

## Honey Extractor Loan Agreement

#### **TERMS**

- 1. Free for the first 2 days. \$10 each day for the next 5. After that it is \$25/day.
- 2. Down payment/deposit of \$25.
- 3. Must be a current member of WillBees
- 4. Provide correct and accurate contact information
- Return clean or a \$10 charge will be assessed

#### **CAPPING**

- 1. A Comb Capper has been provided to you. It rests on a bucket to hold a frame while the knife is used to remove wax caps.
- 2. Follow instructions and watch the video at http://www.combcapper.com

#### **EXTRACTING**

- The extractor must be balanced while in use: Place it on a firm level surface and be sure honey frames are of roughly equal weight distribution
- 2. Use the covers per instructions on the attached sheet. <u>Do not lean on the covers.</u>
- 3. Spin at a steady consistent rate for several minutes. There is no benefit to speed vs time.
- 4. Allow spun honey to flow out of the gate before it reaches the bottom of the baskets.
- 5. This is a tangential extractor; after spinning one side of the frames, you must turn them around and spin the other side as well.

#### **CLEANING**

- 1. Use warm to hot water with a soft cloth.

  <u>Do not use anything rough and abrasive.</u>
- 2. There is no reason to disassemble the extractor for cleaning.

#### **Equipment**

- Extractor w/lids
- Bucket
- · Comb capper
- Knife
- Capping scratcher
- 400/600 µm screen





# IMPORTANT Special Safety Instructions



When you put the lid on the extractor you must be able to read the embedded writing on the lid (or warning label if applied). STEP 1- Hold the lid at a 45 degree angle. STEP 2- Place the plastic tees down on the right sides of the hinge. STEP 3- Slide to the left so that the left side of the tee goes in the secured bracket. Once it is secured you should be able to lay the lid down. **CAUTION:** While the lid is down the clear plastic should not be overlapping any part of the yel-

low hinge on either side.



The ball bearing can get stuck on the bottom of the shaft. Be aware if you lift the shaft.

The bearing must be well lubricated with food grade grease.

Bottom of Barrel (inside) Ball Bearing The Shaft sits on Ball





### **CAUTION Cleaning Instructions** -

To clean extractors, use warm to hot water with a soft cloth. Please do not use anything rough and abrasive on extractor. If the extractor is still not clean you may use a small amount of dish soap. There is no need to disassemble the extractor while cleaning it. If you feel the need to disassemble the extractor please be aware of the small ball bearing on the bottom of the extractor.