Ngati Kuia Beekeepers Wananga, Sunday 20 June

This is for those Ngati Kuia Beekeepers with Hives.

Please RSVP Lea Hemi (<u>lea@ngatikuia.iwi.nz</u>) at the Nelson Ngati Kuia Office along with how many hives you currently operate.

If you will need assistance with Travel from Blenheim or Nelson, please let us know. We may be able to provide transport.

Starting at Titi-Raukawa at 10am with

- <u>Practical demonstrations and discussions</u> on various Bee products -Bee Venom, Propolis Mats, Pollen Trapping, Queen Bee rearing, Roya Jelly, Wax and Rongoā.
- Participants will receive a Propolis Mat as part of the training.

Lunch at Te Hora Marae followed by a facilitate discussion on

- How we can do things better as a collective. Suggested topics include bulk buying as a group to
 get bigger discounts in equipment, treatments, bee feed and jars, combining honey for tutin
 testing, AFB Inspectors register, mentoring, further training
- Examples of how whanau have developed their Bee business.
- Next Steps eg as Ngati Kuia Beekeepers Collective, and with what support from the Trust

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