



Worcestershire Federation of Young Farmers' Clubs

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WORCESTERSHIRE FEDERATION OF YOUNG FARMERS' CLUBS

MEMBER OF THE YEAR COMPETITION 2017-18 (18 YEARS & OVER)

VENUE: Droitwich High School, Briar Mill, Droitwich, WR9 0AA

DATE & TIME: **Sunday, 10th December 2017. Time 11:30am.**

ENTRY FEE: £10

ENTRY FORMS: Completed entry forms together with the correct Entry Fee and completed synopsis must be returned to County Office by **Monday, 6th November, 2017** in order to post to judges.

REPRESENTATION: Clubs may enter up to 4 members (2 male & 2 female).

KEY SKILLS: To encourage YFC members to share their experiences as a Young Farmer, reflect and evaluate their contributions and achievements in YFC and the wider community through an application

OUTCOMES: Communication skills, presentation skills and personal development skills

TROPHIES: Miss YFC Trophy, Mr YFC Trophy.
Overall prize will be given for Member of the Year

Entry Form from _____ YFC for Member of the Year (18 & over)
Competition 2017-18

Entry Fee: **£10**

Name	Membership Number

Enclosed: **Synopsis MUST be handed in with this Entry form, together with the correct fee of £10 per competitor.**

Signed _____ (Club Officer)

**This entry form to be returned to County Office, Shires Farm, Hawford, Worcester
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NATIONAL FEDERATION OF YOUNG FARMERS' CLUBS
Competitions Programme 2017 - 18

Status FINAL
08.07.2017
Eliminator

NFYFC Member of the Year
(18 years & over)

R U L E S

COMPETITION AIMS

To encourage YFC members to share their experiences as a Young Farmer, reflect and evaluate their contributions and achievements in YFC and the wider community through an application and interview process.

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Communication skills, presentation skills and personal development skills

REMINDER: Read in conjunction with **NFYFC General Rules**. Further information can be found at <http://www.nfyfc.org.uk/CompetitionsResources/competitionsresources>

1. DATE & VENUE

1.1. After Area Eliminators, the National Final will be held in conjunction with the 2018 Annual Convention, Blackpool. Venue to be confirmed. Interviews and stage interviews will take place on Saturday 5th May 2018 with an announcement of results during the Annual General Meeting on Sunday 6th May 2018.

2. REPRESENTATION

2.1. Counties may enter one competitor per 600 members or part thereof in Area Eliminators.
2.2. Areas will be represented by **one** competitor in the Final competition.
2.3. Member of the Year competitors are eligible to compete in a second NFYFC final on the same day if applicable.

3. ELIGIBILITY

3.1. The competitor must be 18 years or over and 26 years or under on 1st September 2017 and a full member of a Club affiliated to the NFYFC.
3.2. If the competitor through to the National Final has to withdraw from the competition, then the next highest placed competitor will represent the Area.
3.3. **All substitutes must have been eligible to compete in the County Final.**

4. PROCEDURE

4.1. **PART 1: 28 DAYS prior** to the National Final competitors will be required to submit to the Competitions Department at NFYFC a completed synopsis form (attached) to be no more than 2 sides of A4, detailing their YFC activities. It is recommended that this form be used at County and Area level. (Special emphasis should be placed on their involvement at Club level).
4.2. **PART 2:** Competitors will be interviewed by a panel of Judges, in an informal atmosphere at the Annual Convention.
4.3. **PART 3** : Competitors will be required to attend the Pantomime finals at the Annual Convention during which they will be asked two questions on stage, one previously asked in the interview stage and another based on the competitor's contribution to the YFC movement.
4.4. **PART 4** : Results and Presentation of Awards will be made during the AGM at the Annual Convention.

5. OBJECTIVES

5.1. The objective of the competition is to select a member who has shown that they are involved in all aspects of the YFC Movement. Judges will be looking for:

- Involvement at Club level for period of membership

- Overall YFC involvement (i.e. Club, County, Area **or** National)
- Specific involvement in activities in the previous 12 months (conservation, competitions, recruitment, programming, charity, sport, club officer)
- General commitment to YFC - awareness of other members' interests in YFC and objective view of the future of the organisation
- Knowledge of the YFC movement at Club, County, Area and National levels and to share that knowledge over the 12 month period following the final

6. **SCALE OF MARKS – Total 100 marks from Formal Interview and Stage Interview**

7. **AWARDS**

7.1. *Total Butler Fuels Plaque and TAMA Award to the winner.*

NFYFC Prize Cards awarded to competitors placed 1st and 3rd all other competitors will be awarded = 4th

YFC MEMBER OF THE YEAR 2017-2018 (18 years & over)
Synopsis Form

Name:		
Date of birth:	Age (on day of the competition):	YFC Membership Card No:
Occupation:		
Name of YFC Club:	YFC County Federation:	
Year first joined YFC:		

YFC History – posts held:

YFC Involvement (please record YFC activities you have participated in)

Club

County

Area/Wales

National

Proudest moment in YFC (so far!)

Ambitions in YFC

Ambitions outside YFC

Hobbies and interests outside of YFC

Additional Information