

**HEREFORDSHIRE FEDERATION OF YOUNG FARMERS' CLUBS**  
**JUNIOR FIELD DAY 2010**  
**SUNDAY, 25th JULY COMMENCING AT 10.00 AM**

**To be held at Kimbolton, Herefordshire**  
**by kind permission of the Smith Family**

**GENERAL RULES**

1. All the following competitions are open to members who are ten years of age or over on Sunday, 25th July 2010 and sixteen years of age or under on 1<sup>ST</sup> September 2009.
2. Each Club may make a limit of two entries in each competition except where otherwise stated. It will be the entry scoring the highest number of marks which will be the one counted towards the Cup.
3. No competitor may enter more than **four** competitions (practical and staged) bearing in mind that the whole programme is now timed. Once the competition has commenced no more entries will be accepted.
4. Club Exhibits can be set up from 9am onwards and must be complete by 10.30am ready to be judged.
5. In competitions with size limits; for any items that are oversize, 5% of the marks scored will be deducted per 25mm, or part thereof over the amount stipulated in the rules up to a maximum of 100% of the marks
6. In competitions with time limits marks will be deducted if the allocated time is exceed at the following rates:

<b>Competition length</b>	<b>Penalty</b>
up to 30 mins	5% of total marks per minute or part there of up to a maximum of 100% of the marks
31 mins to 60 mins	5% of marks scored per two minutes or part there of up to a maximum of 100% of the marks
61 mins to 120 mins	5% of marks scored per five minutes or part there of up to a maximum of 100% of the marks
121 mins and over	5% of marks scored per ten minutes or part there of up to a maximum of 100% of the marks

7. All work carried out towards any of the competitions in the Junior Field Day schedule must be carried out unaided by a member who is sixteen years of age or under on 1st September 2008.
8. Exhibits in all classes must remain in position until prize giving has taken place, entries will be disqualified if removed before this time and points will not count towards Junior Field Day Cup.
9. The NFU Cup will be awarded to the Club gaining the highest aggregate marks.
10. The W.O. Backhouse Perpetual Challenge Trophy will be awarded to the Runners-up.
11. The E.D. Bevan Perpetual Challenge Trophy will be awarded to the Club gaining the highest marks in the Stockjudging Classes.
12. The Mr & Mrs Homfray Cooper Trophy will be awarded to the Club gaining the highest marks in the Exhibit competition. (Class 15)
13. The Sue Whittall Trophy will be awarded to the Club gaining the highest marks in the Home Economics competitions. (Classes 9, 11 & 16)
14. The Roger Williams trophy awarded to the Club gaining the highest marks when dividing the number of members into the total marks gained.
15. In all cases the Chief Stewards decision is final.
16. The Junior Field Day Entry Form is to be completed and returned to the YFC Office, Beech Business Park, Tillington Road, Hereford HR4 9QJ **by**

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2010,**  
**Late entries will not be accepted.**

Health and Safety requirements must be adhered to at all times and, where applicable, checks will be made.

Competitors are required to wear a white stockjudging coat in all practical competitions with the exception of Class 8 when overalls should be worn.

Please contact Miss Laura Jones Competitions Chairman, on 07966960708 if you have any queries regarding the following competitions.

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**SCHEDULE OF COMPETITIONS**

**Class 1            DAIRY STOCKJUDGING**

This competition has already taken place.  
Maximum marks 100.

**Class 2            SHEEP STOCKJUDGING**

This competition has already taken place.  
Maximum marks 100.

**Class 3            BEEF STOCKJUDGING**

This competition has already taken place.  
Maximum marks 100.

**Class 4            PIG STOCK JUDGING**

This competition has already taken place.  
Maximum marks 100.

**Class 5            LAMB STOCKJUDGING**

This competition has already taken place  
Maximum marks 100.

**Class 6            MYSTERY STOCKJUDGING (start time 11.00 am)**

Open to TWO competitors per club.

