**CHAIRMAN/SECRETARY NEED TO READ THIS OUT!**

**Derbyshire YFC Weekly Update!**

Live and Carcase Judging @ English Winter Fair - Members who will be representing Derbyshire for the Live and Carcase Judging: **Beef** Derbyshire A – Sam Woolley and James Hodgkinson, Derbyshire B – George Hammersley and Molly Astley.  **Pig** Derbyshire A – Ruth Rastrick and Matthew Clark, Derbyshire B – John Armitage and Zara Bowden.  The live judging will take place on **Saturday 17th** from 2pm and the carcase on **Sunday 18th November** from 9am.

Members who qualified for the Staffs YFC competitions on **Sunday 18th November – Live Lamb** (A) Suzie Cooper and Sam Botham, (B) Robert Webster.  **Live Beef** (A) Lucy Bland and Jessica Langton, (B) George Walker.  **Lamb Carcase** (A) Rosie Deakin and Martha Bland, (B) Vicky Beal and Jake Williams.  **Pork Carcase** (A) Anna Wildgoose and Ben Wildgoose.  We still have spaces in the B teams for Live Lamb, Live Beef and Pork Carcase **if any club members would like to judge then please inform County Office asap**

Ten Pin Bowling – on **Sunday 25th November** only two entries have been received, are any other clubs planning to enter?

Vision:2023 Strategic Plan Working Group - The NFYFC is currently recruiting YFC members to form a working group to contribute to the development of Vision:2023, a strategic plan for the NFYFC.  The Job Role and a call for Expressions of Interest are attached.

County Tops – We are having some more county tops (rugby and polo shirts, hoodies and body warmers)printed they will be navy with white writing ‘**peak of perfection**’ on the reverse, YFC logo on one breast, your name on the other.  An order form is attached and all orders are required by **30th November**

Projector – The county projector is for sale at £50, initially to clubs but if there is no uptake it will be advertised on ebay.  The lens requires some attention.

**Other Organisations**

[Camping Barn - vote for us now in the Aviva Community Fund](https://community-fund.aviva.co.uk/voting/project/view/4-2402?fbclid=IwAR0I3j6TL2Ai51Rtosyn7Y70CFmPubzknTJ2zp10LE3RgUXREbOdPdIOBqo)

[A Sanctuary is a rare thing in this busy world, help us share it with all we can. Seeing a person bloom and flourish is a wonderful joy, This is what makes us proud.](https://community-fund.aviva.co.uk/voting/project/view/4-2402?fbclid=IwAR0I3j6TL2Ai51Rtosyn7Y70CFmPubzknTJ2zp10LE3RgUXREbOdPdIOBqo) Please can you help to get votes for the project run at High Ashes, Ashover.  Click on the link and vote 10 points.  <https://m.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=2203137373052762&id=1138432886189888>

Farmers Weekly Ag Careers Live is a free event held on the **Thursday 15th November** from 10:00 – 15:00 at Villa Park, Birmingham

**YFC Forthcoming Dates** **!**

Midlands Machinery Show at Newark Showground **Wednesday 21st and Thursday 22nd November**

County AGM on **Thursday 22nd November** at in the Council Chamber, County Hall, Matlock DE4 3AG starting at 8pm.   Please ensure all last year’s award winners return the trophies: Junior Achievement – Callum Neville, **Ashover** and Kirsten Bradbury, **Ashbourne;** Club Efficiency and Membership – **Hope Valley;** Competitions – **Buxton;** Presidents Award – **Ben Bakel.** In addition to their Executive committee representatives each club can send 10 further representatives,

Ten Pin Bowling competition on **Sunday 25th November** at the Genesis Centre, Alfreton DE55 7DQ at 7.00pm

Field Officers meeting **Thursday 29th November**

YFC Travel Interviews on **Saturday 1st December**

Finance and Management Committee - **Thursday 6th December**

North West Christmas Ball **Friday 14th December** Pavilion Gardens, Buxton SK17 6BE

North East Christmas Party on **Saturday 22nd December**

#YFCSki19 – **Saturday 5th–Saturday 12th January 2019**, Belle Plagne, France

EMA Train the Trainer course is being held on **9th and 10th of February 2019** at the Mount Cook Adventure in Derbyshire.

**Please note the Derbyshire YFC website is:** [**http://www.derbyshireyfc.org.uk**](http://www.derbyshireyfc.org.uk) **and the NFYFC website is:** [**http://www.nfyfc.org.uk**](http://www.nfyfc.org.uk)

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***County Administrator***

**Derbyshire Federation of Young Farmers’ Clubs**

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Office Hours:

Monday and Thursday 10.30 am – 4.00 pm

Thursday 8.00 pm – 10.00 pm

Friday 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm