Brown County Beekeepers Association

PLEASE NOTE: This Guide is Based on Information Available and is Not a Club Endorsement - Please check with suppliers for details and changes

UPDATED: January 2019		Cost			Type							Cost	Type						Questions to ask Suppliers					
Company	Contact info	2# pkg	3# Pkg	Nuc	Italian	Carniolan	Russian	MN Hygienic	Buckfast	saskatraz	blend/unclear	Queen	Italian	Carniolan	Russian	saskatraz	blend/unclear	other specify	Treated ? (Yes, No) If yes, When Treated	Treatment type	Original source (s) (queen/pkg/nuc)	Group rates (yes/no)	Is there a process if issues? (late arrivals/dead queen etc)	comments
Hansen Honey Farm	3279 Hwy 8 E Rhinelander WI 54501 715-369-0383 www. hansenhoneyfarm. com	$115.00	$135.00		X	X						$32.00	X	X							California	yes		Pick-up only Pkgs -Italian/Carniolan -you pick at time of pick-up, first come first serve Queens available April 2019 - Italian/Carniolan - $5.00 extra cost to mark or clip Group rates for 10 or more packages Has a climate controled truck to transport bees
Honey Bee Ware	N1829 Municipal Dr, Greenville, WI 54942 920-779-3019 honeybeeware.com	no	$150.00	$170.00	X	X						$36.00 $36.00 $39.00	X	X		X			some are depends on supplier	usually MAQS but unsure	Pkg = GA Nucs=WI but wintered in Texas	yes - contact supplier	yes - contact supplier	4 frame nucs and Pkgs all treated with probiotic prior to pick-up Nucs also treated with Beetle blaster prioir to pick-up
Ethan Hogan Badger State Bees	3212 Buyarski road Green Bay WI 54311 920-328-5546 search: badger state bee LLC	$110.00 Italian Queen	$130.00 Italian or MN hygienic queens	$150.00 MN hygienic queen	X			X				see comments							NO		Wisconsin Note:bees go to CA for Almonds in the winter	yes	Yes, if the queen is dead he will switch - dead queens need to be returned. all Nucs and pkgs need to be handled as instructed	possibly selling queens in the summer if YES, they will be from his stock. Call him to inquire 2019 - pick up at Ethans location only. pkg est. April 27, 28th Nuc est. May 11,12th 10.00 charge for install the Pkg for you 5.00 charage for Nuc install
Brads Bees	Delavan WI Bradsbees2015 @gmail.com	no	$130.00	$150.00	X	X						yes price TBA	X	X					Yes	OAV after almond polination mid march	CA or FL Queens come from northern CA	no	can not guarentee after bees leave the property	Queens not available until mid June E-mail to order. will deliver to GB with extra charge. Requries 50% payment time of order. Depending on weather estimated delivery is mid-may. Also sells whole hives for beginner beekeepers: single $215.00, double $333.00
Prairie Gold Honey LLC Darin Kuhnke	Sauk city WI PGHwisconsin @gmail.com 608-370-0879	$105.00	$123.00	$140.00	X	X						no							yes	Apivar prior to being shook	Wisconsin Note: bees go to CA for Almonds in the winter	no	yes	Payment in full before orders complete. Pkg delivery Est - 2nd week in April Nuc delivery Est -first full weekend in May
Black River Apiaries Abraham Renno	W12704 East Pine Creek Rd Black River Falls, WI 54615	no	no	$125.00								$30.00							yes		produced in WI shipped to CA for almonds	yes Nuc 50 or more		Amish - only communicate via mail but will call when orders are ready for pick-up likes to have nuc boxes returned if possible prefers to have customer pick-up but might ship bees are state inspected yearly Nucs produced in WI so not available as early as those from the south - maybe mid May
Heritage Honeybee LLC	N6007 Hilside Dr Sullivan Wi 53178 319-231-2494 www.heritagehoneybe	TBA	$126.00 Georgia	TBA	X	X	Russian-Italian hypred		X												Pkgs Georgia or California Nucs (?)	yes, see website		2# and 3# packages with unmarked queen will be available for pick-up late March through mid-may. See deposit form on website. 5 frame nuc with unmarked mated queen available mid April - Mid-May. limited availability SEE WEBPAGE ORDER FORMS FOR DETAILS offers an Italian/Russian hybred in 3# Pkg Pick-up in Sullivan
Kelly Bees	715-551-1245 Wausa WI kellybees@yahoo.com kellybees (Facebook)	no	$125.00	no	x			x				$40.00							not sure but believe so		Wisconsin - winters in Texas	no	will work with people if issues	Drives to pick up bees personally for Wausau area. does not have a climate controled truck but watches temp Workiing toward producing Verroa sensitive hygenic (VSH) - Queens prefers working via e-mail
Jon Polcyn-Lone Oak Apiary of Montello, Wi.	Montello WI Queenbreader@gmail.com 920-229-3046	no	no	no								TBA	X	X										Open mated VSH Italian, VSH Carniolan available June - August
Fred Ransome-Flying Squirrel Apiary	Princeton, Wi fredransome@aol.com 920-229-2204	no	no	no								TBA	X					anklebiters						Open mated USDA Russian and Purdue Ankle Biters available June - August
Dadant	W2763 East Gate Drive Watertown WI 920-261-5363 www.dadant.com (Corp. is in Hamilton IL)																							
Fleet Farm - Green Bay	West - 494-8975 East - 468-4913																							