Competitors will be required to place in order of merit a ring of four mystery live or static items and give reasons for their placing.

Maximum marks 100.

**Class 7            JUNIOR FEELY BOX CHALLENGE (11.00am)**

Open to TWO competitors per club.

Competitors will be required to identify eight items by feel whilst blindfolded. A maximum of one minute will be allowed to identify each item. In the event of a tie, the number of items identified in the fastest total time will determine the position.

Marks awarded will be 100 marks for 1st place, 95 for second, to a minimum of 40..

**Class 8            MACHINERY (10.30 am)**

Open to ONE TEAM of TWO competitors per club.

ONE competitor will be required to carry out basic daily checks on a tractor and hay bob, the second competitor will be required to carry out basic daily checks on a hatchback car and change a wheel.

Time allowed 20 minutes per task.

Maximum marks 100.

**Class 9            A LUNCH BOX SUITABLE FOR THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN  
(Staged competition) (11.00 am)**

Open to TWO competitors per club.

Competitors will be required to have made up a lunchbox suitable for the County Chairman. Fresh dairy products that require refrigeration are not permitted.

Maximum marks 100.

**Class 10 FLORAL EXHIBIT (Practical competition) (11.30 am)**

Open to ONE competitors per club.

Each competitor will be required to produce an exhibit to the theme "A WEDDING ANNIVERSY" Table space allowed 75 cms wide x 60 cms deep maximum x unlimited height. No part of the exhibit may extend beyond the allotted space. FRESH PLANT MATERIAL ONLY. Accessories allowed complementing the theme, Competitors to provide all their own materials. Competitors may only compete in one of the two floral art classes (class 10 & class 29)

Maximum marks 100.

Time allowed ONE hour.

**CLASS 11 COOKERY – 4 CHOCOLATE BROWNIES (Staged competition) (11.00am)**

Open to TWO competitors per club

Competitors will be required to make and suitably display a plate of 4 Chocolate Brownies and bring to the competition.

Maximum marks - 100

**Class 12 POT LUCK (1.30 pm)**

Open to ONE team of TWO competitors per club.

Competitors need to report by 1.00 pm. All materials will be supplied on the day. A change of clothes may be advisable for this competition.

Maximum marks 100.

**Class 13 NOVELTY COMPETITION (Practical competition) (12.30 pm)**

**TRACTOR OBSTACLE RACING**

Open to ONE team of TWO competitors per club

Each team will take it in turn to compete round an obstacle course against the clock.

Maximum marks 100 for first place, 95 for second place scaling down by 5 marks for each team, Minimum of 40 marks for participation.

**Class 14 VEGETABLE LANDMARK COMPETITION (Practical competition) (11.00 am)**

Open to TWO competitors per club.

Competitors will be required to make a model of **A LANDMARK of your choice** predominantly from vegetables or fruits.. No equipment will be provided and competitors need to bring Fruit / Vegetables and appropriate equipment, knives, boards and cocktail sticks etc. The maximum time allowed will be 30 minutes. Maximum marks 100 marks.

**CLASS 15 EXHIBIT to be staged ready for judging at 10.30 am (judging is to be finished no later than 1.00 pm – see Activities Minutes 10<sup>th</sup> September 2007)**

- a) Each Club may enter ONE Exhibit
- b) The theme of the Exhibit to be "My Farm". All articles made by members to be clearly labelled and five different crafts are to be clearly marked 1 to 5 so that the Judges can award points for these individual crafts. All crafts must have been made during the past 12 months by members 16 years of age or under and over 10 years of age. Craft items must not have been used at a previous Junior Field Day.
- c) Marks will be awarded for craftsmanship, soundness of planning, clarity, ingenuity and accuracy of presentation.
- d) Emphasis in judging will be laid on the depth of research into the theme, and amount of material in the Exhibit made by members of the Club taking into account item b) above.
- e) All Exhibits to be staged by members – adult help will be allowed to set up framework only.
- f) Maximum size of Exhibit to be 6ft x 2ft 3in to be brought ready made to assemble. Maximum height 3ft 4in from table top. The front of the table may be covered and may be used as part of the Exhibit.
- g) Battery power may be used in the Exhibit but not a car battery and safety requirements must be adhered to. No mains electricity will be available.
- h) Maximum marks 400. A table will be provided.

