

Where beekeepers get the knowledge to share the knowledge!



# Did You Know . . .

**It takes 2 million flowers to make one-pound of honey?**

**. . . Worker honey bees are all female?**

**. . . The Roman's used honey to pay their taxes?**

**. . . Nearly 1 million tons of honey is produced worldwide each year?**

### Who should take a beekeeping class:

- the novice, the curious
  - if you have a few hives but want to get connected to a local group of beekeepers or want to learn the abc's of beekeeping
  - if you want to re-establish an apiary after a period of time or have moved from another area and just want to get back involved and learn what works in beekeeping in Shelby County, AL
  - the thrill and challenge of beekeeping
  - you want to learn about this curious pollinating insect and all the intricacies of it all
  - the gardener or those learning about master gardening
  - your relatives such as grandparents, parents were beekeepers and you want to carry on the tradition
  - you love honey and all it's benefits
- Join us these 7 weeks in 2018 !

**What you will learn:** How to assemble a hive box and how the parts work together. How to purchase honey bees and queens. How to extract honey. The life cycle of honey bees. You will meet local beekeepers. Learn how and why honey is good for you. Learn some history of honey and it's benefits. You will learn about all these interesting facts and much, much more!

Complete the form or go online and register. The cost is only \$60 per person and \$20 additional if you bring someone with you. **Shelbybees.org (Cost per person will be \$70 on Jan. 1, 2018)**

Sign up begins Nov. 1, space is limited.

### SHELBY COUNTY BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION - SCBA

2018 BEGINNING BEEKEEPING CLASS REGISTRATION Classes will meet at TBA, Check our website [shelbybees.org](http://shelbybees.org), AL for 7 Tuesdays beginning **January 9 through February 20 from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.** Pre-registration is required. Limited space is available. Also, you can go online to our website to register: **Shelbybees.org EARLY REGISTRATION OPENS - Nov. 1, 2017.**

**For more info. , contact:** George Baldwin, 2017 President, 205-516-0918

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (c) \_\_\_\_\_ (h) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ ( Used for newsletters and meeting notices )

Cost of Beekeeping Class ( Includes 1 book )	\$60.00	_____
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* 1 Additional person if you bring ( Share your book )	\$20.00	_____
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SCBA Membership ( optional )	\$10.00	_____
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\* Name of person attending with you: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to: **Shelby County Beekeepers Association**

Mail checks and registration form to: Shelby County Beekeepers Association,  
% David Karcher, 212 Woodridge Drive, Pelham, AL 35124