

2024 Highland Rally Industrial Schedule

The 2024 Highland Rally will take place at Caithness Livestock Centre (Quoybrae Auction Mart) Wick KW1 5UN on Saturday 25th May 2024.

ALL ITEMS MUST BE COMPETITORS OWN WORK AND HAVE BEEN COMPLETED IN TWELVE MONTHS BEFORE THE RALLY.

PLEASE NOTE

The Industrial Convenor of each Club is responsible for ensuring that competitors adhere to the schedule rules. Entry Tags will be provided and all competitors **MUST** ensure that each entry has a tag and is fully completed. Competitors must be affiliated members of the Scottish Association of Young Farmers Clubs and over 14 and **UNDER 30** years of age on the day of the Rally. Entries will be received from 9.00am to 9.30am from Caithness members and then 9.30am- 10am from RNI members with judging commencing at 10.15am.

All food items will be auctioned at the end of the day unless removed prior to auction.

BAKING AND PRODUCE

	<u>Juniors</u>	<u>Seniors/Associates</u>
1.	4 x Custard Creams (YF Recipe Book Page 83, recipe attached)	4x Peppermint Slices (YF Recipe Book Page 113, recipe attached)
2.	4 x Scotch Pancakes	4 x Fruit Scones
3.	4 x Butterfly Cakes	4 x Bourbon Biscuits
4.	1 lb jar Strawberry Jam	1 lb Jar Raspberry Jam
5.	2 x individual Mini Quiche Lorraine	2 x Scotch Eggs
6.	4 x Rocky Road No Bake Tray Bake	2 lb Banana Loaf

Rules

Unlimited entries per class. Entries should be displayed on white paper plates and doilies (where appropriate) with sealed completed entry tags **attached** to the bottom, entry tags will be provided. Any entry tags not completed correctly or not attached to the item will be disqualified. All items must be delivered to the Show Ground between 9.00am – 9.30am (Caithness members). 9.30am – 10am (RNI Members) with judging commencing at 10.15am. All sizes and recipes stipulated must be adhered to or they will be disqualified. No late items will be accepted. The Judges will be asked to place the first six in each class – Junior, Senior and Associate. All food items will be auctioned at the end of the day unless removed prior to auction.

Points awarded in each class towards the Nan Howie Silver Salver:

6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1

Points towards the Press & Journal Rosebowl:

20, 16, 13, 10, 8, 6, 5, 4

HANDICRAFTS

	<u>Juniors</u>	<u>Seniors/Associates</u>
1.	Photograph with the theme 'Wildlife mounted on A4 card.	Photograph with the theme 'Landscape' mounted on A4 card.
2.	Tea Light Holder – No theme specified. Any craft. Accessories allowed.	Boot Jack – No theme specified. Any craft/material.
3.	1 x coaster Any Material	1 x Placemat Any Material
4.	Knitted Baby Blanket (Pattern Attached)	Twiddle Muff (Pattern/Info Attached)

5.	A4 Olympic Poster non Computer Generated	A5 Entry Ticket for Olympic Games Opening Ceremony Non Computer Generated
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Rules

Unlimited entries per club permitted for each Junior, Senior and Associate class. Entries should have completed entry tags **attached** to the bottom; entry tags will be provided. Any entry tags not completed correctly or not attached to the item will be disqualified. All items must be delivered to the Show Ground between 9.00am – 9.30am (Caithness members). 9.30am – 10am (RNI Members) with judging commencing at 10.15am. All sizes stipulated must be adhered to or they will be disqualified. No late items will be accepted. Articles should not have been used or washed before the Rally and should have been made by full members within twelve months prior to the Rally. No kits to be used. The Judges will be asked to place the first six in each class – Junior, Senior & Associate.

