

HEREFORDSHIRE FEDERATION OF YOUNG FARMERS CLUBS



PLOUGHING MATCH 2022

on

Saturday 24th September 2022

at

LOCATION TBC

COMPETITION RULES

IMPORTANT GUIDELINES

Please read the rules carefully and follow all instructions clearly, to avoid any mistakes or confusion.

- a) The closing date for entries to be received at the County Office is: **9PM ON MONDAY 29th AUGUST 2022. LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

We realise that some of the names on your entry form may change after this date. Providing the changes are notified to the competition steward this will cause no problem.

- b) All competing members must have a **VALID CURRENT MEMBERSHIP CARD INCLUDING A PHOTO**. If new membership cards are required, the authorised membership forms must be received by the County Office no later than the deadline date above, along with the Entry Forms. Please note that all membership forms received at the office must be signed by the member, as well as a Parent/Guardian if under 18 and must be signed and dated by the authorised Club Officer.
- c) Two sets of schedules are enclosed for each Club. A booklet set is for the Club Secretary's reference and the A4 stapled set is for dismantling and passing on rules to the competing members, you may need to copy extra.
- d) One entry form is enclosed per Club. This is for completion and to be returned to the County Office by the deadline, you can make a copy for your records in the back of the booklet copy where the entry form is included or please ask for a spare form to fill in. You can also complete an online copy from email or the website. All rules and entry forms are emailed to Club Chairmen and Secretaries in advance and posted out if not collected from the Office by a Club Representative.
- e) Any trophies relating to this competition held by any Club member must be returned to the County Office by the above deadline date, along with the entry form.
- f) Please make sure all competitors are aware of the competition rules and times.
- g) **HELPING MEMBERS WITH ADDITIONAL PHYSICAL or LEARNING REQUIREMENTS.** HFYFC seeks the inclusion of the full membership in its endeavours. Should a member require assistance to compete at a County Final due to any additional physical or learning requirements, every effort shall be made to ensure inclusion of any member with dignity, respect and confidentiality. HFYFC requests prior knowledge of assistance required in order to maximize the benefit to the individual.

TROPHIES

Trophy Name	Contributing Competitions/Awarded To
The Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup	Awarded to the Club gaining the highest aggregate marks in the Ploughing and Domestic Sections
The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup	Awarded to the Club gaining the highest marks in the Domestic Section
The Major H L F Bucknall (Four Counties Lubricants County Ploughing Cup) Challenge Cup	Awarded to the Club gaining the highest aggregate marks in the Ploughing Section
The W E Wilde Trophy	Awarded to the Competitor doing the best work with a Lemkin
The Cecil & Audrey Pritchard Cup	Awarded to the Best Overall Ploughman
The Autobrec Challenge Cup, donated by Autobrec Oils	Awarded to the Club gaining the highest marks in Classes 1 & 3 of the Ploughing Section
The Mr Geoffrey Thomas Challenge Cup, donated by Kington YFC	Awarded to the Club gaining the highest marks in Class 2 of the Ploughing Section
The FOCSA Shield	Awarded to the Club gaining the highest marks in the Junior Challenge (class 23)
The Charles Mayson Trophy	Awarded to the Competitor gaining the highest marks in the Soil Assessment/Crop Management competition (class 24)

