

SCOTTISH ASSOCIATION OF YOUNG FARMERS' CLUBS

PRESENTS

# EAST REGION RALLY



**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

**Fife and Kinross District**

Easter Bucklyvie Farm, Crossgates, Cowdenbeath, Fife KY4 8ES

By kind permission of the Barr Family

## Rally Timetable

Event 2026	Start Time	
Report/Register	10.30am	
Produce Show Set Up		
Produce Show Judging	11am	
Stockjudging (x2 Dairy, x1 Beef & x1 Sheep)		
Stockjudging Reasons (Dairy)		
Valuation		
Welding	From 11.45am onwards (If not competing in Stockjudging, competitors can start earlier)	
<b>*Grading Lambs*</b>		
<b>*Identification*</b>		
Quad Bike Handling		
<b>*Digger Challenge*</b>		
Guess the Area		
Fault Finding		
Guess the Weight		
<b>*Changing a Milk Liner on a Cluster*</b>		
<b>*Changing a Quad Trailer Tyre*</b>		
<b>*Farming Business Quiz*</b>		12.45pm
Mock Auction		
Floral Art		
Sports		2.30pm
Tug of War (Mixed Teams)	3.00pm	
Novelty Events	After Tug of War	

The scoring for all competitions will be as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> – 10 points

2<sup>nd</sup> – 8 points

3<sup>rd</sup> – 6 points

4<sup>th</sup> – 4 points

5<sup>th</sup> – 2 points

6<sup>th</sup> – 1 point

In the event of a draw, both teams will receive full points. Points will not be split between teams. E.g – two teams are joint third, they would both receive 6 points each, fourth place would then receive 2 points and so on.

## **RULES**

Study the rules for each competition carefully. Note starting times – all competitors must register with the respective Convenor or Judge at the time stated on the schedule or they may be subject to disqualification.

- All competitors must be bona fide competitors of a Club affiliated to the East Region of SAYFC and must not have reached their 30<sup>th</sup> Birthday by the day of the Rally. Reminder Junior age is: 14-17 years. Senior – 18-28.
- Stewards must be notified of all changes in representatives before the competition commences.
- A Junior can be a Senior, but a Senior cannot compete as a Junior.
- No separate associate classes will be provided.
- If there is more than one competitor in a class, one member of the team may be an associate, unless otherwise stated.
- The Committee reserve the right to cancel or amend any of the Rules.
- In all competitions, the judge's decision is final.
- If a member is competing in the Young Farmer of the Year Qualifier, they must compete in 4 out of the 5 practical events highlighted in **\*bold\*** along with the Farming Business Quiz

## **PRODUCE SHOW ITEMS & SCORING**

### Foursomes Tray

Maximum of one entry per **CLUB** (teams of up to 4, open to all affiliated members – **ensure two items are the same as Highland Show**)

<b>2026 (Après Ski)</b>	<b>Marks</b>
X1 A4 Poster, non-computerised (any craft)	20
X1 Sewn article (any craft)	20
X3 Decorated Cupcakes (presentation being judged)	20
X1 Further Article (any craft)	20

### Senior

**Maximum of one entry per class per club (for example, a senior member can enter all classes in their name, however, it is limited to one per club per class)**

<b>2026</b>	<b>Marks</b>
1X Individual Cheese and Ham Quiche	20
1lb Jar of Raspberry Jam	20
X2 Two Square Inch Pieces of Raspberry and White Chocolate Traybake from YF Recipe Book (pg114)	20
X1 500ml Mocktails (presentation and taste being judged)	20
X1 6x4 Photograph with the theme 'Reflections'	20

### Junior

**Maximum of one entry per person per class (for example, any number of juniors from the club can enter a class, but limited to only enter one item in their name to that class)**

<b>2026</b>	<b>Marks</b>
X2 Pancakes	20
2X Empire Biscuits	20
X3 Apple and Sultana Muffins from YF Recipe Book (pg72)	20
X1 500ml Smoothie (presentation and taste being judged)	20
X1 6x4 Photograph with the theme 'Summer Time'	20

All items must be delivered to the produce section by 10:30 am with judging commencing at 11.00am.

All sizes and recipes stipulated must be adhered to or they will be disqualified.

The judges will be asked to place the first six in each class – Junior and Senior.

Entries should be displayed on white paper plates, with sealed completed entry tags attached to the bottom.

No late items will be accepted. No entries will be accepted on the day.

Entry tags will be provided upon registration. These must be clearly displayed and attached to item for judging.

