

# COUNTY CIRCULAR

## Derbyshire Young Farmers

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### **FORTHCOMING COMPETITIONS:**

**Members will be required to show Membership Cards at all County, Area and National Competitions! From 1<sup>st</sup> September new membership cards will be required!**

#### **English Winter Fair NFYFC competitions**

Saturday 19 - Sunday 20 November 2011, live beef and carcass/live sheep and carcass competitions will take place in Bingley Hall, County Showground, Weston Road, Stafford, ST18 0BD.

#### **Beef (under 21 / Under 26)**

**A** Andrew Gregory-Campeau, Buxton and Lucy Thompson, Bakewell

**B** Alice Morley, Valley and Dave Buckley, Buxton

#### **Sheep**

**A** Jamie Fotherby, Buxton and Lizzie Merryman, Barlow

**B** Nicola Adams, Ashbourne and Laura Fotherby, Buxton

On the Sunday of the Fair, the committee are organising their usual YFC Stock and Carcass Judging Competitions.

#### **Live Beef (under 21 / Under 26)**

Chris Chester, Pleasley and Kate Wainwright, Ashbourne

#### **Beef Carcass**

Scott Merryman, Barlow and Ben Bakel, Barlow

#### **Live Sheep**

Faye Russell, Derby and Andrew Wilson, Ashbourne

#### **Pig Carcass**

Robert Gratton, Buxton and John Battye, Valley

## CLUB ACCOUNTS

At the end of your club's financial year, will all retiring club treasurers send an **audited** copy of their accounts to County Office. The Federations financial year end is 31<sup>st</sup> August, will all clubs please pay any outstanding debts to the County Treasurer - Stacey Bush as soon as possible.

## Club Officer Training - Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> October

Co-ordinator - Jo Stubbs (07792 283438) [jo.stubbs@live.co.uk](mailto:jo.stubbs@live.co.uk)

Wild Park Leisure, Brailsford at 9.30 am followed by a paint ball session at 12.30 pm to which any member is welcome to attend at a cost of £20 each. Lunch is provided for members participating in the training.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October - Executive AGM, Duke William, Matlock at 8.00 pm

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November - Field Officers Meeting, Duke William, Matlock at 8.00 pm

Friday 5<sup>th</sup>/Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> - National Council Meeting

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November - County AGM, Council Chamber, County Hall, Matlock at 8.00 pm

## YEAR BOOK 2011 - 12

Co-ordinators - Ruth Battye (07971 237814) [battyeruth@hotmail.com](mailto:battyeruth@hotmail.com) and

Kate Wainwright (07980 850992) [kate\\_wainwright@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:kate_wainwright@hotmail.co.uk)

Ruth and Kate are this year's editors and will be chasing you for club reports etc. The retiring Club Secretary should send **ALL** the requested material to Ruth by **Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October**. Page sponsorship remains at £5 and sponsorship forms are available from County Office or speak to your club secretary. Clubs will be required to sponsor the pages on which their reports fall. Kate would like all the advertisements by **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September**

## PUBLICITY

Publicity Officer - Dawn Wainwright (07815 188582) - [hd2703@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:hd2703@hotmail.co.uk)

## DISCOVERY

Discovery Co-ordinator - Bob Dronfield (07805 337754) - [jimbobdronfield@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:jimbobdronfield@hotmail.co.uk)

The brochure, application forms and guidelines for discovery trips are now available on the NFYFC website at: [www.nfyfc.org.uk/Discovery](http://www.nfyfc.org.uk/Discovery), and a copy of the brochure has been sent out with the Ten26 newsletter. Please encourage your members to apply. The closing date is Monday 14 November 2011 and all applications are to be sent to the NFYFC office. Selection Day interviews will be held on Saturday 3 December 2011 at the NFU headquarters in Stratford-upon-Avon.

## **SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE**

*Safeguarding Officer - Stacey Bush (07973 828741)*

For those of you needing CRB checks, I need to see 3 forms of ID. At least one from passport, driving licence, birth certificate or firearms licence and two others which can be from the same list or utility bill, bank statement, insurance certificate, addressed payslip, vehicle registration document or P45/60, etc.

## **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

*Health and Safety Officer -Peter Winfield*

## **FARM CRISIS NETWORK HELPLINE - 0845 367 9990**

**RABI** - *Milly Wastie (07525323450)* - [millywastie@btconnect.com](mailto:millywastie@btconnect.com)

I was hoping that some of your clubs might be interested in supporting RABI welly week again this year from 8<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> October. The fundraising pack and flyer have been emailed to the previous club secretaries. I have lots of support materials and ideas and so if anyone has any queries please field them my way!