The two highest placed Exhibits will be invited to compete for Herefordshire at the Three Counties Show **2011**.

### **CLASS 16 CAKE DECORATING (practical competition) (12.30 pm)**

Open to TWO competitors per club.

Competitor will be required to decorate two ginger bread men to the theme "MR & MRS FARMER"  
Competitors to provide all their own equipment (including Ginger bread men ) Competitors must wear white coats.

Maximum marks 100.

Time allowed ONE HOUR.

### **Class 17 STAGE FRIGHT!! (11.30 am)**

Open to ONE entry per Club consisting of:

- A team of up to six performing members
- And one 'judge' member to sit on the judging panel

**PROCEDURE** – The idea of this competition is that the performing members of the team will be given five minutes on stage to present any talents they may have. There is no restriction on what is performed, however marks will be given for creativeness of the talent and performers– so get your thinking hats on – anything goes, be it juggling, mime, plate spinning or hula hooping!

The judging panel will be made a member 'judge' and also two master judges who will be oversee the competition in the normal manner.

In addition, each competing 'judge' will be matched with a performing team from another club and will be asked to give spoken feedback and positive comments about this team when they have performed.

A draw will be done before the competition commences to match a competing 'judge' with a performing team from another club. Eg Performing Team A with Judge B, Performing Team B with Judge C, etc

#### **SCALE OF MARKS -**

Performing team:

Presentation	40
Originality	20
Overall effect	<u>40</u>

Judge	50
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Total Maximum Marks	150
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**MICROPHONE/MUSIC** – should teams require the use of a microphone/music system, they are asked to advise the County Office at least **10 working days prior to the Junior Field Day** what their requirements will be.

### **Class 18 A RECYCLED OUTFIT (11.00 am)**

Open to TWO competitors per club.

Competitors will be required to make and bring to the competition a **RECYCLED OUTFIT** made out of more than one type of fabric and decorated to the theme "CELEBRITY" competitors own design and choice. Outfits are to be suitably displayed and worn by a senior club member/club leader. **The Senior Club Member or Club Leader is to wear T-Shirt and Shorts at the start of the competition and must hold a valid current membership card.**

#### **SCALE OF MARKS -**

Design	30
Workmanship and Fit	40
Use of materials	10
Overall effect	20

Total Maximum Marks	100
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### **CLASS 19 FACE PAINTING (Practical competition) (2.30 pm)**

Open to ONE team of TWO competitors per club.

Competitors are to face paint **ONE** Senior Club Member or Club Leader to the theme "ANY ANIMAL". No work whatsoever to be undertaken before the start of the competition. No other materials/accessories allowed. Members must supply their face paints. All exhibits to parade. **The Senior Club Member or Club Leader is to wear T-Shirt and Shorts at the start of the competition and must hold a valid current membership card.**

45 minutes will be allowed.

Maximum marks - 100

### **CLASS 20 WEAKEST LINK (1.00 pm)**

Open to ONE competitor per club.

The competition will run similar to the television show except for not 'banking' the money. The questions will be on general knowledge. After each round of questions voting will take place and the weakest link will be voted off.

The winner will get a 100 marks, 95 for second, 90 for third and so on. Minimum 40 marks.

### **CLASS 21 WOODWORK (11.00 am)**

Open to TWO competitors per club.

Competitors will be required to make and bring to the competition a **BIRD BOX** made out of **wood**. Design and size to be of the competitor's own choice, up to a maximum size of 30 cms height x 20 cms depth x 20 cms width.

#### **SCALE OF MARKS -**

Construction	40
Design	40
Finish	20

Total Maximum Marks                      100

### **CLASS 22 PHOTOGRAPHY (11.00 am)**

Open to TWO competitors per club.

