



**Scottish Beekeepers' Association
Annual Convention & Scottish National Honey Show
Programme**

Friday 10th October 2025

16:00-19:00	Staging of Scottish National Honey Show entries.
19:00-21:00	2 x Practical Workshops Mead Making & How to Prepare for a Honey Show

Saturday 11th October 2025

08:00 – 09:00	Staging of Scottish National Honey Show Entries
09:00	Judging of SNHS exhibits
09:00	Registration, teas, coffees & hot rolls provided
09:30	Welcome & opening remarks
09:45	Prof Stephen Martin 'The Ongoing Arms Race between Honeybees and the Varroa mite'
10.45	Break, tour of trade stands, raffle tickets on sale
11:15	Megan Denver 'Beekeeping for Rural Development: Opportunities and Challenges in Africa'
12.15	Break, tour of trade stands, raffle tickets on sale
12:30	Lunch served
14:00	Megan Denver 'Practical Considerations of Genetics in Sustainable Beekeeping'
15.00	Break, tour of trade stands & last chance for raffle tickets
15:30	Prof Stephen Martin 'Insect Cuckoos and the World of Chemical Recognition'
16:30	Closing remarks, thanks, presentation of Honey Show awards
17:00	Ends
17:00	Collect raffle prizes