COMPETITION TIMETABLE

Class No	Competition	Theme	Time
30	Bale Art Challenge	Farmyard Animals	Staged by 9pm on Monday 19 th September
1	Ploughing – unaided – Conventional U28		9am
2	Ploughing – unaided – Reversible U28		9am
3	Ploughing – unaided – Reversible U21		9am
4	Ploughing – unaided – World Style U28		10am
5a	Ploughing – aided – Reversible U28		9am
5b	Ploughing – aided – Conventional U28		9am
6	Display of Farm Produce		Staged by 10.30am
7	A Homemade Herefordshire Hamper		Staged by 10.30am
8	Junior Baking	1 Apple Pie	Staged by 10.30am
9	Intermediate Baking	1 Savoury Pasty	Staged by 10.30am
10	Senior Baking	6 Macaroons	Staged by 10.30am
11	Junior Photography	A Focus on Yellow Harvest Colours	Staged by 10am
12	Intermediate Photography	A Focus on Green Harvest Colours	Staged by 10am
13	Senior Photography	A Focus on Blue Harvest Colours	Staged by 10am
14	Junior Needlework	Peg Bag	Staged by 10.30am
15	Senior Needlework	A Quilted Cot Blanket	Staged by 10.30am
16	3 Jars of Sweet Preserves		Staged by 10.30am
17	'Home-Made Liqueur'	'A Single Flavour Liqueur'	Staged by 10.30am
18a	3kg Sample of Wheat		Staged by 10.30am
18b	3kg Sample of Beans		Staged by 10.30am
19	Woodwork	A Window Box	Staged by 10.30am
20	Junior Floral Art	A Table Arrangement to the Theme of 'Bonfire Night'	TBC once entries are received
21	Intermediate Floral Art	A Flower Arrangement Incorporating Farm Crops	TBC once entries are received
22	Senior Floral Art	A Harvest Wreath Incorporating Wildflowers	TBC once entries are received
23	Junior Challenge		TBC once entries are received
24	Soil Assessment/Crop Management		TBC once entries are received
25	Make and Dress Up a Scarecrow	Athletes	TBC once entries are received
26	Scavenger Hunt		TBC once entries are received

27	Pot Luck		TBC once entries are received
28	Charades in the Hat		TBC once entries are received
29	TV Game Show		TBC once entries are received
31	Design a HFYFC Christmas Card		Staged by 10.30am
32	Club Scrap Book		Staged by 10am

HFYFC General Rules

- 1 The competitions listed herein are open to members of Herefordshire Federation of Young Farmers' Clubs (HFYFC) holding a valid, current YFC membership card. (Valid is classed as being of the correct year, having a signature and passport photograph of the member attached to the card.)
- 2 Any member who fails to produce a valid membership card will be able to purchase a temporary membership card from the office on the day, provided they are already a member. The card will cost £5 and will only be valid for the purpose of entering competitions on the day. Failure to produce a valid membership card will mean that the member will be unable to compete in the competition.
- 3 All of the following competitions are open to members who must be over ten years of age or over on the day of the competition and twenty-eight years of age or under on 1st September 2022, with the exception of the Ploughing Classes when competitors must be 13 years of age or over and Class 17 when members must be 18 years of age or over. Age ranges for the competitions are as follows:
 - Senior – Open to members 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022
 - Intermediate – Open to members 21 years of age or under on 1st September 2022
 - Junior – Open to members 16 years of age or under on 1st September 2022, and 10 years of age or over on the day of the competition.
- 4 Health and Safety requirements must be adhered to at all times.
- 5 Competitors must act in accordance with HFYFC policies, where applicable.
- 6 No alcohol is to be consumed by competitors before or during competitions. Any member judged to be under the influence of alcohol or any other substance will not be permitted to continue with the competition and may be disqualified.
- 7 The use of mobile phones during competitions is prohibited.
- 8 A white coat must be worn unless otherwise specified.
- 9 No competitor can enter the same competition in different age ranges.
- 10 All work must be that of the competitor who has booked in.
- 11 All work must have been made in the last 12 months.
- 12 Competitors must arrive on time and report to the competition steward **before** the start time of the competition to book in with necessary equipment to complete the competition.
- 13 In the event of a conflict between the competition rules and the general rules, the competition rules will govern.
- 14 All staged items must remain the responsibility of the competitor. Neither HFYFC nor the site host accepts any liability for loss, damage or theft of any item.
- 15 No staged items or exhibits can be removed before prize giving, at penalty of disqualification.
- 16 For entries not according to schedule, 25% of marks awarded will be deducted. This includes any exhibits oversized.
- 17 The Chief Steward and Competitions Chairman reserve the right to cancel or amend any competition or rule at any time.
- 18 In all competitions the decision of the Chief Steward and the Competitions Chairman will be **final**.

