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Organic Beekeeping Class with Liam Goble

Ahimsa Village, Julian, PA

August 9, 2008, 10 am – 3 pm

Registration form at www.ahimsavillage.org

Info@ahimsavillage.org, 814-355-0850

One-day Beekeeping Class

Humans has been eating honey for over 15,000 years. Beekeeping has been developing as an art for the past 12,000 years and has evolved from a hollow log to more specialized hives. The art of beekeeping is slowly disappearing in America, due to many different factors, including mites, imported honey and other hobbies.

Colony Collapse Disease (CCD) is a in the news almost every day now. One of the best ways to help the bee population is to keep bees in backyards. This class aims to provide an introduction to beekeeping to show you what it is like to keep bees.



The class will take place in two parts. The first part will be more 'classroom' learning. We will be learning about the life of bees, their social structure, and some of the less technical parts of beekeeping. The second part will take place after lunch and we will be opening up hives to discover what is happening inside the hives.

Cost: \$20 per person; \$30 for couples; work-exchange available (please inquire). Please bring a brown bag lunch.

About Liam Goble - Liam and his wife Katie operate Half Acre Farm, a small hobby farm on half an acre in State College, Pennsylvania. They raise chickens, rabbits, and bees and sell eggs, honey, candles, and flowers at a local farmers market, and manage the Home Hive Program. Liam also serves as the Vice President of the Bellefonte Farmers Market. Liam has been practicing organic beekeeping for over 3 years.

REGISTRATION FORM

Deadline August 6, 2008

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Address _____

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Register: To reserve your space please complete this form and return mail along with your check for \$20 (or \$30 for couples) to "Ahimsa Village" no later than August 6, 2008 to the following address:

Ahimsa Village, 4022 S. Eagle Valley Rd, Julian, PA 16844

For logistics, registration, lodging or other questions, details, etc:

Call or email Bob Flatley at e4bob@yahoo.com or 814-355-0850