

Directions to Lamplugh Village Hall

From the Cockermouth roundabout on the A66 follow the A 5086, signed to Cleator Moor and Egremont for approximately 10 miles. Lamplugh Village Hall is on your R just after the Lamplugh Tip Pub (sadly now closed). There is parking beside the hall, and on the opposite side of the road on muddy verges.

Take care when crossing this road. Traffic can be moving fast and visibility is poor.

Recommended reading:

Pollen grain drawings of Dorothy Hodges D. Hodges

The pollen loads of the Honey bee Dorothy Hodges

Practical microscopy for beekeepers Bob Maurer

Pollen identification for beekeepers Rex Sawyer

For more information about beekeeping and organisations in Cumbria the following sites may be useful:

The British Beekeeping Association website: www.bbka.org.uk

Cumbria Beekeepers website: www.cumbriabeekeepers.co.uk

Whitehaven and District Beekeepers website:

www.whitehavenbeekeepers.co.uk

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Microscopy of Pollen

A Day course on Pollen through the microscope.

At: Lamplugh Village Hall

On : Sunday March 22nd 2015

From: 9.30 am to 4.30 pm

Cost: £25.00 (£20.00 W&D members)

Light lunch (soup and a roll), tea, coffee and biscuits provided.

The day will cover Pollen; it's biology, relationship to honey bees and methods of identification.

Microscopes and equipment for making slides of pollen grains will be provided for the practical session, and a starter kit to "make your own".