Points awarded in each Class: 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1
Points towards the Press & Journal Rosebowl: 12, 9, 6, 4, 3

PRACTIAL INDUSTRIAL

Juniors – (Teams of 2. 1 boy and 1 girl)

1.	Wrapping a Present – Paper and item will be provided – Competitors to provide their own scissors and Sellotape.
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Seniors/Associates – (Teams of 2. 1 boy and 1 girl)

1.	2 x Napkin Origami Creations – Materials will be provided.
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FLORAL PRACTIAL

Juniors – (Teams of 2. 1 boy and 1 girl)

1.	Hand Tied Bouquet £10 budget accessories allowed, receipt to be attached. Competitors to provide all materials.
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Seniors/Associates – (Teams of 2. 1 boy and 1 girl)

1.	Hand Tied Bouquet £15 budget accessories allowed, receipt to be attached. Competitors to provide all materials.
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Rules

Unlimited Entries per club per class. The time for each competition will be detailed on the day, **each display shall be made at the Rally no prior work will be allowed to enter.** All competitors to provide their own materials and equipment – unless otherwise stated. The Judges will be asked to place the first six in each class.

Points awarded in each Class: 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1
Points towards the Press & Journal Rosebowl: 12, 9, 6, 4, 3

CLUB ENTRY

Theme – Scottish Inventions

Display Area – 5ft in length, 2ft in depth max and 3ft in height.

As per Royal Highland Show Rules - attached at back of schedule.

Items:

1.	Sewn Article
2.	Marmalade x 1 Glass Jar (Any Variety)
3.	Scottish Souvenir (any craft)
4.	6 x Squares of Scottish Tablet
5.	Floral Exhibit – to be displayed in water only, Natural Plant Material
6.	Further Article

Rules

Limited to two entries per club. All items must be entered individually and be delivered to Show Ground between 9.00am – 9.30am (Caithness members) and 9.30am - 10.00am (RNI members). Items will be judged individually at first - Judging commencing at 10.15am, for judging prior to display set up.

Set up will be by 2 full members, time to be confirmed.

The total display area 5ft in length, 2ft in depth max and 3ft in height. drapes and accessories will be allowed as long as within given area. Time given for set up will be 1 hour.

Points towards the Press & Journal Rosebowl: 20, 16, 13, 10, 8, 6, 5, 4

TROPHIES

Nan Howie Silver Salver

To the Club gaining the highest points in the Baking and Produce Section

Press & Journal Rosebowl

To the Club gaining the highest points in all competitions within the Industrial section

Points towards the Overall Rally Cup (Hamilton's Trophy)

25, 20, 15, 10, 5

CUSTARD CREAMS

Ingredients:

6oz butter/margarine

2oz custard powder

A few drops of vanilla essence

6oz self raising flour

2oz icing sugar

Cream Filling:

2oz butter/margarine

A few drops of vanilla essence

4oz icing sugar

Method:

Blend all ingredients together into a soft dough. Divide into small balls (approx 30-40). Bake in oven at 325°F for 15-20 minutes. Once cool sandwich biscuits together with cream filling.

PEPPERMINT SLICES

Ingredients:

113g margarine or butter
1 dessertspoon cocoa
pinch salt

½ cup soft brown sugar
1 cup self raising flour
4 handfuls crushed cornflakes

Icing

approx 226g icing sugar
½ teaspoon peppermint essence

few drops green colouring
little water

Method:

Oven 175°C/350°F. Bake 15–20mins. Melt margarine then add dry ingredients. Press firmly into swiss roll tin aprox. 9x11in. While still warm cover with icing. Mix all icing ingredients together spread on base. When icing set about ½ hour cover with 113g melted chocolate or drizzle with some in pretty pattern on top. When set cut into 30 or more squares or triangles.

National Senior Arts & Crafts 2024 "Scottish Inventions"

The following items are to be made, exhibited and displayed, with marks allocated for each as followed.