I am also available for club presentations too,

## **PROGRAMME POINTERS**

**COUNTY ROADSHOW** - Contact Bob Dronfield 07805 337754

### **British Wool Marketing Board (BWMB)**

British Wool Marketing Board representatives can deliver talks to club meetings and provide training events. Please contact Gareth Jones, BWMB's Producer Relations Manager, 07590 355885 [garethjones@britishwool.org.uk](mailto:garethjones@britishwool.org.uk) and the BWMB [website](#).

### **DART**

Apprenticeships in the agricultural sector and what candidates could possibly achieve in the workplace. Contact Darren Pearson 07584244003

*If you have a good club meeting - please share it with others!*

## **200 CLUB**

*200 Club Co-ordinate - Alex Birch (07595 618300) - [alex-in-nz@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:alex-in-nz@hotmail.co.uk)*

	July	September
£20	David Wainwright	Peter Edge
£10	Pat Morton	Nigel Birch
£5	Joe Bosworth	Mr and Mrs Thorp

### **The Snowploughing Event 2012**

Due to popular demand The Snowploughing Event have secured 100 more spaces for their ski trip to Les Arc on the 6th-14th Jan.

Whether you are a complete beginner or pro snow rider hit the slopes with like-minded Young Farmers this winter. The Snowploughing Team have an action packed week planned for you all with lessons, a Ski Championship, valley rally, fancy dress, live music, mountain meal and much more. Get involved and book now online to avoid disappointment

([www.snowploughing.co.uk](http://www.snowploughing.co.uk) & follow the Book Now link). If you have any queries please email [snowploughing@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:snowploughing@yahoo.co.uk) - this trip is run independently of NFYFC.

Flight upgrades are available from a variety of airports. Our bargain price of £399 for travel, accommodation & lift pass should not be missed!

### **Cheltenham Race Day - 13 November 2011**

YFC members and associate members are again invited to a special VIP Race Day on the final day of the prestigious Open Meeting at Cheltenham Racecourse, the most important event for jump racing prior to Christmas. NFYFC's annual Race Day at Cheltenham is a fantastic day out. It provides the perfect opportunity to enjoy a day of top-class racing and entertainment with fellow YFC members and guests. Prices for tickets are £22 per person for YFC members and £27 for associate YFC members and guests. Ticket Application Form from County Office or contact Emily Johnson at NFYFC

### **Leicester Tigers - Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> January**

Would you like to go to a match for the 11/12 season on a discounted rate? We are hoping to get all the young farmers down to one match which will be Leicester Tigers vs London Wasps on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2012. Is this something that interests you? Then contact: **Rob Smith**, Group Sales Executive 0116 217 1216 or 0751 508 3150

### **NFYFC NEWS - <http://www.nfyfc.org.uk>**

New editions to the YFC club shop!!

We now have in stock welly keyrings in **red, blue, yellow and green** at £1.02 each.

Club shop order forms can be downloaded from the NFYFC website at:

[www.nfyfc.org/clubshop](http://www.nfyfc.org/clubshop).

## NFU National Tenant Farmers Conference 2011

The NFU is offering YFC members 20 free places to attend the NFU National Tenant Farmers Conference on Thursday 10 November 2011, 9.30am - 4.15pm at Harper Adams University College, Newport, Shropshire, TF10 8NB.

The conference will start with coffee at 9.30am, followed by an introduction from the principal of Harper Adams David Lewellyn. The morning session will focus on National and policy issues. The speakers will include the Minister of State for Agriculture & Food, Jim Paice MP, TRIG Chairman Julian Sayers and NFU President Peter Kendall. An afternoon session titled 'Opportunities to Create Success' and the speakers will include William Gemmill, Strutt & Parker, Bertie Ross, Chief Executive, Duchy of Cornwall and two tenant farmer case studies who have succeeded in the tenanted sector. The event will close at 4.15pm.

Please contact [sarah.palmer@nfyfc.org.uk](mailto:sarah.palmer@nfyfc.org.uk).

## MEMBERSHIP FIGURES - 31<sup>st</sup> August 2011

CLUB	MEMBERS	ASSOCIATE	TOTAL
ASHBOURNE	67	06	73
ASHOVER	59	01	60
BAKEWELL	73	01	74
BARLOW	22	02	24
BELPER	48	00	48
BUXTON	53	00	53
DERBY	35	02	37
HOPE VALLEY	40	04	44
PLEASLEY	28	07	35
SMALLEY	14	00	14
TOTAL	439	23	462

## COMPETITIONS CHAMPIONSHIP

Teams must give 7 days notice if they withdraw from a subsequent round or forfeit the points on the competitions table.

