Dates to remember.....

Sat 30th June	National Competitions Day - Stafford Dorset YFC Fencing Team competing, our Situations Vacant Entry and our Dream Machine Mood Board also competing - Good Luck!
Sun 1st July	National Competitions Sports Day—Stafford Dorset YFC Dodgeball team competing - Good Luck!
Sun 8th July	Dorset YFC Clay shoot Competition Kindly organised by Sturminster Newton and Hermitage & Hillfield YFC. Manor Farm, Hillfield, DT2 7BA. 10.00am—4.00pm
Wed 11th July	9 Club Meet Kindly organised by Sturminster Newton YFC, a talk at Michael Eavis' farm at 3pm, please arrive for 2.45pm prompt, please can clubs email Amie Harris from Sturminster Newton YFC the amount of members who can attend. Postcode BA44EE
Thurs 12th July	Great Yorkshire Show National Dairy Stock Judging Competition. Good luck to our Dorset YFC members
Sat 14th July	Blackmore & Sparkford Vale Hunt Supporters Club Hunt Supporters Summer Ball Inwood
Sun 15th July	Blackmore & Sparkford Vale Hunt Supporters Club - Summer Lunch Inwood
Fri 20th July	Cowboys & Indian's SWA Summer Dance The Tropicana, Weston Super-Mare
Sat 21st July	Marshwood Vale YFC presents their Neon Party and Laser Clay shoot Dunster Farm, Broadoak, Bridport
Wed 25th July	Dorset YFC Management Meeting 6.00pm start Courtyard Classroom, Kingston Maurward College
Wed 25th July	Dorset YFC Executive Meeting 7.30pm start Courtyard Classroom, Kingston Maurward College
Sat 28th July	Beaminster YFC Party Details to be confirmed shortly
30th July— 1st Sept	The County Office is now on School Holiday time and will only be open on Tuesday and Thursday's unless notified.
Sat 4th August	Tenbury Show NFYFC Tug of War Finals
Tues 14th August	9 Club Meet Kindly organised by Beaminster YFC, a visit to Thatcher Brewery, only open to members aged 15+ and limited numbers. Please contact Beaminster YFC direct. Details have been forwarded to all clubs.
Wed 15th August	Gillingham & Shaftesbury Show Dorset YFC stand Organised by Gillingham & Shaftesbury YFC and Sturminster Newton YFC
17th - 20th August	Junior SWA Activities Weekend Brecon Beacons - have fun everyone.
Thurs 23rd August	Melplash Show Dorset YFC stand organised by Beaminster YFC and Marshwood Vale YFC

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Dorset YFC Grasslands Competition

On Friday 15th June Dorset Grassland Society ran the Grasslands Competition which was held at Clanndon Farm in Martinstown. A big thank you to them and to Mr Nick Finding and Gary Hawker for hosting. Many YFC members took part which was great to see. This is one of the popular YFC events competition wise. A big well done to everyone who took part and attended but especially to our winners. Our Senior winner was Max Hiscock from Sturminster Newton and our Junior winner was Henrietta Love from Sherborne YFC

	1st	2nd	3rd
Senior	Max Hiscock Sturminster Newton YFC	Lucy Wallbridge Beaminster YFC	James Billen Marshwood Vale YFC
Junior	Henrietta Love Sherborne	Georgie Dyer Wareham & Purbeck YFC	Poppy Burrough Marshwood Vale YFC

Dorset YFC Mock Auction Competition

On Saturday 23rd June clubs headed to Knaveswell Farm, Corfe Castle. The competition was kindly hosted by Mr Paul Dyer. Our Auctioneer for the event was Mark Northcott from Symonds and Sampson, a big thank you to him for assisting with this competition. There was good attendance for the competition from a few clubs and the weather was excellent for the day. Well done to Wareham & Purbeck YFC for organising this event again this year. Congratulations goes to the winners for the day, James Barnes from Wareham & Purbeck for Overall winning Team and to Marshwood Vale YFC who won the Valuation Cup.

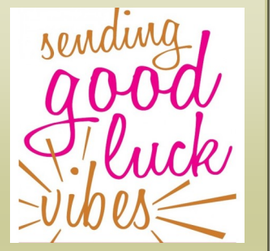
Cup	1st	2nd	3rd
Overall	Wareham & Purbeck YFC James Barnes	Results to follow and will be updated on our website	Marshwood Vale YFC Lindsey Gubbins & Tom Turner
Valuation	Marshwood Vale YFC Lindsey Gubbins & Tom Turner	Results to follow and will be updated on our website	Marshwood Vale YFC Steven Bailey & Dan Johnson

You don't have to be a Farmer to join the Young Farmers!

SWA Competitions Day late results in Stockman of the Year Well done and thank you for representing Dorset YFC	Junior - Thomas Hoskin Senior - Hannah Martin	17th 14th

NATIONAL FINALS

National Competitions Days



Good Luck to Poppy Burrough from Marshwood Vale YFC who will be competing in the Dream Machine Mood Board and Situations Vacant at Nationals this weekend, Rob Knight, Louis Davis and Craig Derrick from Puddletown YFC competing in the National Fencing Finals. This will take place on Saturday 30th June 2018. Also good luck to our Junior Dodgeball team from Puddletown YFC, Tristan Hayter, Stanley Hoskin, Jack Hollowbread, Megan Taylor, Charlie Wareham, Dennis Goode and Jake Coleman also thank you to Henrietta Love and Emily Mitchell from Sherborne YFC who have stepped in at the last minute to make a full team. They will be competing on Sunday 1st July 2018. We wish you all the best of luck, have fun and enjoy the day !!

National Dairy Stock Judging Competition

Good luck to Emily Mitchell (Sherborne YFC), Helen Holder (Sherborne YFC) and Isobel Minshall (Marshwood Vale YFC) who

9 Club Meet

A big thank you to Wareham & Purbeck YFC for starting the new 9 Club Meet evenings which was a Rounder's evening held at Kingston Maurward College in June. It went extremely well and it was great to get the members together. Please keep an eye out of on calendar for more meetings or speak to your Club Secretary and come along and join the fun!

GDPR Forms - IMPORTANT

As you are all aware from my emails the GDPR (General Data Protection Register) information is now in place. If you haven't already replied to my email about signing up please do so asap so that we can carry on sending you information and involving you within the Dorset Federation of Young Farmers. If you have not received an email or letter from the office please email me and I will send you out of a copy of the form.
Email: office@dorsetyfc.org.uk Thank you

Date for your Diaries

South West Area Competitions day is being held by us at Kingston Maurward College on Sunday 9th June 2019, if you can help with judging or stewarding please let me know in the County Office

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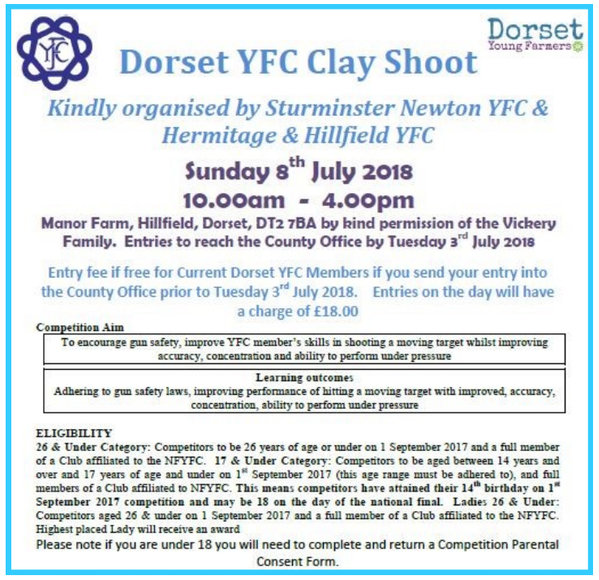
Public · Hosted by Marshwood Vale YFC



Chairman's Message

Hi all.

After the wet spring we had it's no surprise that June has been a hot & dry month and forecast looking much the same into July. I hope everyone has been making the most of the weather, whether you're making hay or just outside having a BBQ!

June saw the first of hopefully many 9 club social evenings, kindly organised by Wareham & Purbeck YFC. Many went along to play rounder's and had a great evening. We've got the next two meetings confirmed and organised by Sturminster Newton YFC & Beaminster with visits to Michael Eavis' farm and the Thatchers Cider Ltd!

Well done to the teams that competed at the Grasslands competition & Mock auction, a big thank you to everyone who helped organise and host these competitions. They are both really enjoyable competitions and I highly recommend if you've not been before to go along next year!

Sunday 24th June was the Kingston Maurward College open day, a big well done to Hermitage & Hilfield YFC and Wareham & Purbeck YFC for manning the Dorset YFC stall for the day. It won't be long until show season kicks off!

All the best!

Mike

County Chairman