

2021

Lincolnshire Beekeepers' Association
Extraordinary County Honey Show



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Held at E.H.Thorne Beehives (Ltd)

Rand

3rd & 4th September

Sponsored by the Associations Districts
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Introduction

This year, as in last year the County Show held at the Lincolnshire Showground has been cancelled. It has been recognised by Central Council that due to the prevailing restrictions many of our county beekeeping events have had to be postponed or cancelled, given the relaxing of restrictions, there is a potential opportunity for the County to organise an Extraordinary Honey Show for the Membership, as you see from the title on the cover. Thornes have kindly offered space to host the show at Rand. Prize monies for the Show have been kindly donated by your Districts.

The Show will be a closed show, in that it will be open to classes of LBKA membership only, as you will see the schedule classes are reduced, but in the main to reflect the removal of the open classes. There are no entry fees, Prize money will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places, the Trophies will be presented after being engraved with the recipient's name at an event later in the year. The closing date for entries will be 20th August, **NO late entries will be accepted**. Entries will be received at Rand between 9am and 6pm on Friday 3rd September with judging taking place on Saturday morning.

Entry forms can be emailed to lbkahuneyshow@gmail.com or posted to the entry Secretary Ms F G Ross, The Cottage, Main Street, Whitton, Scunthorpe, DN15 9LG.

For other enquiries, Contact Richard Harrison 01652 678650.
Email: honeyshow@lincsbka.org.uk

Additional copies of this schedule may be obtained from the Lincolnshire Beekeepers' website:

www.lincsbka.org.uk/lincs-show

Then follow links to the honey show.



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JUDGES

Honey, Beeswax Photography & Mead

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Honey Cookery

Miss S. Cartwright
Wragby.

PRIZES

NOVICE CLASS (12)

First	£25 E H Thorne gift voucher	5 points
Second	£3 E H Thorne gift voucher	3 points
Third	£2 E H Thorne gift voucher	2 points
Highly Commended		1 point

PHOTOGRAPHY CLASS (32)

First	£5 E H Thorne gift voucher	5 points
Second	£3 E H Thorne gift voucher	3 points
Third	£2 E H Thorne gift voucher	2 points
Highly Commended		1 point

ALL OTHER CLASSES

First	£5	5 points
Second	£3	3 points
Third	£2	2 points
Highly Commended		1 point

Kindly donated by

Boston, Grantham, Grimsby, Horncastle, Lincoln, Louth, Market Rasen,
North East Lincs, Sleaford and Wragby Districts.



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The Harry Needham Memorial Trophy



COUNTY CLASSES

LBKA MEMBERS ONLY

HONEY

- 1 Two jars light coloured liquid honey excluding heather blends.
- 2 Two jars medium coloured liquid honey excluding heather blends.
- 3 Two jars dark coloured liquid honey excluding heather blends.
- 4 Two jars granulated honey excluding heather blends.
- 5 Two jars of heather honey.
- 6 Three jars of different honeys, any combination, e.g., light, medium, dark, soft set, granulated or heather.
- 7 One shallow comb of honey suitable for centrifugal extraction.
- 8 Two honeycomb sections.
- 9 Two jars of soft set honey excluding heather blends.
- 10 One cut comb of any honey in a standard container.
- 11 Two jars of chunk honey.

- 27 Two jars of any honey of the same type, to be shown in 340g, 454g(1lb) or 500g jars prepared and labelled as offered for sale, besides the honey quality the overall attractiveness will be taken into consideration. **Rule 7 does not apply but jars must be uniform in size and shape.**

WAX

- 13 One cake of beeswax. [200g-255g (7ozs to 9ozs)]
- 14 Six [28g (1oz)] wax blocks

NOVICE – sponsored by E H Thorne of Wragby

- 15 A single jar of any honey.

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Honey Show Trophies

MEAD

- 30 One bottle of dry mead.
- 31 One bottle of sweet mead.

CANDLES

- 32 Any beeswax candle displayed on a simple stand.

BEEKEEPING INVENTION

- 37 A practical invention or device by the exhibitor, directly related to beekeeping. Live bees are not permitted.

PHOTOGRAPHY – *sponsored by E H Thorne of Wragby*

- 38 A photograph of bees or beekeeping. Entries must be colour or monochrome prints between 10 x 12.5 and 12.5 x 19cm (4" x 5" and 5" x 7.5") mounted on A5 card.