## **EVENTS 11.45am ONWARDS**

### **STOCKJUDGING**

11am                      Maximum 6 individual members per club.

Classes:                4 classes (5 minutes to judge each class and 1 minute to markup).

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### **STOCKJUDGING REASONS**

11.45am                1 member per club.

Class:                   Competitors will be required to give one set of reasons from a pre-selected stock judging class. 2 minutes will be allowed for reason giving. No competitor will be stopped, but competitors will be penalised at the rate of two marks for every complete ten seconds over the appointed time.

Total marks available: 50

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### **VALUATION**

11.45am                1 team (the team should be made up of a minimum of 2 members and a maximum of 3).

Classes:                up to 20 items.

One hour to complete the valuation of items. Farm sale values will be used. One score sheet per team. Any competitors seen referring to notes or books will be disqualified from the competition.

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### **WELDING**

11.45am                1 team of two per club or two individual members per club.

Class: Competitors will have to weld as required by the judge.  
Competitors to supply their own safety wear (if any competitors don't have access to safety wear it can be provided)  
Judging will be on workmanship.

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### **GRADING LAMBS**

11.45am 1 competitor per club.

Class: Competitors will be required to grade the pen of lambs using the standard grading criteria.

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### **IDENTIFICATION**

11.45am 1 team of two per club or two individual members per club.

Class: 20 items to be identified (10 agriculture & 10 household).

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### **QUAD BIKE DRIVING**

11.45am 1 competitor per club.

Class: Competitors will be instructed to operate a quad according to the judge's instructions.  
Judging will be on time and skill, although penalty points may be incurred for failing to stay on course.

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### **DIGGER CHALLENGE**

11.45am 1 competitor per club.

Class: Competitors will be instructed to operate a mini digger according to the judge's instructions. Judging will be on time and skill, although penalty points may be incurred for failing to stay on course.

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### **GUESS THE AREA**

11.45am 1 team of two per club or two individual members per club.

Class: Guess the area of a specific area stated on the day.

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## **FAULT FINDING**

11.45am 1 team of two per club or two individual members per club.

Class: Find the faults put into a tractor.

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## **GUESS THE WEIGHT**

11.45am 1 team of two per club or two individual members per club.

Class: Guess the weight of a specific item stated on the day.

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## **CHANGING A MILK LINER ON A CLUSTER**

11.45am 1 team of two per club or two individual members per club.

Class: Change a milk liner on a cluster as demonstrated on the day.

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## **CHANGING A TYRE ON A QUAD TRAILER**

11.45 am 1 team of two per club or two individual members per club.

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## **FARMING BUISNESS QUIZ**

12.45 pm 1 team of two per club or two individual members per club.

This task will be completed under supervision and will have a maximum time limit of 1 hour

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## **MOCK AUCTION**

12.45 pm 1 team (the team should be made up of a minimum of 2 members and maximum of 3)

Classes: up to 20 items.  
One hour to compete in the mock auction.  
All teams must buy at least one item.

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## **FLORAL ART**

12.45 pm 1 competitor (male or female)

Theme	“World Cup”
Class	Competitors will have a maximum of 45 minutes to produce an arrangement using fresh plant material with accessories permitted (competitor to supply their own material & accessories). <b>This should not be pre-arranged.</b>

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### FANCY DRESS

2:30 pm	Teams of maximum 6 and minimum 2
Theme	“80s Disco”
Class	Clubs are encouraged to dress up and take part in the sports and novelty events in fancy dress. Top 6 placed teams will be awarded points towards their final score.

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### SPORTS

2:30PM	*	100m sprint	(1 junior male)
	*	100m sprint	(1 junior female)
	*	100m sprint	(1 senior male)
	*	100m sprint	(1 senior female)
	*	Egg & spoon race	(1 junior + 1 senior)
	*	Wheelbarrow race	(1 male & 1 female)
	*	4 x 100 relay	(2 males & 2 females)
	*	Sack race	(any 4 members)

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### TUG OF WAR

3 pm	Mixed teams of 6 (3 males and 3 females) per club – Tug of War boots or studded boots (rugby/football) <b>MUST NOT</b> be worn.
	Teams can have up to 2 associate members.

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### NOVELTY EVENT 1

After sports	1 competitor (male or female)
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### NOVELTY EVENT 2

After sports	1 male competitor + 1 female competitor
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**NOVELTY EVENT 3**

After sports            2 male competitors + 2 female competitors

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**OBSTACLE COURSE**

After sports            2 male competitors + 2 female competitors