

You are invited to attend

The Bee Keeping Workshop

AT CHASSAGNE FARM

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 24, 2016

This introductory workshop is designed to inform and assist people who are interested in starting their own bee keeping projects. All of the practical information such as suitable locations for establishing hives, how much work is involved, a seasonal overview of when you have to do what to the bees and hives, bee husbandry and management, the costs involved, where to buy bee keeping supplies and bees, will be covered.

Our workshop will be conducted by Apiarist Doug McRory. Doug literally wrote the book on bee keeping, as "Bee Keeping in the Northern Hemisphere" is at the publisher now. Doug is an avid bee keeper for many decades and he is the Retired Provincial Apiarist of Ontario. He has been the Apiarist at Chassagne Farm since 2010 when he selected the site for our Bee Yard and established our very successful hives.

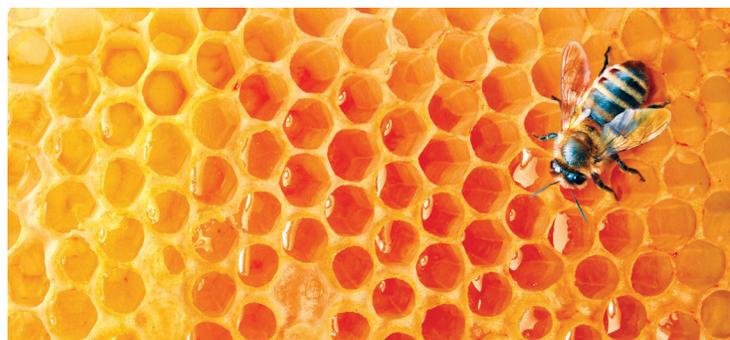
Doug will be your guide and teacher as he presents:

- ✿ an overview of bees in the world
- ✿ the biology of bees
- ✿ the practical handling of bees
- ✿ bee diseases
- ✿ how to function as a bee keeper within the bee keeping community

The workshop will include a visit to the Chassagne Farm Bee Yard, ongoing Q&A sessions and a delicious luncheon featuring some of the foods produced at our domaine.

Participants need to bring:

- ✿ a Bee Veil (www.dancingbeeequipment.com)
- ✿ long sleeved clothes
- ✿ gloves and tall boots



10:00 am - 3:30 pm

Cost: \$153.55 (\$135.00 + hst \$17.55) Lunch is included.

Reserve your spot with a deposit of \$100.00, by cheque payable to Chassagne Farm, to be received before Sept. 21st.

Our very own raw unpasteurized honey and comb honey will be available for purchase. For more information please call Carole Precious (519) 651-2160 or via email, carole@chassagne.ca