

Beekeeper

Reports To: CEO

Number of Direct Reports: 0

Role Outline

Day-to-day responsibility for managing Plan Bee's beehives in a designated area. Provide cover in other areas as and when necessary.

Accountabilities

- Beehives well managed according to agreed schedule
- Develop and maintain strong client relations to underpin Plan Bee's brand
- Capture people's imagination to help us save and re-populate honeybees

Responsibilities

Beehive Management

- Carry out systematic visits to client sites in your region
- Log, photograph and report on visit; recommend any actions and carry them out
- Maintain equipment, PPE and machinery
- Harvest honey and beeswax ready for processing
- Assist with bottling of honey
- Help raise new colonies

Site Surveys

- Assist with site surveys ascertaining suitability for beekeeping
- Conduct follow-up visits if circumstances/site conditions change

Key Skills & Attributes

- ✓ Self motivated, proactive and disciplined
- ✓ Enthusiastic about bees
- ✓ Highly organised with good planning skills
- ✓ Attention to detail
- ✓ Keen to learn
- ✓ Brand aware
- ✓ Proven knowledge of all things Beekeeping
- ✓ Clear communicator
- ✓ Good listener
- ✓ Multi-tasker who sees things through to the end
- ✓ Able to work well on your own
- ✓ Patient and calm
- ✓ Enjoy working outdoors
- ✓ Be practical and good at woodwork (for mending hives)
- ✓ Have some mechanical skills to maintain equipment.
- ✓ Physically fit, able to carry and lift equipment