Competitors to photograph and display 3 photos depicting the theme "**Out on the Farm**".

Each photograph is to be **150mm x 100mm** (6" x 4"). Entries must be mounted on A3 sized mounting card (297mm x 420mm). Digital photography is allowed but enhancements may not be made. All photographs must have been taken in the past 12 months.

Maximum marks 100

### **CLASS 23 WELLY WANGING (3.00 pm)**

Open to TWO members per club. Wellies are to be wanged underarm and not from the foot. The competitor wanging the welly the furthest distance will receive 100 marks, second furthest 95 marks, to a minimum of 40.

### **CLASS 24 EGG WHISKING (3.30 pm)**

Open to TWO competitors per club. Competitors will be required to BEAT AN EGG. Competitors to bring their own materials and equipment. Competitors will be required to separate two eggs using the shells as separators and to whisk the whites with a balloon whisk until firm, holding the bowl upside down over the head when ready.

The team with the quickest time will receive 100 marks, second quickest 95, to a minimum of 40.

**CLASS 25        GENERATION GAME (12 noon)**

Open to TWO teams of TWO competitors per club. Teams will be required to complete a set of 4 tasks against the clock.

The team with the quickest time will receive 100 marks, second quickest 95, to a minimum of 40.

**CLASS 26        JELLYCASTLE DECORATING (11.30 am)**

Open to TWO teams of TWO competitors per club. Competitors will be required to bring a jelly castle to the competition and decorate. Competitors to provide all equipment and decorations. White coats must be worn. Maximum 100 marks

**CLASS 27        DESIGN A 'WANTED' POSTER (11 am)**

Open to TWO competitors per club. Competitors to design a "Wanted" poster for the County Chairman on an A4 piece of paper.

Maximum 100 marks.

**CLASS 28        PEA GRAB (12 noon)**

Open to TWO competitors per club. Competitors will be required to move peas from a container into another using a drinking straw. Time allowed 1 minute.

The team with the highest number of peas moved will receive 100 marks, second 95, to a minimum of 40.

**CLASS 29        FLORAL EXHIBIT (12.30pm)**

Open to one competitor per club. Each competitor will be required to produce an exhibit to the theme "A WEDDING" Table space allowed 45 cms wide x 45 cms deep maximum x unlimited height . No part of the exhibit may extend beyond the allotted space. FRESH PLANT MATERIAL ONLY. Accessories allowed complementing the theme, Competitors to provide all their own materials. Exhibit to be viewed from all sides. Competitors may only compete in one of the two floral art classes (class 10 & class 29)

Maximum marks 100.

Time allowed ONE hour.

## Competition Timings

### Sunday 25th July

<u>Class No.</u>	<u>Class Description</u>	<u>Start Time</u>
<b><u>Staged</u></b>		
15	Junior Exhibit	10.30 am
18	A recycled outfit	11.00 am
21	Woodwork	11.00 am
22	Photography	11.00 am
9	A lunch box suitable for the County Chairman	11.00 am
11	A plate of 4 chocolate brownies	11.00 am
27	Wanted poster	11.00 am
<b><u>On Stage</u></b>		
17	Stage Fright!	11.30 am
20	Weakest Link	1.00 pm
24	Egg Whisking	3.30 pm
<b><u>Practical</u></b>		
8	Machinery	10.30 am
6	Mystery Stock judging	11.00 am
7	Junior Feely Box Challenge	11.00 am
14	Model - vegetable landmark	11.00 am
10	Floral Exhibit	11.30 am
26	Decorate a Jelly Castle	11.30 am
25	Generation Game	12.00 noon
16	Cake decorating – gingerbread men	12.30 pm
13	Novelty - tractor obstacle racing	12.30 pm
12	Pot Luck	1.30 pm
19	Face Painting	2.30 pm
23	Welly wanging	3.00pm
28	Pea grab	12 noon
29	Floral Exhibit	12.30 pm