1. Sewn Article	20 marks
2. Marmalade x1 Glass Jar (any Variety)	20 marks
3. Scottish Souvenir (any craft)	20 marks
4. Tablet x6 squares	20 marks
5 Floral Exhibit - To be displayed in water only, Natural Plant Material	20 marks
6. Further Article	20 marks
7. Appearance and Display	20 marks

ELIGIBILITY

1. If there are 3 or 4 members competing as a team, 1 Associate member may compete or if there are 5 or more, 2 Associate members can compete. The Associate members must not have reached 30th birthday by date of the competition. Teams must consist of a minimum of 3 members.
2. Only One member is allowed to enter each article and Only two team members will be permitted to set up the appearance and display section.
3. Formers winners of this competition can compete again but teams may not consist of more than 50% of former winners
4. Clubs can amalgamate to form a District team.

SCORING CRITERIA

In judging each article, the judges will be asked to allocate marks as follows:-

Handcraft Articles	Workmanship	10 marks	
	Design & Use of Colour	3 marks	
	Suitability of Materials	3 marks	
	Degree of Difficulty	4 marks	20 marks
Cookery/Confectionery	Appearance	5 marks	
	Texture	7 marks	
	Flavour	8 marks	20 marks
Appearance & Display	Appearance & Display	15 marks	
	Interpretation of Theme	5 marks	20 marks

PROCEDURE

1. If the theme has a sewn or knitted article, the following rules apply. Articles made from knitting yarn must be presented for judging along with a label and yarn ample. Sewing machines may be used; knitting machines are NOT allowed to be used. Cross stitch is not a sewn article and should be entered in further article section. A sewn article is an item joined or attach by stitches.
2. Clubs are asked to make the above articles for the proposed theme. They will be displayed within backboards. A table will be provided. Full size models may not be used but tailor's busts may be used at the entrant's discretion. Everything has to be contained within the area of the table except the drape, which may be attached to the back and from tabletop to floor. Teams must provide their own backboards - 5ft in length, 2ft in depth max and 3ft in height.
3. Each team will provide its own equipment for displaying the articles and a suitable covering for the platform. A drape or drapes of material will be allowed. Drapes from tabletop to floor must be used.
4. Articles should be delivered to the YF Centre as per calling notice. Entries arriving after this time will be penalised - five points up to 15 minutes then between 15 – 30 minutes late, a further 5 points. Thereafter, the team will be disqualified from the competition.
5. Articles must be displayed in exactly the same manner as they are to be presented for Judging with the exception of clothing items. Items of clothing should not be displayed on any mannequins during the judging of the articles. It's down to the discretion of the team whether or not mannequins are then used during the appearance and display.
6. Judging will commence at 11.30 a.m. and should be completed by 3.30pm. Clubs will then set up their exhibits for the judging of Appearance and Display at 4.00 p.m. and will be allowed one hour for this task.

7. Exhibits should be removed BETWEEN 4.00 pm and 6.00pm (on the last day of the RHS). Clubs must dispose of all perishable items but can leave their other items packed up at their own risk with their backboards. These must then be collected within 4 weeks of the show. A Staff member must be informed before the show if boards are being left behind.
8. Judges will be nominated by SWI.
9. All items on display must be clearly marked for judging. These labels will not go against appearance and display scores.

ENTRIES

1. Clubs will be permitted to enter one team. Alternatively, a District Association may enter a team and in the event of additional space becoming available additional teams may be permitted.
2. In the opinion of and at the Chief Stewards discretion, a competitor or team will be disqualified for wrongful conduct by word or act, which is likely to bring the event and/or the YFC into disrepute.
3. The Association will arrange for insurance cover up to maximum of £300.00 per entry in respect of loss or damage to entries in this Competition. Clubs who wish their entries insured beyond this figure must inform the National Office accordingly and give particulars of the amount required at least fourteen days before the date of the contest.

FLORAL EXHIBIT

1. The Taylor Candelabra will be awarded to the best Floral Exhibit within the competition. Please note that the competitor must be under the age of 28 years.
A Floral exhibit is composed of natural plant material, with or without accessories and can have more than one placement. (Natural plant material can be fresh, dried or a combination of both., no artificial. Accessory is anything other than natural plant material e.g. stones, shells, figurines, candles etc)