**My Bee-Friendly Garden**

Many of our essential pollinating insects are in serious decline due to wide-spread use of pesticides and habitat loss. We want to create a wide corridor of wild flower gardens, hedgerows and meadows between Marlborough and Pewsey to provide forage for honey bees and other insects. Transition Marlborough’s Permaculture Group are working with the Pewsey Environmental Action Team (PEAT) in order to map all the bee-friendly gardens and meadows between Marlborough and Pewsey.

Is your garden bee-friendly? If you would like us to put it on the bee corridor map, please sign below.

I confirm that:

* I do not to use any toxic insecticides or herbicides in my garden.
* I do not use fertiliser on my lawn (to allow wild flowers to grow) and conserve bumblebee nests by only cutting either part or all of the lawn to no less than 10-15cm from the soil surface.
* I grow the following bee-friendly wild flowers:

Spring…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

Summer………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

Autumn……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

(Let us know if you would like a full list of bee-friendly plants)

* I leave grassy tussocks, wood piles and some parts of the soil undisturbed to preserve nests and hibernating places for bumblebees and solitary bees.
* I let one or two of my brassica plants flower in the Spring.

Name:……………………...……………………………………. House number:.….…. Postcode:……………………

Do you have honey bee hives on your land?……………………...

Email:………………………………………………………...

Please return this form to [permaculture@transitionmarlborough.org](mailto:permaculture@transitionmarlborough.org) and include a recent picture (landscape size) of your garden, so we can put it on a digital map.