CHAIRMAN/SECRETARY NEED TO READ THIS OUT!

Derbyshire YFC Weekly Update!

Annual County Rally - Saturday 27th April at Holly House Farm, Shottle,

Belper, DE56 2ED bkpo the Dilks family.

Entries - Barlow and Buxton please forward your Rally Entry Form asap!

Raffle Tickets - if any clubs would like some more raffle tickets, please

contact County Office.

Trophies - We are still missing some trophies which need to be returned and

valued before the Rally: Barlow or Belper - Des Wragg Shield (afternoon

games); Pleasley - J I Fearn Trophy (Matt Porter, tractor driving); Bakewell

- Bratby Tankard (signed for by Dan Bettney in 2016); Ashbourne - Food &

Farming trophy (signed for by Mark Limer 2018); Hope Valley - Prudential

Trophy and Buxton Ag Soc Cup (both signed for by Dan Marsden in 2017);

Buxton - Reg Stoppard Trophy (signed for by Olivia Slack 2018); Southern

Region Clubs - Field Day Trophy and SR Stock judging Trophy (not returned

for a number of years). All Clubs - BSM Shield (not returned for a number

of years. Please will you all check and ask previous club officers and

return the trophies by the end of the week to either Hannah, Drew or Jane

Rally Dance at Biggin Village Hall, SK17 0DL, limited to 200 tickets which

will be available at the Rally. ID must be shown when exchanging ticket for

an over 18 wristband, no ID no wristband. 16/17 year olds allowed but must

have a pre-purchased ticket and need to hand in a completed parental consent

form when purchasing a ticket. Form attached.

NFU Senior Speaking on Wednesday 17th April at Brackenhurst Campus, NG25 0QF

starting at 7.30pm. Good Luck to both teams: Isobelle Rodgers, Olivia

Slack, Catherine Bunting, Jess Buxton, Ruth Rastrick and Emily Topham.

Succession pilot training event - You are invited to join fellow YFC members

for a pilot training session of the new NFYFC Ready and Resilient succession

training module on Thursday 18th April starting at 6.30pm. At the Lady

Eastwood Meeting Rooms, Newark Showground, Lincoln Rd, Coddington, Newark

NG24 2NY. Details are attached, book a place with

<mailto:Sarah.Palmer@nfyfc.org.uk> Sarah.Palmer@nfyfc.org.uk

AGRI - April newsletter is attached.

\* If your club has news of YFC events to share in your KUHN regional

dealership, please send details to <mailto:Sarah.Palmer@nfyfc.org.uk>

Sarah.Palmer@nfyfc.org.uk on a PowerPoint slide.

\* Please note that the venue for the next AGRI farm visit has changed

to Clacks Farm, Wallingford on Wednesday, 22 May

\* Defra has published an open consultation on Reforming agricultural

tenancies in England. AGRI will consult with YFC members to submit a

response (consultation closes 2 July 2019).

If any YFC members have any issues or concerns to raise, please do get in

touch.

Other Organisations

The Young Farmers Festival which was due to have taken place in Leamington

Spa on 3rd - 5th May has been postponed until 2020. Everyone who has already

bought tickets will have their money refunded

YFC Forthcoming Dates

April:

Thursday 25th - Closing date: Junior and Senior Quizzes

May:

Thursday 2nd - Events and Activities committee, Matlock Meadows, DE4 2JG

Friday 3rd - Closing date: Stockman of the Year

Saturday - 4th Staffs YFC After Rally Disco, Bloor Farm, Hales, TF9 2QB.

[<https://www.facebook.com/events/486472158550206/>](https://www.facebook.com/events/486472158550206/)

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Thursday 9th Junior and Senior Quizzes

Friday 10th Closing date: Clay Pigeon Shoot

Sunday 12th NFYFC final Entertainment competition, The Spa Centre, Royal

Leamington Spa, CV32 4HN

Sunday 12th NFYFC AGM, Stareton Hall, Stoneleigh Park, CV8 2LG

Saturday 18th Bakewell YFC Cheese and Wine Night Cressbrook Hall, Buxton,

SK17 8SY

Sunday 19th Stockman of the Year - Hall Farm, Cutthorpe, S42 7AR bkpo the

Wood family

Sunday 26th Clay Pigeon Shoot - Quarry Farm Shooting Ground, Eastmoor, S42

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June:

Saturday 22nd County Mid-Summer Ball

July:

Monday 15th - Monday 22nd July host family required for a young lady from

Norway

October:

Friday 11th County Dinner and Dance

Please note the Derbyshire YFC website is:

[<http://www.derbyshireyfc.org.uk>](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) <http://www.nfyfc.org.uk>

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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