



Essex Beekeepers' Association Southend On Sea Division

Swarm Collection



The Southend Division offers a swarm collection service to the community. This is a service provided by volunteers to the public during the summer swarming months.

If you have a swarm of honey bees settle on a fence or tree which you want removed you can contact one of the volunteers below. Please note that this service is for **Honey Bees** only. A swarm of honey bees looks like the picture above.

Please note: If you have wasps or bumble bees you will need to contact a commercial pest control company and if the bees are not accessible for example in a chimney or roof fascia you will need to hire a builder.

To clear a swarm of bees takes two visits and most beekeepers will charge a fee to cover their expenses.

Please only contact the beekeepers below if the swarm looks similar to the picture above.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Area Covered</u>	<u>Contact number</u>
Mr Vernon Amor	Rayleigh - 5 miles	01268 785252 (mid may onwards)
Mr Douglas Beard	Benfleet	01702 554492
Mr Leon Bell	Canewdon	01702 257150 / 07977 476914
Mr John Bond	Rayleigh	01268 785020
Mr Colin Charters	Castle Point / Pitsea / Basildon	01268 693719
Miss Ann Cushion	Leigh / Rochford/ Battlesbridge	01702 545555 / 07909 965117
Mr Colin Gray	Rayleigh	01268 778069
Mr Stephen Heard	South Woodham Ferrers	07956 124340
Mrs Mary Heyes	Thorpe Bay / Wakering	01702 588009
Mr Jeremy Huband	Leigh	07769 167222
Mr Rick Johnson	SS6 / SS7 / SS11 / CM3	07891 202245
Mrs Wendy Moore	Hullbridge / Hockley / Sth Woodham	01702 230458
Mr Michael Perry	Billericay	01702 334437 / 01277 652036 (Work)
Mr Francis Potter	Chelmsford	01245 467629
Mr Chris Spencer	Rochford - 10 miles	01702 542964
Mr Mark Thomas	Basildon - 10 miles	01268 412321
Mrs Sarah Vickery	Rayleigh - 5 miles	07906 435895