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DEVELOPING POTENTIAL POLK SMALL FARMS

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BEEKEEPING SEMINAR

UF/IFAS Extension Polk County, in partnership with the Ridge Beekeepers Association, will host a Saturday program for new beekeepers and those considering starting a hive. Seminar topics will introduce everything a new beekeeper needs to know including: hive construction, starting a hive, honey extraction, bee transport, queen bees, nectar sources, wax rendering, tools, and more! Door prizes will be offered and beekeeping vendors will be present.

Join us for a fun day where you can learn about beekeeping and sharpen your skills!

CLASS DETAILS

When: Saturday, April 6, 2019, 9 AM – 3:30 PM. Registration begins at 8 AM.

Where: UF/IFAS Extension Polk County, 1702 Hwy 17 S., Bartow, FL 33830.

Cost: \$25 online or via mail registration before April 1st. On-site registration is \$30. Children eleven through eighteen are \$15 and ten and under are free when accompanied by a registered adult. Registration includes seminar and lunch. Note that a liability waiver must be signed by each attendee at registration.

Register: Online with a credit card at <https://www.facebook.com/events/791505847875741> or <https://tinyurl.com/Polkbeeseminar> mail your contact information and number of registrants (please note children separately) to Ridge Beekeepers Association, Jonathan Beale, 3224 Cleveland Heights Blvd, Lakeland, FL 33803.

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