

COUNTY PROGRAMME 2015/16

All County Committee Meetings and Competitions will be held at the Duke William Public House, Church Street, Matlock, at 8.00 pm (unless otherwise stated)

September 2015

- Saturday 5th/Sunday 6th Farm Skills Weekend – Harper Adams, Shropshire
National Final: Stockman of the year (26 & under)
Young Stockjudge (16 and under), Efficiency with Safety and Fence Erecting
- Wednesday 16th UK Dairy Day – Telford, Shropshire
- Saturday 26th/Sunday 27th Malvern Autumn Show - 3 Counties Showground, Worcestershire
National finals: (Saturday) Cookery
(Sunday) Floral Art Competitions

October 2015

- Thursday 8th Events and Activities Committee AGM
August 200 Club draw
- Friday 9th County Dinner and Dance – Palace Hotel, Buxton
- Monday 12th East Midlands Area Committee Meeting – Seagrave
- Thursday 15th Finance and Management Committee AGM
September 200 Club draw
- Sunday 18th ‘Hannah’s Dashers’ – Great Birmingham Run
- Monday 19th Club Officer Training
- Thursday 22nd Junior Reading Competition
- Saturday 24th /Sunday 25th NFYFC Council Weekend
- Thursday 29th Executive Committee AGM
October 200 Club draw

November 2015

- Sunday 1st Sports Day – venue to be confirmed
- Monday 2nd/Sunday 8th NFYFC recruitment and retention campaign
- Saturday 14th The County Ball – Pride Park Stadium, Derby – to be confirmed
- Monday 16th East Midlands Area Committee AGM – Brackenhurst
- Saturday 21st /Sunday 22nd English Winter Fair – Stafford Showground
Live and Carcase Judging Competitions
National finals: Live & Carcase Beef & Lamb Competitions
- Thursday 19th Just a Minute Competition
- Thursday 26th County AGM – The Council Chamber, County Hall, Matlock
November 200 Club draw
- Saturday 28th/Sunday 29th County Chairman’s Weekend – Ilam Hall, Derbyshire
- Sunday 29th Ten Pin Bowling competition

December 2015

- Thursday 3rd Situations Vacant Competition
- Saturday 5th NFYFC YFC Travel Selection Day
- Thursday 10th Debating Competition
- Wednesday 16th EMA Staff Meeting – Thrussington
- Friday 18th North West Christmas Ball – Pavilion Gardens, Buxton (to be confirmed)

January 2016

- Saturday 9th -Saturday 16th NFYFC SKI Trip – Les Arcs
Thursday 21st Junior and Senior Speaking Competitions – venue to be confirmed
Thursday 28th Events and Activities Committee Meeting
December 200 Club draw
Saturday 30th Ballroom Dancing - Derby YFC Snow Ball – to be confirmed

February 2016

- Monday 8th East Midlands Area Committee Meeting – Brackenhurst
Thursday 11th Finance and Management Committee Meeting
January 200 Club draw
Saturday 13th/Sunday 21st NFYFC Under 18 Ski Trip – Saalbach, Austria
Sunday 14th **or** Performing Arts - Drama Competition and Radio Show Live -
Sunday 28th venue to be confirmed
February 200 Club draw
Thursday 18th Senior and Junior YFC Member of the Year Competitions – venue
to be confirmed
Saturday 20th/Sunday 21st NFYFC Council Weekend
Thursday 25th Executive Committee Meeting
March 200 Club draw
Sunday 28th **or** *Area eliminator:* Drama Competition – to be confirmed
Sunday 13th March

March 2016

- Friday 6th/Sunday 8th East Midlands Area Convention Weekend – Skegness
Area eliminator: Junior Speaking, Junior Reading, Situation
Vacant, Just a Minute, Debating, Senior & Junior YFC Member of
the Year, Radio Show Live, Show Choir, Mixed Volleyball, Mixed
Touch Rugby and Mixed Ultimate Frisby Competitions.
Evening: Ballroom Dancing Competition
Friday 25th/Monday 28th Easter

April 2016

- Saturday 2nd *Northern Semi-Final:* Junior Speaking, Just a Minute and
Debating Competitions – Retford
Sunday 2nd *Northern Semi-Final:* Drama Competition – Retford
Thursday 7th Junior and Senior Quizzes – venue to be confirmed
(Date tbc) Fence Erecting and Efficiency with Safety Competitions – North
West Region – to be confirmed
Thursday 21st *Area Final:* NFU Public Speaking Competition – NTU
Brackenhurst
(Date tbc) Stockman of the Year Competitions – North East Region – to be
confirmed
(Date tbc) Written Pub Quiz – North West – to be confirmed

