

Bee College & Master Beekeeper Program

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Apopka, FL
March 13-15, 2008



Announcing **Florida's most extensive honey bee educational event!** The UF Bee College and the start of Florida's Master Beekeeper Program will be held at the Mid-Florida Research and Education Center in Apopka on March 13-15, 2008.

The Master Beekeeper Program, designed to enhance beekeeper education, consists of four levels of advancement from apprentice beekeeper to master craftsman beekeeper. Examination and training for the apprentice level will be held on March 13th. Please visit website below for more details

The Bee College is a two-day event (March 14-15) featuring two educational tracks, one for beginners and another for experienced beekeepers.

For more information visit <http://entnemdept.ifas.ufl.edu/honeybee> or contact Mike from UF Honey Bee Lab at (352) 392-1901 ext. 189



- Program will be useful to beekeepers, pest control operators, master gardeners, county agents, and anyone interested in honey bees.
- **NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!** The beginner's track has been designed to teach people with limited/no bee knowledge how to keep bees
- Nationally-recognized and sought-after speakers including **Dr. Jim Tew** and **Dennis vanEngelsdorp**
- Bee College students are encouraged to participate in the Honey Show to be judged by decorated, world-class Welsh Honey Judge, **Robert Brewer**
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