

OXFORDSHIRE FEDERATION OF YOUNG FARMERS'S CLUBS

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To: Club Secretary/Junior Club Leaders - Please pass the information
below
on to your members:-

COUNTY OFFICE

The office will be closed next week 12-16th September inclusive. Speak
to Katie or County officers listed above for any urgent enquiries.

COMPETITIONS

Competitions Entry Forms & Rules - A pack containing all this
information was issued at the Action Group meeting on Monday evening.
Intent to enter competitions along with payment back to County office
by 21st October please.

Senior Quiz - The first round is on Monday 17th October, your
confirmation of entry is required in County office by 30th September.

Junior Quiz - November 16th. Islip have offered to organise the quiz.

National Competitions Weekend - 8/9th October at Stoneleigh. I am
currently sorting out entries and details will be sent out on return
from holiday.

Meanwhile a list of competition times and disco information is
enclosed. I am not sure who won the team cookery at the rally - please
let me know if you think it is your club?

CLUB/COUNTY

Harvest Festival - OFYFC is invited to join the service at Eaton
Hastings church, near Faringdon on Sunday 9th October. A list of
offerings and detail of the time etc will be sent out to all clubs
shortly. Contact Louise, Faringdon YFC, for more information

International Evening - 21st September at A C Nielson, Social Club.
Junior and senior members welcome to go along a hear loads of
interesting and amusing tales of YFC members travels with the Discovery
Programme.

Witney Junior YFC are seeking new leaders to run the club. If you know
of anyone who might like to be invovled again with a club in a
leadership role, or have an interest in becoming invovled, please

contact Fiona Hook or Heather Barnett. There is plenty of parental assistance and the Autumn programme is well on the way to being sorted!

Draft County Programme 2005/6 - Copy enclosed. Please note Club at County dates have been set and host clubs allocated throughout the year. (Agreed at Action Group meeting 5th September). This year the evening will alternate thro Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Open Rally Meeting - at Agriculture House, Eynsham on 10th October, starting 7.45 for 8.00pm. Your opportunity to comment on the proposed rally schedule, which will be circulated beforehand. I am told if you don't attend the meeting to have your say you cannot expect to grumble later!!

Junior Leaders Get Together - 26th September at Katie's flat, she will be sending out directions and making cakes!

Web Site - Dan will have this ready by the end of the month. Please let him know of any links or information your club might like included.

NATIONAL/AREA/OTHER COUNTIES

2005/6 Insurance Schedule - Copy enclosed for your club. Please make sure all members are aware of the cover provided.

2006/7 Competition Programme - Copy of the proposed competitions issued by National enclosed. NB - this not next year but the year after. Any comment to Amy or Dan for report back to National.

GENERAL

OAYP Motiv8 - Flyer enclosed. The team is booked until the New Year but you can make a booking from then. Individual bookings or clubs might like to join together. The 'A' team is also available for bookings.

Countrywide Farmers - YFC's have been invited promote the clubs at their Autumn Store Events. The most local are Witney & Chipping Norton and so I have faxed intention to attend on these dates. Copy enclosed for Enstone and Witney clubs. If any other clubs would like to join in please ring me for list of dates.