EXHIBITS MAY NOT BE REMOVED UNTIL PRIZE GIVING HAS TAKEN PLACE, UNDER PENALTY OF DISQUALIFICATION

PLOUGHING CLASSES

- a) No GPS/Electronic Navigational aids may be used
- b) All Ploughmen are to report directly to the field as signposted.
- c) There is to be no walking of the furrows in the unaided ploughing classes once the competition is open.
- d) Ploughing should be carried out in a workman like style, and the Ploughing Chief Steward has the right to move a competitor from the UNAIDED CLASSES to the AIDED CLASSES if the work is not deemed to be of a suitable standard.
- e) Should the Chief Steward deem the competitor to not be working to the required standard then competitors may be asked to stop.
- f) **All tractors and ploughs are to be clean before entering the ploughing fields.** Competitors who turn up with dirty equipment will not be allowed to enter the fields, and therefore **WILL NOT** be allowed to compete and will be returned home.
- g) **Any competing member who pulls out of any of the ploughing classes after 9pm on Monday 19th September 2022 will be fined £10 for non-competing, as will any members who are returned home for the above.**
- h) All equipment used must be fit for purpose.
- i) Marks will be awarded **in accordance with the marking scheme laid down by the Society of Ploughmen (please see attached scoresheets)** in each of Classes 1, 2, 3 and 4.
- j) **Competitors in classes 5a and 5b will be awarded 50% of the marks.**
- k) In Classes 5a and 5b, the degree of assistance shall be at the discretion of the Chief Steward. Should the Chief Steward deem the competitors to receive excessive assistance, the competitor may be asked to stop.

ALL PLOUGHS ARE TO REMAIN AT THE SITE UNTIL PRIZE GIVING HAS TAKEN PLACE

UNAIDED PLOUGHING CLASSES

Class 1 Ploughing – Conventional U28

Time: 9am

Entries: Open to TWO (2) members per Club, 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 13 years of age or over on the day of the competition.

Rules:

- 1 Ploughing with any make of CONVENTIONAL PLOUGH
- 2 SEMI-DIGGER WORK – Minimum depth 6 inches – Maximum depth 8 inches
- 3 **ANY COMPETITORS ARRIVING AFTER 9AM WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE**

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Major H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup, The Autobrec Challenge Cup

Class 2 Ploughing – Reversible U28

Time: 9am

Entries: Open to TWO (2) members per Club 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 13 years of age or over on the day of the competition.

Rules:

- 1 Ploughing with any make of REVERSIBLE PLOUGH carrying no extraneous attachments other than a flat tail-piece and fitted with skimmers which must be used
- 2 Not more than **FIVE (5)** furrow ploughs to be used
- 3 Minimum depth 7 inches – Maximum depth 8 inches
- 4 **ANY COMPETITORS ARRIVING AFTER 9AM WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE**

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Major H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup, The Mr Geoffrey Thomas Challenge Cup

Class 3 Ploughing – Reversible U21

Time: 9am

Entries: Open to TWO (2) members per Club 21 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 13 years of age or over on the day of the competition

Rules:

- 1 Ploughing with any make of REVERSIBLE PLOUGH carrying no extraneous attachments other than a flat tail-piece and fitted with skimmers which must be used.
- 2 Not more than **FIVE (5)** furrow ploughs to be used
- 3 Minimum depth 7 inches – Maximum depth 8 inches
- 4 **ANY COMPETITORS ARRIVING AFTER 9AM WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE**

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Major H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup, The Autobrec Challenge Cup

Class 4 Ploughing – World Style Reversible U28

Time: 10am

Entries: Open to TWO (2) members per Club 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 13 years of age and over on the day of the competition

Rules:

- 1 Ploughing with any make of REVERSIBLE PLOUGH
- 2 Not more than **THREE (3)** furrow ploughs to be used
- 3 Minimum depth 7 inches – Maximum depth 8 inches
- 4 **ANY COMPETITORS ARRIVING AFTER 10AM WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE**

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Major H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup

AIDED PLOUGHING CLASSES

Class 5a Ploughing – Reversible

A DEMONSTRATION WILL TAKE PLACE BEFORE PLOUGHING COMMENCES

Time: 9am

Entries: Open to TWO (2) members per Club 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 13 years of age or over on the day of the competition

Rules:

- 1 Ploughing with any make of REVERSIBLE PLOUGH carrying no extraneous attachments other than a flat tail-piece and fitted with skimmers which must be used
- 2 NOT MORE THAN **FIVE** FURROW PLOUGHS TO BE USED
- 3 Minimum depth 7 inches – Maximum depth 8 inches
- 4 **Competitors in this class need to bring assistance; help may only be given from the headlands**
- 5 **ANY COMPETITORS ARRIVING AFTER 9AM WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE**

