

# PEMI-BAKER BEEKEEPING ASSOCIATION

## 2026 Bee School Syllabus

Subject to Change

**“A Year in the Life of Bee & Keeper”**

**Course Book: *Beekeeping for Dummies***

Saturdays, beginning March 14 through April 4, 2025

9:00 am – 3:00 pm

### **Week 1**

- 1) Welcome & intro
- 2) School rules
- 3) Bee biology
- 4) Equipment
- 5) Hive body and components

### **Week 2**

- 1) Buying bees
- 2) Location: Where and how to set up apiary
- 3) Hive Management: Part I
- 4) Demo of equipment and tools

### **Week 3**

- 1) Pests and diseases
- 2) Hive Management: Part II
- 3) Swarming
- 4) Electric fence
- 5) Bear awareness

### **Week 4**

- 1) Apitherapy w/demo
- 2) Products from the hive
- 3) NH apiary & honey regulations
- 4) Hive Management: Part III
- 5) Course evaluation
- 6) Graduation & door prizes

\*Note: All classes will have time for review and Q & A.