HONEY COOKERY CLASSES

- 39 **One honey cake.** Ingredients: 200g (8oz) self-raising flour, 100g (4oz) margarine, 50g (2oz) sugar, 1 egg, 2 tablespoons honey, grated rind of a lemon and a little milk. Method: Rub together the flour and margarine. Mix in the rind and sugar. Stir in the beaten egg, honey and a little milk. Mixture should be smooth. Bake in a 7-inch round tin at 350°F (180°C) Gas mark 4 for 30-40 minutes.

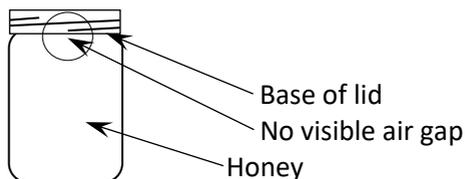
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- 40 **Five honey crunch biscuits.** Ingredients/recipe: Competitor's own choice, produced using a 60mm (2½") round cutter. Please write a description and the main ingredients on an accompanying card.
- 41 **One Honey cob.** Ingredients/recipe: Competitor's own choice, using 450g (1lb) any type of strong bread flour. Please write a description and the main ingredients on an accompanying card.
- 42 **One Honey Fruit Cake.** Ingredients/recipe: Competitor's own choice, cooked in a loaf tin. Please write a description and the main ingredients on an accompanying card.
- 43 **Five honey scones.** Ingredients: competitor's own choice to include honey, produced using a 60mm (2½") round cutter. Please write a description and the main ingredients on an accompanying card.
- 46 **Honey Chutney.** [Up to 450g (1lb)] to be presented in a suitable, clear jar. Ingredients: competitor's own choice Please write a description and the main ingredients on an accompanying card.
- 47 **Honey Lemon Curd.** [Up to 450g (1lb)] to be presented in a suitable, clear jar. Ingredients: competitor's own choice. Please write a description and the main ingredients on an accompanying card.

UNITS OF MEASUREMENT AND DIMENSIONS

Metric measurements are to the nearest practical equivalent of Imperial.

As there are several manufacturers of honey jars, their content weight may vary. The only way of a Judge being certain that a jar contains 454g (1lb) of honey, is if there is no air gap visible between the surface of the honey and the lower edge (skirt) of the lid.





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JUDGING OF HONEY COOKERY CLASSES

The Honey Cookery classes are judged using the Women's Institute standard system. All entries are judged individually, and points awarded on the following basis.

Maximum 4 points for external appearance, presentation and adherence to the class description.

Maximum 4 points for internal appearance, consistency and rise.

Maximum 12 points for taste, flavour, aroma and the expectation (whether the flavour and general tasting experience uphold the description, i.e. if the description infers a specific flavour, aroma or sensation then that would be the expectation).

Using this system each entry in a class has the potential to achieve 20 points in total. In addition, the judge may use their discretion to include or exclude any entry in relation to its adherence to the class schedule.

All entries must comply to the show schedule rules and regulations.

LBKA Badges

Association badges are available at the show, or contact your Secretary. Choice of two types, sew on embroidered or metal enamel as below.



£5.25 ea.

Actual size



£10.00 ea.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1 ENTRY FEES – There are no entry fees payable for any classes.
- 2 **ENTRY FORMS – All exhibits must be listed on the entry form and be submitted to the Entries Secretary by 20th August.**
- 3 **DELIVERY – All exhibits must be delivered to the show between 9am and 6pm on the Friday 3rd September.**
- 4 CLASS LABELS – Exhibitors must label every item with the labels supplied by the Entries Secretary. Such **labels must be affixed approximately 1.5cm from the bottom of jars, and in the top right-hand corner of other exhibits.** Judges may deduct points for wrongly labelled items.
- 5 IDENTIFICATION – Exhibits with any other identifying marks or characteristics will be disqualified.
- 6 OWNERSHIP – All exhibits must have been produced by and be the property of the exhibitor. The exhibitor's bees must have produced all honey and wax naturally.
- 7 HONEY JARS – All extracted honey (**excluding class 27**) must be exhibited in **1 lb clear glass squat jars with lacquered metal screw top lids.**
- 8 LABELLING REGULATIONS (**CLASS 27**) – The regulations have been interpreted slightly different by Trading Standards depts. in many areas. For this show class exhibitor's own labels must comply with the following requirements which must all appear on the same label: -
 - a. The word HONEY which may be prefixed with the type of honey and/or area of origin e.g., Lincolnshire Honey.
 - b. The metric weight must appear – figures to be at least 4mm high for 454 & 227g weights. If the imperial weight is shown it must be after the metric and be less prominent. The 'e' symbol if used will be ignored.
 - c. Your name and address must appear on the label.
 - d. The country of origin must be shown on the label. e.g., 'Produce of the U.K'. The country name alone at the end of your address is not sufficient.
 - e. A 'best before' date must appear (suggest 2-5 years) or an indication of where it can be found e.g., for 'best before' see base of jar. If the date is given in full i.e., day, month, and year there is no need for a lot number.
- 9 HONEY COLOURS – The light, medium and dark honey classes must be to the standard authorised by the National Honey Show Association.
- 10 COMB HONEY – Combs of honey for extraction must be exhibited in cases which are glassed on both sides. Sections must be exhibited in Show cases. Cut comb must be exhibited in a standard container. All types of comb must be easily accessible.
- 11 WAX CLASSES – Displays must be in clear plain polythene bags, which will be supplied by the LBKA.

