

SKBA NUC & PACKAGE UPDATED 2026 SUPPLIERS LIST rvsd 260123 cm

This is a work in progress. Some of the listings are updated for 2026. Others have prior year prices. Please do not rely solely on the information supplied – check the websites -- verify and confirm with suppliers as to details, deposits, costs, pickups, etc. The suppliers are listed in alphabetical order – no recommendations are made or intended. Since packages take longer to build up in the spring, they are not recommended for beginner beekeepers.

For additional information contact:

Eli Ocheltree (206) 859-7392

APEX APIARY

Ashley (360) 460-7221

Mossy Elk Farm on Olympic Peninsula

info@apex-apiary.comatraz nucs

www.apex-apiary.com

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing

Last pricing we have for them:

5-frame Saskatraz nucs \$215

3 lb. Saskatraz packages \$180

Saskatraz queens \$ 55

Available in April

AVALON APIARIES

Anthony Pauly (802) 324-5769

Ferndale, WA

Anthony.paulyjr@yahoo.com

<https://www.avalonapiaries.com>

Contact Anthony to check availability for 2026.

THE BEE CLUB AT 21 ACRES FARM

Nan Affleck Hardt

Woodinville, WA

apriary@21acres.org

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing.

Last pricing we have for them:

Deep 5-frame nucs \$250.00

Nucs are made from locally overwintered queens. They are considered survivor stock, great honey producers, good at overwintering, very calm and gentle. Pick up in Woodinville in May. Deposit of \$125 to reserve.

BEELINE OF WASHINGTON

19019 Moon Road SW, Rochester, WA98579

(360) 280-5274

beelineofwa@norcell.us

www.beelinewoodenware.com

Current 2026 pricing and information.

Preorder online, delivery in April, call throughout summer for CA queen availability

Italian – Carniolan

- 3 lb. package \$167.00
- 4 lb. package \$190.00
- 5-frame nuc \$195.00
- Marked queen \$ 46.00

BEES IN THE BURBS

28634 Maple Valley Black Diamond Road SE, Maple Valley, WA 98038

Norm (425) 432-1213

beesintheburbs3@gmail.com

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing.

Last pricing we have for them:

They accept non-refundable \$50 and \$100 deposits (\$100 deposit includes pollen patty coupon). Deposits due by April 1st. Balance due at pickup.

3 lb. packages (either Italians or Carniolans) \$145.00

4-5 frame nucs (hybrid of Italians and Carniolans) \$195.00 - \$200.00

BIRDS & BEES VASHON

11310 103rd Ave SW, Vashon, WA 98070

(206) 463-4424

info@birdsandbeesvashon.com

Contact them for 2026 prices and information.

Last information for them was no nucs in 2024 and not sure about 2025.

DOLCE BELLA BEES

Address for pick up: 7415 276th Street East, Graham, WA 98338.

Contact: Alisa Shorey 253-380-2327; Andy Matelich (253) 683-0789 (texting preferred)

Contact them for 2026 prices and information

Last pricing we have for them:

Packages only – no nucs

Italians \$165

Carniolan \$190

Saschatraz \$195

Queens will be available for all breeds mentioned.

Boxes do not need to be returned

ELITE HONEY AND BEE

3038 Walnut Ave. SW, Seattle, WA

(206) 633-2828

Dave Schiefelbein

dave.schiefelbein@yahoo.com

<https://www.elitehoneyandbee.com/>

The "bee store" is open! Reserve your 2026 honeybee packages, nucs and queens by ordering online now. Pickup dates will be April 12 & 26 (weather dependent). Check our website frequently for up-to-date or new information. All delivery details will be emailed to customers at least a week prior to pick up dates.

2026 information and pricing:

We will have Italian, Caucasian, New World Carniolan and a special Italian/Carniolan hybrid cross for packages, nucs and queens.

3 lb. package with mated queen \$204.00 (\$4 rebate if box is returned!)

5-frame deep nuc with mated queen \$299.00 (\$20 rebate if box is returned!)