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Major H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup

Class 5b Ploughing – Conventional

A DEMONSTRATION WILL TAKE PLACE BEFORE PLOUGHING COMMENCES

Time: 9am

Entries: Open to TWO (2) members per Club 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 13 years of age or over on the day of the competition

Rules:

- 1 Ploughing with any make of CONVENTIONAL PLOUGH
- 2 NOT MORE THAN **FIVE** FURROW PLOUGHS TO BE USED
- 3 SEMI-DIGGER WORK – Minimum depth 7 inches – Maximum depth 8 inches
- 4 **Competitors in this class need to bring assistance; help may only be given from the headlands**
- 5 **ANY COMPETITORS ARRIVING AFTER 9AM WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO COMPETE**

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Major H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup

DOMESTIC SECTION

Class 6 Display of Farm Produce

Time: To be staged by 10.30am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) entry per Club. All competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition. Any number of members may contribute.

Marks:	Total	100
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Rules: 1 Clubs will display a bale of hay PLUS FOUR of the farm crops from the categories listed below to total FIVE different samples of farm crops, in accordance with the category as detailed below. Clubs must display all of the items on a tarpaulin sheet or wool sack (clubs to supply the tarpaulin sheet or wool sack):

- a) Either 4 Mangolds or 4 Fodder Beet Roots or 4 Sugar Beet Roots
- b) Either 4 Swedes or 4 Turnips
- c) 4 Potatoes (any variety)
- d) One bine of hops
- e) One whole plant of maize without roots
- f) 4 cooking apples

2 The farm produce may be washed but may not be trimmed

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup

Class 7 A Homemade Herefordshire Hamper

Time: To be staged by 10.30am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) entry per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition. Any number of members may contribute.

Marks:	Variety of items	25
	Taste	50
	Display	25
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Clubs are to make a hamper including a minimum of **6 DIFFERENT HOMEMADE ITEMS**.
- 2 The hamper must be suitable to feed at least 4 people. The hamper must be suitably displayed within a maximum display area of 1m x 1m x 1m.
- 3 The whole hamper including the container in which it is displayed will be raffled off, **please ensure you only use items that you do not want back.**
- 4 The hamper must include:
 - a) A non-alcoholic drink
 - b) A sweet item
 - c) A savoury item
 - d) A fruit item
 - e) A biscuit
 - f) A cupcake
- 5 All food items must be suitably wrapped and covered and must be clearly labelled.
- 6 Clubs must supply samples of the following in a separate container for the judge to taste:
 - a) The sweet item
 - b) The savoury item
 - c) The fruit item
 - d) The biscuit item
 - e) The cupcake

- 7 All samples must match the items in your hamper, must be clearly labelled, and must be covered in Clingfilm or in a sealed box.
- 8 *As the hamper will be given away on the day for the raffle – your hamper will remain untouched by the judges, they will only taste the samples you provide*
- 9 *Raffle tickets will be sold on the day and all hampers will be raffled with the money raised to be donated to HFYFC, **except for the first placed hamper, which will be given to the site hosts.***

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup

Class 8 Junior Baking

Time: To be staged by 10.30am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 16 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Finished Apple Pie	50
	Taste	30
	Display	20
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors to have made **one apple pie** using their own recipe
- 2 **Maximum Display Area** = 50cm x 50cm x unlimited height
- 3 A copy of the recipe is to be provided within the display area.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup

Class 9 Intermediate Baking

Time: To be staged by 10.30am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 21 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Finished Savoury Pasty	50
	Taste	30
	Display	20
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors to have made **one savoury pasty** using their own recipe.
- 2 **Maximum Display Area** = 50cm x 50cm x unlimited height
- 3 A copy of the recipe is to be provided within the display area.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 10 Senior Baking

Time: To be staged by 10.30am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Finished 6 Macaroons	50
	Taste	30
	Display	20
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors to have made **6 Macaroons** using their own recipe.
- 2 **Maximum Display Area** = 50cm x 50cm x unlimited height
- 3 A copy of the recipe is to be provided within the display area.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 11 Junior Photography

