

SOS for Honeybees



Honeybees play a vital role in the pollination of food crops and in our environment. In view of concerns about the accelerating decline in the UK honeybee population, this meeting urges HM Government to increase funding for research into bee health.

In 2009, this was the resolution which WI members adopted and it launched a campaign calling for funding for research on honeybee decline – raising awareness of the plight of bees and the action needed to help them.

What We Did For Bees In 2020

Since then this has been one of our most popular campaigns and Norfolk WIs definitely like supporting it!

So, we thought you might like to concentrate on bees during this strange period of lockdown and then show us what you have done at FAM next year!

There are ideas on MyWI about building bee hotels, planting bee friendly plants (you don't need a large garden, containers with lavender in are lovely), making bee friendly recipes such as salted honey fudge and honey cake and maybe making bee seed bombs to give to friends!

But we are sure that Norfolk WI can produce more than this!



Poems



Cards



Crochet



Knitting



Any type of
Needlework



Painting



Photography



Recipes

Whatever your skill, I am sure that you could do something incorporating bees and we could have a wonderful display to celebrate what we did this summer!

So start the brain buzzing with ideas!

More details in due course about submitting your exhibits

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