



Guildford Shoppers take a shine to the honeybee at White Lion Walk!



On Saturday 16th July, shoppers at White Lion Walk had a sweet surprise as the centre hosted a Honey Day to celebrate the first batch of local honey produced fresh from the bee apiary on the roof.

As part of White Lion Walk's 'Bee Awareness' campaign, the day featured a variety of stalls all with a honey theme. From candles to cupcakes and even some bee beauty products, there was something to interest everyone. However, the main attraction was the centre's very own observation hive which showed the bees hard at work. The hive proved a huge success with the public, with crowds constantly coming through the doors to catch a glimpse of the queen bee and her workers.

Centre Manager, Steve Cotney, commented: "It was amazing to see so many people interested in our honeybees. It is a project close to my own heart and not many people are aware that the honey bee has, in fact, been in serious decline over recent years. Our Bee Awareness campaign has proved incredibly popular so far and I can only thank the shoppers who purchased our first batch of honey, I am sure they will enjoy it."

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