Time: To be staged by 10am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 16 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Technical	50
	Relevance to Theme	50
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors are required to produce one photograph, 7 inches x 5 inches, mounted on a A4 card, to the theme '**A Focus on Yellow Harvest Colours**'
- 2 The photograph can be captured using film or digital photograph.
- 3 The photograph **MAY NOT** be digitally enhanced.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 12 Intermediate Photography

Time: To be staged by 10am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 21 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Technical	50
	Relevance to Theme	50
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors are required to produce one photograph, 7 inches x 5 inches, mounted on a A4 card, to the theme '**A Focus on Green Harvest Colours**'
- 2 The photograph can be captured using film or digital photograph.
- 3 The photograph **MAY NOT** be digitally enhanced.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 13 Senior Photography

Time: To be staged by 10am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Technical	50
	Relevance to Theme	50
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors are required to produce one photograph, 7 inches x 5 inches, mounted on a A4 card, to the theme '**A Focus on Blue Harvest Colours**'
- 2 The photograph can be captured using film or digital photograph.
- 3 The photograph **MAY NOT** be digitally enhanced.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 14 Junior Needlework

Time: To be staged by 10.30am.

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 16 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Design	20
	Construction and Sewing Skills	40
	Overall Appearance	25
	Board Design and Appearance	15
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors are to design, make and suitably display '**A Peg Bag.**'
- 2 **Maximum Display Area** = 60cm x 60cm x unlimited height
- 3 In addition to the Peg Bag, competitors are required to display details of how it was made, along with 3 photographs mounted on a A4 board showing the different stages of production

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 15 Senior Needlework

Time: To be staged by 10.30am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Design	20
	Construction and Sewing Skills	40
	Overall Appearance	25
	Board Design and Appearance	15
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors to design, make and suitably display '**A Quilted Cot Blanket**'
- 2 **Maximum Display Area** = 60cm x 60cm x unlimited height.
- 3 In addition to the 'Quilted Cot Blanket', competitors are required to display details of how it was made, along with 3 photographs mounted on a A4 board showing the different stages of production.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup

Class 16 3 Jars of Sweet Preserves**Time:** To be staged by 10.30am**Entries:** Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Curd	30
	Jam	30
	Marmalade	30
	Display	10
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors to have made **3 Jars of Sweet Preserves - 1 x Curd, 1 x Jam and 1 x Marmalade.**
- 2 **Maximum Display Area** = 50cm x 50cm x unlimited height

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup**Class 17 Home-Made Liqueur****Time:** To be staged by 10.30am**Entries:** Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and **18 years or over** on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Originality and Relevance	40
	Flavour and Taste	40
	Display	20
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors are to make and provide a 250ml bottle of a 'Single-Flavour Home-Made Liqueur' to include a display label.
 - 2 Competitors are to include within their display a recipe card detailing list of ingredients and method.
 - 3 The use of locally grown produce is strongly encouraged.
- Maximum Display Area** = 50cm x 50cm x unlimited height

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup**Class 18a 3kg Sample of Wheat****Time:** To be staged by 10.30am.**Entries:** Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.**Marks:** **Maximum marks - 100****Rules:** 1 Competitors are to provide a 3kg sample of Wheat. Samples must be un-cleaned and from the 2022 crop.**Awards:** Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.**Class 18b 3kg Sample of Beans****Time:** To be staged by 10.30am.**Entries:** Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.**Marks:** **Maximum marks 100****Rules:** 1 Competitors are to provide a 3kg sample of Beans. Samples must be un-cleaned and from the 2022 crop.**Awards:** Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 19 Woodwork

Time: To be staged by 10.30am

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Design	40
	Construction	40
	Finish and Aesthetics	20
	Total	100

- Rules:**
- 1 Competitors are to make out of wood and suitably display 'A Window Box' to their own design
 - 2 Maximum Display Area = 1 metre in length x 0.5 metres in width x 0.5 metres in height.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 20 Junior Floral Art

Time: To be confirmed once entries received.

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 16 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Idea	20
	Colour	20
	Composition	20
	Technical	40
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors are to prepare a **'Table Arrangement to the Theme of Bonfire Night'**
- 2 The arrangement must be contained within a space measuring 760mm wide x 600mm deep x unlimited height.
- 3 **Maximum Time Allowed** = 1 hour, including clearing up.
- 4 Accessories are allowed. Competitors to provide their own materials, staging, and equipment.
- 5 A **maximum of £35** may be spent on the arrangement, with all costings to be displayed with a receipt of purchase.
- 6 White Coats must be worn.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 21 Intermediate Floral Art

Time: To be confirmed once entries received.