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- 12 NOVICE - A Novice is an Exhibitor who has never won a First prize at a Lincolnshire Beekeepers Association Annual Honey Show.
- 13 MEAD BOTTLES – They must be clear round 75 cl or one sixth of a gallon bottle. Corks must be white flanged, not be sealed and removable by hand. Fluting or other ornamentation will lead to disqualification.
- 14 HONEY COOKERY CLASSES – Cakes must be baked in round seven-inch diameter tins or the metric equivalent. Items must be delivered in tins clearly marked with the exhibitor's name. The LBKA will supply plates and bags.
- 15 ADMISSIBILITY of ENTRIES – The Show and Entries Secretaries will decide the admissibility of any entry. Their decision is binding on both judges and exhibitors.
- 16 MULTIPLE ENTRIES – Exhibitors may enter more than one exhibit in any class but can win no more than one award. Joint owners must not make separate entries.
- 17 CARE of TROPHIES – The winner of any trophy is responsible for its care and safety until it has been returned to the Entries Secretary.

THEY ARE NOT INSURED BY THE SHOW.

All trophies must be cleaned and returned Tuesday preceding the Honey Show.

- 18 INTERFERING with EXHIBITS – No exhibit or part thereof may be moved or interfered with by anyone without the authority of the Show Secretary.
- 19 JUDGING – The decisions of the judges are final and binding.
- 20 DISQUALIFICATION – Breaches of these rules by an exhibitor will lead to disqualification.
- 21 DISPUTES and PROTESTS – In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Show committee will be final. Any protest must be lodged in writing **within one hour of the class being judged**. The protest must be handed in to the Show Secretary. The protest will be considered by members of the Show Committee and the relevant Judge, chaired by the Show Secretary. **The Committee's decision is final.**
- 22 CARE of EXHIBITS – Ordinary and reasonable care will be taken of exhibits. The show committee will not be responsible for any loss or damage sustained by exhibitors howsoever caused.
- 23 AWARDING of PRIZES – Prizes may be withheld if there are too few entries, or the required standard is not achieved.
- 24 **REMOVAL of ENTRIES – Entries will only be removed from the show bench with permission and under supervision by the Entries Secretary.**
- 25 POWERS of the COMMITTEE – The decisions of the committee are final and binding on all exhibitors.

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TROPHIES

The ASSOCIATION PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP.

to the LBKA member winning the most points in classes 1 to 47.

The HARRY NEEDHAM MEMORIAL TROPHY.

to the LBKA member winning the most points in classes 33 to 35.

The ANCASTER CUP.

to the LBKA member winning the most points in classes 1 to 11,13 & 14.

The COMB HONEY CUP.

to the exhibitor winning the most points in classes 7,8,11,22,23,25,26 & 33.

The JOAN HIND MEMORIAL TROPHY.

to the exhibitor winning the most points in classes 13,14,28,29 & 32.

The OSBORNE CUP.

to the exhibitor winning the most points in classes 16 to 32, 36 & 47.

The BURGH CUP.

for the best entry in classes 30 & 31.

The WRAGBY CUP.

for the best entry in class 36.

The ROBERT (NOBBY) HICKLING MEMORIAL CUP.

to the winner of class 15.

The ELLIOTT INVENTOR'S TROPHY.

to the winner of class 37.

The SIMON CROSON TROPHY FOR PHOTOGRAPHY.

to the winner of class 38

The E H THORNE SILVER ROSE BOWL.

to the exhibitor winning the most points in classes 39 to 47.

The CHAIRMAN'S TROPHY.

to the County District winning the most points.

The LBKA MEMBERS MEMORIAL CUP to the winner of best entry in the show together with the BBKA "BLUE RIBBON".

N.B. A BBKA Blue Ribbon may only be awarded at shows were the entries exceed100.

The Trophies to be awarded at an event later in the year.