Mated queens \$50.00 (first available in April, then throughout the season until October)

HIVE 5 BEES

10020 Highway 12 SW, Rochester, WA 98579

(360) 706-3978 (Chris)

www.Hive5Bees.com

RochesterBees@gmail.com

No NUCS in 2025 but website says will have them in 2026

KOSSIAN FARMS

Kossian Farms.com

Kevin Crowder 425-457-2695 text or call

Mike Kossian 425-367-1277 test or call

Kevin.crowder0305@gmail.com

2026 Information

Pickup in Monroe in April at the Coastal parking or Kevin's house (weather dependent)

4 lb. packages with unmarked queen

Italian \$225

Carniolan \$225

Saskatraz \$230

Golden West \$240

MILLER COMPOUND HONEYBEES AND AGRICULTURE

Lauri Miller (253) 320-9058 (text preferred)

29506 8th Avenue South, Roy, WA 98580

jloutdoors@aol.com

Contact them 2026 information and pricing

Last pricing we have for them:

- Overwintered 5-frame nucs \$235.00

Locally mated queens and queen cells only, local pick up only, no shipping.

Mated queens	\$50 each for 1
	\$45 each for 2 or more
	\$40 each for 20 +

Ripe candled queen cells	\$12 each
	\$10 each for 20+
	\$8.50 each for 50+

Possible there may be nucs available but won't know for sure until spring weather is stable. Check Facebook ag page for current updates

Send deposit to name and address above to reserve. First come first serve

Newly mated queens available mid-May dependent on weather

MOUNTAIN RAIN BEE PRODUCTS

Lincoln Mettler (253-330-4689) cell; (253-826-3103)

12305 28th St. Ct. E., Edgewood, WA 98372

mettlerfamily@comcast.net

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing.

Last pricing we have for them:

Call to order. Available April & May. Locally raised nucs and queens

- 5-frame nucs \$175.00
- 10-frame \$250.00
- 20-frame \$350.00

NORTHWEST BEE SUPPLY

Check the website for their array of services & delivery points northwestbeesupply.com

Mike Radford (907) 360-8182

2026 information and pricing

Order online and pick up in Washington or Oregon. Pickups in mid to late April.

Big discounts if order 25 or more in one order from the club.

Survivor queen nucs \$265.00

Nucs \$225.00 - \$245.00

OLD SOL APIARIES

John (541-582-2337)
P.O. Box 1765, Rogue River, OR
oldsolbees@gmail.com
<https://oldsolbees.com>

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing.

Last year's prices from their website – local pickup only

May Survivor Stock nucs	\$275
May Caucasian nucs	\$300
June Survivor Stock and June Caucasian nucs	TBD

Old Sol Super nucs have a double-vetted, mated, marked Survivor Stock or Caucasian queen with 6 medium frames of bees and stores. Fits into an 8-frame wooden, medium box. Nuc contains a 1-gallon frame feeder with cap and ladder system to prevent drowning and burr comb.

OLYMPIC WILDERNESS APIARY

Dan & Judy Harvey (360) 928-3125
46492 Hwy 112, Port Angeles, WA 98363
harbees@olypen.com
www.wildernessbees.com

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing.

Last pricing we have for them. Visit their website to fully understand their offerings:

Local PNW bred wild survivor stocks – Caucasian, VSH – Russian -- feral hybrid

Summer available breeder queens

1-3 with breeder queens	\$350 each
4-11 with breeder queens	\$300 each

Complete colonies – July - September

1-3 full woodenware colonies \$400 each

4 or more full woodenware colonies call for pricing and availability

PACIFIC NORTHWEST BEES

Battle Ground, WA 98604
(360) 574-5614
www.pnwbees.com
robert@pnwbees.com

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing.

Last pricing we have for them:

Pick up in Battle Ground/Prairie Bluff late April to early May – check website for ordering and details. Queens are bread in the PNW. Two types of nucs available - mated queen and overwintered mated queen.