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 21 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Idea	20
	Colour	20
	Composition	20
	Technical	40
	Total	100

Rules:

- 1 Competitors are to prepare a **'Flower Arrangement Incorporating Farm Crops'**
- 2 The arrangement must be contained within a space measuring 760mm wide x 600mm deep x unlimited height.
- 3 **Maximum Time Allowed** = 1 hour, including clearing up.

- 4 Accessories are allowed. Competitors to provide their own materials, staging, and equipment.
- 5 A **maximum of £35** may be spent on the arrangement, with all costings to be displayed with a receipt of purchase.
- 6 White Coats must be worn.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 22 Senior Floral Art

Time: To be confirmed once entries received.

Entries: Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Idea	20
	Colour	20
	Composition	20
	Technical	40
Rules:	Total	100

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Competitors are to prepare a **'Harvest Wreath incorporating Wildflowers'**

- 2 The arrangement must be contained within a space measuring 760mm wide x 600mm deep x unlimited height.
- 3 **Maximum Time Allowed** = 1 hour, including clearing up.
- 4 Accessories are allowed. Competitors to provide their own materials, staging, and equipment.
- 5 A **maximum of £35** may be spent on the arrangement, with all costings to be displayed with a receipt of purchase.
- 6 White Coats must be worn.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 23 Junior Challenge

Time: To be confirmed once entries received.

Entries: Open to TWO (2) teams of TWO (2) members per Club. Competitors to be 16 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	1 st place	100
	2 nd place	90
	3 rd place	80
	4 th place	70
	5 th place	60
	6 th place and below	50

Rules:

- 1 Teams shall complete a competition in a manner as laid out by the judge on the day.

Awards: The FOCSA Shield, Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 24 Soil Assessment/Crop Management

Time: To be confirmed once entries received.

Entries: Open to TWO (2) members per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks: Maximum 100 marks

Rules:

- 1 Each competitor will be required to answer a multi-choice test paper without use of reference material. The questionnaire will have four sections and each competitor will choose any THREE of the sections from the list below:
 - a) Soils
 - b) Cereals
 - c) Other Arable Crops
 - d) Grass and Forage Crops
- 2 In addition to the multi-choice test paper, each competitor will be required to answer questions, identify slides or specimens as directed by the Judges.
- 3 Competitors will also be required to make an in-field crop inspection and comment on the crops.

Awards: The Charles Mayson Trophy, Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 25 Make and Dress Up a Scarecrow

Time: To be confirmed once entries are received

Entries: Open to ONE (1) team of FOUR (4) members per club. All competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Finished Scarecrow	40
	Relevance To Theme	20
	Variety of Materials Used	20
	Teamwork	20
Rules:	Total	100

- 1 Competitors are to make and dress up a scarecrow on the day to the theme of 'Athletes'.
- 2 Competitors are to supply all materials and no construction of the scarecrow shall be made in advance.
- 3 **Maximum Time Allowed** = 45 minutes, including clearing up.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 26 Scavenger Hunt

Time: To be confirmed once entries are received

Entries: Open to up to TWO (2) teams of TWO (2) members per Club. One male and one female, and both to be 21 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	Fastest team	100
	2 nd fastest team	90
	3 rd fastest team	80
	4 th fastest team	70
	5 th fastest team	60
	6 th fastest team and below	50

Rules:

- 1 Teams will be required to find the list of items and the team who finds all items in fastest time wins
- 2 Teams who fail to find any items from the list will lose 5 marks for each item they fail to find up to a maximum of 10 items.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup

Class 27 Pot Luck**Time:** To be confirmed once entries are received**Entries:** Open to ONE (1) team of TWO (2) members per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition

Marks:	1 st place	100
	2 nd place	90
	3 rd place	80
	4 th place	70
	5 th place	60
Rules:	6 th place and below	50

- 1 Competitors will be required to take part in a mystery competition.
- 2 All materials will be supplied by County.
- 3 Competitors should be aware that the competition could take any form – this may involve getting dirty or wet and that competitors should bring a change of clothes if they wish.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.**Class 28 Charades in the Hat****Time:** To be confirmed when entries received**Entries:** Open to THREE (3) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition.