May 2016

- Monday 2nd MAY DAY
Friday 6th /Sunday 8th NFYFC Annual Convention – Torquay
(Saturday) *National finals:* Senior YFC Member of the Year and Drama
Competitions

(Sunday) Show Choir and Ballroom Dancing Competitions
 Saturday 15th or 22nd Annual County Field Day and Rally – Southern Region
 – **to be confirmed**
 Qualifying rounds for Dairy Stockjudging, Cookery, Floral Art, ,
 Sugar Craft Cake Topper and Weathervane Competitions
 Monday 30th SPRING BANK HOLIDAY
 (Date TBC) Men's, Ladies and Mixed (12 - 18) Tug of War competitions
 (venue TBC)

June 2016

Thursday 2nd Events and Activities Committee Meeting
May 200 Club draw
 Monday 13th East Midlands Area Committee Meeting – Brackenhurst
 Thursday 16th Finance and Management Committee Meeting
June 200 Club draw
 Saturday 18th *Area eliminator:* Cake Decorating and Weathervane competitions
 – Nottinghamshire YFC Rally, Bingham
 Sunday 19th *Area eliminator:* Efficiency with Safety, Fence Erecting,
 Stockman of the Year and Junior Tug of War competitions –
 Houghton on the Hill, Leicestershire
 Thursday 23rd Lincolnshire Show
 Area - Dairy, Beef, Lamb and Pig Stockjudging Competitions
Area eliminator: Men's and Ladies Tug of War Competitions
 Saturday 25th/26th NFYFC Council Weekend
 Sunday 26th Derbyshire County Show
 Thursday 30th Executive Committee Meeting
July 200 Club draw

July 2016

Saturday 3rd/Sunday 4th National Competitions Weekend –
 (Saturday) *National Final:* Junior Reading, Junior Public Speaking, Just a
 Minute, Debating, Junior Member of the Year, Situation Vacant,
 Clay Pigeon Shooting, Sugar Craft Cake Topper, Radio Show Live
 and Weathervane competitions
 (Sunday) Mixed Volleyball, Mixed Touch Rugby and Mixed Ultimate
 Frisbee competitions
 Thursday 14th The Great Yorkshire Show
National Final: Junior and Intermediate Dairy Stock Judging and
 Dairy Linear Assessment competitions

August 2016

Wednesday 3rd/Thursday 4th Bakewell Show
 Saturday 6th Tenbury Show
National Final: Mens, Ladies and Junior Tug of War and Cube
 Exhibit Competitions
 Wednesday 10th Ashover Show
 Saturday 21st Ashbourne Show
 Monday 29th Hope Show
 Monday 29th BANK HOLIDAY

September 2016

Saturday 4th/Sunday 5th September

Farm Skills Weekend –

National Final: Stockman of the year, Young Stockman of the Year, Efficiency with Safety & ATV and Fence Erecting Competitions

Saturday 24th/Sunday 25th Malvern Autumn Show - 3 Counties Showground, Worcestershire

National finals: (Saturday) Cookery
(Sunday) Floral Art Competitions

October 2016

Thursday 6th Events and Activities Committee AGM
August 200 Club draw

Thursday 13th Finance and Management Committee AGM
September 200 Club draw

Monday 17th East Midlands Area Committee Meeting – Seagrave

Thursday 20th Junior Reading Competition

Saturday 22nd /Sunday 23rd NFYFC Council Weekend

Thursday 27th Executive Committee AGM
October 200 Club draw

Sunday 30th Sports Day – venue to be confirmed

(TBC) Club Officer Training

(TBC) County Dinner and Dance –

November 2016

(TBC) The County Ball –

Monday 14th East Midlands Area Committee AGM – Brackenhurst

Saturday 19th /Sunday 20th English Winter Fair – Stafford Showground
Live and Carcase Judging Competitions

National finals: Live & Carcase Beef & Pig Competitions

Thursday 17th Brainstrust

Thursday 24th County AGM – The Council Chamber, County Hall, Matlock
November 200 Club draw

Sunday 27th Ten Pin Bowling competition

December 2016

Saturday 3rd NFYFC Discovery Selection Day

Thursday 8th After Dinner Speaking Competition