pack.
178	National hive roof, 6" flat pack.
179	Smoker
180	Wax melter, unused complete with wall paper stripper and connecting pipes
181	National poly Nuc with top feeder
182	Bain Marie, unused
183	Triple Hive stand
184	Double hive stand
185	2 No single hive stands
186	50 No DN4 brood frames unassembled
187	50 No SN4 super frames unassembled

188	1 No National brood box modified to be top bee space and 3 No similar but unassembled.
189	1 No National super modified to be top bee space and 3 No similar but unassembled.
190	Bee suit, white with fencing hood
191	Bee suit, beige, with fencing hood
192	3 No National roofs
193	National brood box
194	2 No National travel screens
195	3 No Plastic queen excluders
196	3 No National crown boards
197	National section super
198	4 No National supers
199	3 No Supers
200	9 Frame BS stainless steel manual extractor on legs and casters
201	Thornes, large solar wax extractor double glazed and on wheels
202	3.5 kg (7.72lb) Wax
203	Smoker, unused