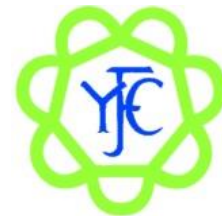




# MEMBER'S NEWS



February 2020

County Office is open Monday-Thursday 9am-5pm and Friday 9am-4:30pm.

Outside of these times please email. Contact us on 01423 865870 or email [office@yfyfc.org.uk](mailto:office@yfyfc.org.uk)

## We are on the mooooooooooove!

As we leave the EU, our thoughts turned to succession planning and ensuring that YFYFC was fit for the future. We were offered an exciting opportunity which would safeguard the Federation. The Trustees, with permission from the Executive Committee, did some number crunching and we are delighted to announce that County Office will be moving to the Regional Agricultural Society from 10<sup>th</sup> February 2020. The office will be based at the Yorkshire Showground in Harrogate and this development will open up new opportunities for the members and also enable sub committee meetings to be hosted in a warm and welcoming environment. We would like to take this opportunity to thank our current landlord Harrogate Borough Council and Knaresborough House staff for their ongoing support during our relocation process.

We are hoping this move will encourage members to visit the offices more often and get involved with meetings. Please do pop by and visit us!

## Annual Forum – 21<sup>st</sup> February 2020 at CCM Auction Mart, Skipton

Once again we are thrilled to be hosting the Forum kindly sponsored by Crombie Wilkinson and hosted by CCM Auction. Our theme this year is "Can you take the reins?" and will focus on succession planning. Panellists include our very own George Gill from Boroughbridge Young Farmers, Ian Collins from Church Farm, Dewsbury, Crombie Wilkinson specialist solicitors, Helen Herd from H&M Accountants, John Akrigg from WBW Surveyors, The Samaritans and will be chaired by myself. It should be a good informative evening, so please do get your name down and come along and discuss your farming future!

Best wishes Georgina Fort, County Chairman

## County Public Speaking and Sports 2020

Congratulations to all our members who competed in Public Speaking and Sports, it was a great turnout and the competition was fierce! Highlights included:

Senior Member of the Year – Rachel Goldie

Junior Member of the Year – Jacob Ryder

Winning District in Public Speaking – Craven A

Kwik Cricket – Harrogate A

Ladies Netball – Harrogate A

Mens 5 aside Football – Harrogate

**For a full round up of the results, please check out the website.**

**Next round: NORTHERN AREA WEEKEND 29<sup>th</sup> February/1<sup>st</sup> March 2020**

The Public Speaking and commercial dance will be held on the Saturday 29th February 2020 and the Sports and Wntertainments will be on the Sunday 1st March 2020 at Longridge High School, Preston. Please ensure you have returned your next round slips.

Don't forget you can access information and important Club and District documents from the YFYFC website

[www.yfyfc.org.uk](http://www.yfyfc.org.uk)

## ***Stock Judging Training & Guide***

Please contact County Office if your club would like stock judging training or copies of the stock judging training guide.



### Upcoming Competitions



County Stockman – Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2020, Ruswarp, Whitby

Northern Area Weekend 29<sup>th</sup> February/1<sup>st</sup> March 2020, Preston

County Clay Shoot – Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2020, Penistone

County Bowling – Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2020, Ten Pin, York

**2 forms of ID will be required at the above competitions**

*Over 18 – 2 Photo ID (Driving Licence, Passport, gun licence for shooting etc)*

*Under 18 – Membership Card and Parental Consent Form*



### **!!! MEMBERSHIP CARDS !!!**

**\*New\* Membership Forms for 2019/2020  
have been sent to Club Secretaries**

Please can all members be aware that membership forms must be in the office a minimum of **TWO WEEKS** before an event or competition.

All cards will be posted back to your Club Treasurer.

### **\*\*YFYFC WEBSITE\*\***

***New for February 2020:  
County Sports & Public  
Speaking results and  
photo gallery***

### **Friends of YFYFC**

**'Friends of YFYFC is alive & kicking'**

**If you or anyone you know would like to be a friend of YFYFC please contact the County Office and we will forward them a renewal form**



### **IMPORTANT – CLUB & DISTRICT AGMs**

Your club and district secretary will be receiving your AGM pack to help you with your AGM.

Please return your Officer Return Form – this is the only way County Office knows who is who in your club or district. We also need your Charity Commission form, audited accounts and signed Constitution. Thank you!



## MEMBERS NEWS

Remember to send all your clubs events and do information to the office & we will do our best to advertise it for you.

Selby YFC

70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner Dance

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2020

At York Racecourse in the Voltiguer Suites



Tickets £50

Dress code: Black Tie

For tickets contact Dan 07548 556662

Reeth YFC  
Domino and Whist Drive



Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2020 7.30pm  
Reeth Memorial Hall

£4.00 entry  
Supper and raffle

All welcome

Boroughbridge YFC

Annual Dinner Dance  
Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2020  
At Wetherby Racecourse



Tickets £35

Dress code: Black Tie

For tickets contact Rosie 07975 863522

## **MACHINERY MAINTENANCE AND SAFETY WORKSHOP**



Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2020 7:30pm

kindly hosted by Peacock Binnington, Selby

Open to members aged 16+ with a current membership card.  
Limited spaces – book early!



## **Club/County Events & Dances**



YFYFC presents

Valentines Dance

With a Tarts & Vicars fancy dress theme

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2020



At The Engine Shed, Wetherby

Tunes by DJ Ed Marshall Tickets £10 each

See poster for more details

## SHOWS & EVENTS

You can borrow -  
Marquee, Banners, Flags &  
Mascot to help you promote  
YFC at Shows and Events:

Please ask your Club Secretary for an item  
booking form



Regional Agricultural Centre, Great Yorkshire Showground, Railway Road, Harrogate, HG2 8NZ

Tel: 01423 546170, Email: [office@yfyfc.org.uk](mailto:office@yfyfc.org.uk),  
[www.yfyfc.org.uk](http://www.yfyfc.org.uk), Registered Charity No. 504310



# Extra Info



## Dates for your Diary

Valentines Dance – 7<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Annual Forum – 21<sup>st</sup> February 2020

Spring Dance – 9<sup>th</sup> April 2020

County Rally Dance – 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2020

## DBS Forms – NEW INFO!!

All Club Leaders, Chairmen, Secretaries, Treasurers and regular drivers that **are over the age of 16 need** to have a DBS check.



Please contact County Office for more information and to book a visit to your club.

## Upcoming County Meeting Dates

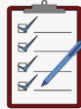
All held at the \*new\* YFYFC office (unless stated),  
Regional Agricultural Centre, Great Yorkshire Showground,  
Railway Road, Harrogate, HG2 8NZ, 7.30pm prompt

D&M Meeting – Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Competitions Meeting – Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2020

E, F&GP AGM Meeting – Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2020

Executive AGM Meeting – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2020 (Cairn)



## **Knarborough YFC**

### **Annual Charity Tractor Run**



**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

*All proceeds to Yorkshire Air Ambulance*

## Happy 18<sup>th</sup> Birthday in February to:



Once upon a time, we could celebrate your 18th birthday however our new Silo Cloud database cannot extract this information.



If you have a big birthday in February, we wish you a Happy Birthday!



## Happy 21<sup>st</sup> Birthday in February to:



Once upon a time, we could celebrate your 21st birthday however our new Silo Cloud database cannot extract this information.

If you are celebrating your 21<sup>st</sup> in February, we wish you a Happy Birthday surrounded by your YFC friends and family.