- 5-frame nuc \$195.00
- 3 lb. package \$195.00
- Queens bred in PNW \$ 45.00

RAINY DAY BEES

Peter Nolte (206) 519-8505

Seattle, WA

peter@rainydaybees.com

<https://rainydaybees.com>

2026 information and pricing.

See website for complete information and ordering

- Golden West deep 5-frame nucs - \$300
5 deep frames of healthy bees, brood, honey, and a queen in a reusable plastic nuc box. The Olivers' nucs' queens are raised in their nuc, so you will never get an unaccepted queen in a cage. We include 1 pound of pollen supplement to be fed to the bees during poor weather. No box returns necessary. Nucleus hives must be picked up in Shoreline or Carnation. We do not ship bees.
- Locally raised spring & summer nucs - \$275
8 medium frames of healthy bees, brood, honey, and a queen in a reusable plastic nuc box. Spring nucs will be made up with an Italian or Carniolan queen. Summer nucs are made by request. Please inquire about available races for Summer nucs via email before ordering.
- Package Bees - \$190-\$200 depending on race
3 lbs. of bees with choice of Italian, Carniolan, Saskatraz, or Golden West queen; no box refund.

ROBBINS HONEY

Harvard Robbins (253) 588-7033, (253) 370-0842

7910 148th St. SW, Lakewood, WA

robbinslh@aol.com

Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 4:00 pm; Saturday 12:30 pm – 4:00 pm

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing.

Last pricing we have for them:

No packages

5-frame nucs available in April

\$165.00

SAMCO HONEY

www.samcohoney.com

Samcohoney@gmail.com

Samuel Guga (253) 332-1485

Family-owned apiary in Orting, WA since 2005 – pick up in Orting

Check website for ordering and details

2026 information and pricing

- 5-frame Italian's \$194.99
- 5-frame Carniolan's \$194.99
- 10-frame colonies may be available

SEATTLE HONEYBEES

<https://facebook.com/Seattlehoneybees>

Kathy Cox & Tracy Klein

2026 Information and Pricing

I'm starting to take orders for my limited supply of local spring nucs. Don't wait, they sell out fast! Pick up in Seattle in the spring (late April or May, weather dependent). All my queens are locally mated, have varroa hygienic properties, and are marked. None of my bees travel to the almond orchards.

Purchase options:

- 5-Frame deep nuc in cardboard box: \$275
- 5-Frame deep nuc in plastic ProNuc box: \$285
- 8-Frame medium nuc in used wooden hive box with screened top: \$300

Specify whether you'd like an over-wintered or spring queen while supplies last.

DM me for Venmo or Zelle payment options and/or questions.

SEOLA BEE COMPANY

Brad Jones (206) 612-1068

10204 35th Ave. SW, Seattle, WA

West Seattle area

brad@seolabeecompany.com

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing.

Will have packages or nucs from California

Call to reserve – he will order and set price once he knows demand.

SKAGIT VALLEY BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION – Seth Smith

Seth Smith (360) 770-0481

seth_smith@live.com

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing

Last information we have for them:

Nucs will be available about mid-April through first week of May

- \$145 for members of Skagit Valley Beekeepers Association
- \$150 for non-members

SNOHOMISH BEE COMPANY

<https://snohobeeeco.com>

403 Maple Avenue, Snohomish, WA 98290

(360) 568-2191

2026 Information and Pricing from their website

We source our honeybees from some of the top honey producers in Northern California who continually monitor for mites and sickness throughout the year. Our honeybee packages are transported in the least stressful way with the packages arriving healthy and strong.

3 lb. and 4 lb. Italian package	\$214.00
3 lb. Carniolan package	\$214.00
3 lb. Saskatraz	\$219.00
3 lb. Golden West	\$224.00

STANWOOD BEE COMPANY

Tim Welsh: (425) 681-5793

18524 Swanson Lane

Stanwood, WA 98292

<https://stanwoodbeeco.com/products/5-frame-honeh-bee-nuc>

2026 Information and Pricing from their website

5-frame nuc in plastic corrugated nuc box or installed directly into your beehive at time of pickup. Pickup in April by appointment only. Check details and order from website.

