

Young Farmers' Clubs of Ulster 475 Antrim Road Belfast County Antrim BT15 3BD

Competition Demonstration Presentation

This competition is a great opportunity for all members to showcase their hobbies, interests or talent by demonstrating to a judge. Competitors are required to prepare and present for a minimum of 5 minutes and maximum of 10 minutes a demonstration/presentation on a craft, topic or skill they are familiar with using practical and visual aids.

Dates and Location

Heats in January and NI Finals in March. Heats may be in County or Area depending on competition entries and this will be determined by YFCU HQ Staff. Heats and final take place on zoom.

Eligibility

Individual competition for members with a valid YFCU membership.

Preparation

Gather visual aids to display and present on the night, possibly create a presentation to show the judge.

Marking Scale

The demonstration/presentation is marked on the following elements:

- Preparation: 10%
- Appropriateness & use of display materials & samples: 15%
- Familiarity/Sequencing of presentation/demonstration: 25%
- Commentary/Communication Skills: 25%
 Overall Effectiveness of presentation/demonstration: 20%
- Response to Judges Questions: 5%

Timetable for the Day

You have 10 minutes to set up, carry out the demonstration and finish. Your zoom link and time will be provided to you in advance of the competition by HQ.

Checklist of Things to Bring With You on the Day

Any items you wish to show to the judge and a memory pen that holds your presentation.

Closing Date:

Closing date for returning entries will be published by HQ.

Proficiencies

Proficiencies will be awarded at Area stages.

Prizes

1st - Monetary Prize (Each Age Group)

Competitors are expected to avoid demonstrating the same skill or making the same presentation in successive years, e.g. 2 years in a row. Judges will ask a maximum of three questions to test the participant's wider knowledge of the skill or topic being demonstrated/presented.