



## Spring Convention 2010

Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> February  
10.00 am – 4.00 pm

### Chilsworthy Village Hall

As in previous years, the convention will be held in Chilsworthy Village Hall, a modern, fully equipped, hall with ample free parking.

### Directions

From Holsworthy take A3072 in the direction of Bude. At the Texaco garage take right hand turn signed Bradworthy and Chilsworthy. Continue for about 1½ miles, pass the Chilsworthy village sign and in approximately ½ mile on left hand side turn in to a new housing estate called 'The Willows' (also signed the Village Hall). Keeping to the right the Village Hall will be directly in front of you. There is a large car park available to the side of the hall.

### Lunch

A 'Ploughman's Lunch' with dessert is **included** in the ticket price. Also **included** is tea/coffee and biscuits on arrival, and at lunch time.

### Cost

With the exception of our own members, there is a standard charge of £12, which as stated above includes the cost of lunch and other refreshments. For members of Holsworthy Branch, DBKA, there is a subsidised charge of £10 for the day.

### Booking

To book you place, please contact Christopher Smith by either telephone 01409 254 457 or email [christophersmith.270@gmail.com](mailto:christophersmith.270@gmail.com)

### Trade Stands

We are pleased that this year, '**Bitz4Bees**' will be joined by **Modern Beekeeping** and **Sherriff**. They will supply your beekeeping needs at very competitive prices.

**We look forward to seeing you!**

## Programme

- 1000 Assembly (with tea/coffee)
- 1015 Welcome
- 1020 'The View From Here' –  
**Adam Vevers** (Regional Bee Inspector)
- 1040 Honey as a Healer  
**Professor Richard White – Worcester University**
- 1130 Workshops:  
➤ Top Bar Hives  
**Phil Chandler – The Barefoot Beekeeper**  
➤ Novel approaches to swarm control  
**Adam Vevers**
- 1300 Lunch
- 1400 Honey Bee Virus Research  
**Dr Declan Schroeder – Marine Biology  
Association Plymouth**
- 1500 From Corsets to Bee Suits, via world beekeeping  
**Brian Sherriff**
- 1615 Close