• 5-frame nuc (Carniolan, Carnica, Italian, Saskatraz, Ankle bitters)	\$245
• Mated queen	from \$ 50
• Brood frame with bees	\$ 80

TARBOO VALLEY WOODENWARE AND HONEYBEES

Frank and Gloria Neal

(360) 301-1850

1029 Dabob Road, Quilcene, WA 98376

gloria@tarboovalleywoodenware.com

<https://www.tarboovalleywoodensaare.com>

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing

Last pricing we have for them:

Washington distributor for Old Sol Survivor Stock Nucs (Varroa resistant stock) from Oregon. There is a 1-gallon frame feeder in nuc with cap and ladder system to prevent drowning and burr comb. Nucs contain double vetted, marked survivor stock mated queens. 10% discount, on supplies, to anyone buying bees before bees arrive.

Old Sol Survivor nucs in deeps or Super nucs \$230.00

Old Sol Caucasian nucs in deeps or Super Nucs \$250.00

Old Sol Survivor Queens \$ 50.00

Old Sol Caucasian Queens \$ 75.00

Kevin Trepainer

Bellingham, WA

2026 listing on Facebook

Contact Kevin through Facebook for information and ordering

- Overwintered nuc \$190
- 2026 nuc \$200

VALORBEES, LLC

Dustin Leishman (253) 262-9922
32409 48th Ave, S, Roy, WA 98580
dustin@valorbees.com
www.valorbeesllc.com

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing

Last pricing we have for them:

Veteran owned and operated business. 10% discount for military and 1st responders.

Available in April

- 5-frame Carniolan nucs \$180

WEST HILL BEE PRODUCTS

Adam Frank (253) 839-1942

Auburn, WA

westhillbeeproducts@yahoo.com

Contact for 2026 pricing and information

Only had queens available in 2025. Call or email for details.

WHATCOM BEE COMPANY

Michael Jaross (360) 483-9754

<https://whatcombeehelp.com>

<https://whatcombeehelp.com/contactmichael>

2026 information and pricing from their website

See website for instructions and details. Limited quantity so get on list early. Available late May to early June

- 10-frame nuc \$320
- 5-frame nuc \$270

WOODS BEE COMPANY

(360) 623-3359

bees@woodsbeeco.com

<https://woodsbeeco.com>

919 West Reynolds Ave., Centralia, WA 98531

Store open Tuesday through Friday 12-5 and Saturday 10-2.

Orders taken online or by phone – see website for details -- pickup in Centralia pick up times will be 6-10AM on pick up days or an after dusk pick up time can be arranged.

2026 information and pricing

5-frame nuc \$200 (\$100 down payment due by end of March reserve)

Our nucs come with about 3 pounds of bees already established in a 5-frame colony with a Carniolan Queen (a hardy, gentle breed). This small colony consists of brood in all stages of development, with pollen and honey giving it everything it needs to grow. Most importantly, our nucs are raised in the Great Northwest.

10-frame colony \$275

These fully established 10-frame colonies with a Carniolan Queen (a hardy, gentle breed) consists of a large colony of bees at all stages of development. Brood, pollen and honey frames give colony everything it needs to grow. Most importantly, our bees are raised in the Great Northwest. You must provide the transportation boxes for transport as this is only the frames and bees.

20-frame colony \$375

These fully established 20-frame colonies with a Carniolan Queen (a hardy, gentle breed) consists of a large colony of bees at all stages of development. Brood, pollen and honey frames give colony everything it needs to grow. Most importantly, our bees are raised in the Great Northwest. You must provide the transportation boxes for transport as this is only the frames and bees.

WOODLAND BEE COMPANY

Jason (206) 880-0277

Ballard area of Seattle, WA

jason@woodlandbeecompany.com

www.woodlandbeecompany.com

Contact them for 2026 information and pricing.

Last pricing we have for them:

3 lb. Carniolan package	\$165.00 --Venmo discount \$160 – Cash discount \$155
Italian nuc	\$200.00