Competition	Asb	Aso	Bak	Bar	Belp	Bux	Der	Vall	Ple	Sma
B/F	114	87	145	24	65.5	152	72	49	93	28.5
Efficiency/Safet	7	8	5			6		9	10	
Fence Erecting	8		10			7		9	6	
ATV	7		6			10		8	9	
Stock Judge	8		7		6	10		9		
Stockman	9		7		6	10		8		
Rally	8	6	7	1	5	10	3	9	4	2
TOTAL	161	101	187	25	83	205	75	101	122	31
Position	3 <sup>rd</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	7 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	8 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	9 <sup>th</sup>

## COMPETITION RESULTS

### Area Stockman

3<sup>rd</sup> Glen Mosley - Buxton  
6<sup>th</sup> Lena Wragg - Buxton  
8<sup>th</sup> Alice Morley - Valley  
10<sup>th</sup> Asher Seddon - Ashbourne  
14<sup>th</sup> Jo Adams - Ashbourne  
15<sup>th</sup> Ben Thorley - Ashbourne

### Area Stock Judge

1<sup>st</sup> Andrew Gregory-Campeau - Buxton  
2<sup>nd</sup> Alistair Bland -Valley  
4<sup>th</sup> Joanne Gregory - Bakewell  
6<sup>th</sup> Lucy Bland - Valley  
9<sup>th</sup> Matthew Clark - Valley  
10<sup>th</sup> Lucy Woods - Ashbourne  
11<sup>th</sup> Rachel Oven - Ashbourne

### Area Junior Cycling

3<sup>rd</sup> Andrew Gregory-Campeau - Buxton  
4<sup>th</sup> Alistair Bland -Valley

### Area Tug of War

Men 1<sup>st</sup> Bakewell  
3<sup>rd</sup> Ashover

Ladies 3<sup>rd</sup> Bakewell  
5<sup>th</sup>= Ashbourne

### Lincs Show Stockjudging - 4<sup>th</sup> Derbyshire

Dairy - 2<sup>nd</sup> Oliver Easom - Ashover and 14<sup>th</sup> Jonathan Hayes - Pleasley (team - 6<sup>th</sup>)  
Beef - 11<sup>th</sup> Andrew Gregory-Campeau - Buxton and 12<sup>th</sup> Kate Wainwright (team - 7<sup>th</sup>)  
Sheep - 8<sup>th</sup> Jamie Fotherby - Buxton and 1<sup>st</sup> Laura Fotherby - Buxton (team - 1<sup>st</sup>)  
Pig - 6<sup>th</sup> Jack Wooton - Ashover and 1<sup>st</sup> Dawn Wainwright - Ashbourne (team - 1<sup>st</sup>)

### Area Efficiency with Safety

1<sup>st</sup> Pleasley

### Area Cube Exhibit

1<sup>st</sup> Bakewell

4<sup>th</sup> Valley

**National Dodgeball**

7<sup>th</sup> Buxton

**National Dairy Judging**

Senior - 16<sup>th</sup> Jo Adams, Ashbourne

Intermediate - 13<sup>th</sup> Julie Mellor, Buxton

Junior - 28<sup>th</sup> Matthew Porter, Pleasley

**National Stock Judge**

4<sup>th</sup> Andrew Gregory-Campeau, Buxton

13<sup>th</sup> Alistair Bland, Valley

**National Efficiency with Safety**

3<sup>rd</sup> Pleasley

**National Men's Tug of War**

1<sup>st</sup> Bakewell

**National Cube Exhibit**

5<sup>th</sup> Bakewell

**National Floral Art**

Senior - 16<sup>th</sup> Hannah Gregory-Campeau, Buxton

Intermediate - 22<sup>nd</sup> James Gregory-Campeau, Buxton

Junior - 17<sup>th</sup> Libby Bettney, Bakewell

**National Junior Speaking**

4<sup>th</sup> - Laura Poole, Buxton; Louisa Robinson, Bakewell and Jack Wootton, Ashover with Louisa taking the trophy for the best speaker.

**National Just a Minute**

5<sup>th</sup> - Scarlett Allen, Derby; Joe Birch, Bakewell; Hannah and Andrew Gregory-Campeau, Buxton

**National After Dinner Speaking**

4<sup>th</sup> - Libby Bettney, Bakewell; Sean Brister, Derby; Katie Mellor, Hannah Mosley and Lydia Slack, Buxton

**National Junior Member of the Year**

3<sup>rd</sup> = Lucy Woods, Ashbourne

**National Junior Cycling**

5<sup>th</sup> Alistair Bland - Valley

**National A2 Fashion Board**

10<sup>th</sup> James Gregory-Campeau, Buxton

**CONGRATULATIONS.....**

*If you have any club announcements i.e. births, marriages, engagements, extraordinary exam or career achievements, send details to County Office*