Medway Beekeepers Association

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INVITE ALL BEEKEEPERS TO THE 3rd ANNUAL BEEKEEPERS LECTURE

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JAMES MORTON, National Bee Inspector

"Opportunities and Challenges in Beekeeping in 2005"

James Morton has kept bees for many years, joined the National Bee Unit as a Seasonal Bee Inspector, subsequently becoming the Regional Bee Inspector for the South East and, last year, was appointed as National Bee Inspector, overseeing the whole of the inspection programme for England and Wales. There can be few people with such a country-wide perspective on beekeeping issues. James will bring his wealth of experience to a wide-ranging talk covering the threats posed by exotic pests and established bee diseases and the many opportunities to promote beekeeping that are being devised around the country. All of this interspersed with some of the strange and sometimes hilarious situations that have popped up when James has been out at work, inspecting bees

3pm on Saturday 5th March, 2005

Medway Council Offices "Presentation Suite"

The Medway Council building is just by Rochester Bridge, there is plenty of free car parking to the rear of the building, enter via the B&Q car park or via Knights Road, Strood.

There is no admission charge Refreshments will be provided Everyone welcome!