



rethink food+waste film series

about the film

QUEEN OF THE SUN: What Are the Bees Telling Us? is a profound, alternative look at the global bee crisis from Taggart Siegel, director of *THE REAL DIRT ON FARMER JOHN*. Taking us on a journey through the catastrophic disappearance of bees & the world of the beehive, this engaging & ultimately uplifting film weaves an unusual and dramatic story of the heartfelt struggles of beekeepers, scientists & philosophers from around the world including Michael Pollan, Gunther Hauk & Vandana Shiva. Together they reveal both the problems & the solutions in renewing a culture in balance with nature.



the bee crisis

In the fall of 2006, newspapers around the United States began to publicize an unnerving phenomenon. Honeybees were mysteriously disappearing from beehives all around the nation. Dave Hackenburg, a outspoken beekeeper, and the first to raise a stir about the crisis, reported that bees were simply vanishing from his hives. That fall, beekeepers and commercial beekeeping enterprises around the country reported losses of 30% with some beekeepers reporting losses up to 90% of all of their colonies.

Join us for this fascinating film about our bee populations & hear from local experts on what we can do to nurture & protect them.

Saturday, June 16, 3:30-5:30 pm

Cafe for Contemporary Art

140 East Esplanade, North Vancouver

FREE Admission - Seating Limited to 40

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✂ we will add a 2nd showing to accommodate more if needed ✂

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