Marks:	1 st place	100
	2 nd place	90
	3 rd place	80
	4 th place	70
	5 th place	60
	6 th place and below	50

- Rules:**
- 1 Teams shall be playing a game of 'Charades' in which one team member will pick out a charade out from a hat and shall have to mime a word or phrase without speaking. The other two team members will need to guess the word or phrase.
1 point is scored for every successful charade and no team may be allowed to 'Pass' on a charade. Miming competitors who speak may have points deducted at the discretion of the judge.
 - 2 Time Allowed per team is 2 minutes. The team with the most successful charades at the end of the time allowed will win. In the event of ties between two or more teams, the points shall be shared.
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Awards: The FOCSA Shield, Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.**Class 29 TV Game Show****Time:** To be confirmed once entries received**Entries:** Open to ONE (1) member per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition

Marks:	1 st place	100
	2 nd place	90
	3 rd place	80
	4 th place	70
	5 th place	60
	6 th place and below	50

- Rules:**
- 1 The competition will be similar to a television game show and will be announced on the day.
 - 2 All equipment will be provided by County.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup.

Class 30 Bale Art – ‘Farmyard Animals’

Time: To be displayed by **9pm on Monday 19th September**

Entries: Open to ONE (1) entry per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition. Any number of members may contribute.

Marks:	Originality, Creativity and Relevance to Theme	20
	Construction	40
	Visibility	20
	Artwork	20
Rules:	Total	100

- 1 Clubs to make a Bale Art Structure to the theme of ‘Farmyard Animals’ promoting their Club. The structure **MUST** include a sign saying ‘Join XXXXX Young Farmers Clubs’
 - a) The bales can be any shape.
 - b) There are no size requirements
 - c) There are no maximum or minimum number of bales required.
 - d) The sculpture may be displayed on a trailer.
 - e) Materials can be used to decorate the bales.
 - f) Information needs to be clear and visible from the road
 - g) The sculpture must be free standing, structurally secure and safe.
 - h) Structures are to be left in place until Monday 24th October 2022
- 2 The structure is to be put up at a suitable place in the Club’s area on private property, in accordance with the Highways regulations. Please note it is not permitted to put up the bales on the side of the road (the highway) without first obtaining the correct permission from the Highways Department.
- 3 Bale structures can be put up on privately-owned land adjacent to the highway – BUT STRUCTURES MUST NOT INTERFERE WITH DRIVER VISIBILITY.
- 4 **Photographic evidence of the bale structure in situ must be sent to the County Office/County Chairman and Competitions Committee Chairman by 9pm on Monday 19th September 2022. You must also include information about exactly where the structure is to be found. Please include road numbers, junctions or local landmarks such as shops or pubs or a What3Words Location.**
- 5 The Judge will be going around the County and will judge the structures in situ.

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup

Class 31 Design a HFYFC Christmas Card**Time:** Staged by 10.30am**Entries:** Open to ONE (1) entry per Club. Competitors to be 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022 and 10 years or over on the day of the competition. Any number of members may contribute.

Marks:	Design	50
	Originality	30
	Presentation	20
	Total	100

Rules:**1** Clubs are to design an **A6 Christmas Card Front Cover.**

The design can be computer generated or hand drawn must be printed on A6 Card and available in a jpeg image as the winning design may be used as the HFYFC Christmas Card 2022 and available for purchase (Sponsor TBC)

The card must be accompanied by a description of why the design has been proposed (maximum 30 words).

The maximum display area is 500mm x 500mm

Awards: Hereford and District Chamber of Commerce Challenge Cup, The Mrs H L F Bucknall Challenge Cup**Class 32 Club Scrap Book****Time:** To be staged by 10 am**Entries:** Open to ONE (1) entry per Club, by members 28 years of age or under on 1st September 2022.

Marks:	Maximum marks	100
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Rules: To display a SCRAPBOOK depicting their club for the YFC calendar 2021/22. Scrapbooks should be suitable for use to promote YFC to the wider public – HFYFC asks if clubs would be willing to provide their books to display at events throughout the forthcoming year to aid promotion of our county and clubs.