



# SENIOR MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2024

VENUE: TBC

(Direct Entry: 4pm Monday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2024)

Entry Date: 29/01/2024
Winter Marks: 25
Last Amended: 23/01/2024
Withdrawal by: 02/02/2024

## 1. ELIGIBILITY

The competitor shall be 18 years or over and 28 years or under on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2023.

## 2. PROCEDURE

### Part 1

Two weeks prior to the competition, competitors will be required to complete and submit to the YFC Office a synopsis form (provided), to be no more than 2 sides of A4, which will show details of their YFC activities.

(Special emphasis should be placed on their involvement at Club Level)

Synopsis forms to be with the YFC Office by 4pm on the 29<sup>th</sup> January 2024.

### Part 2

Competitors will be interviewed on the day by a Judge(s). The interview will be formal, but will be in a supportive atmosphere with the opportunity for competitors to demonstrate why they should be Senior Member of the Year

## 3. OBJECTIVES

The Objective of the competition is to select a member who has shown that they are involved in all aspects of the YFC Movement. Judges will be looking for:

- Involvement at Club level for period of membership
- Overall YFC involvement (i.e., Club, County, Area or National)
- Specific involvement in activities in the previous 12 months (conservation, competitions, recruitment, programming, charity, sport, club officer)
- General commitment to YFC - awareness of fellow members' interests in YFC and objective view of the future of the organisation
- Knowledge of the YFC movement at Club, County, Area and National levels and to share that knowledge over the 12-month period following the final.

## 4. SCALE OF MARKS - Total 100 marks

Synopsis Form	30
Ability to Answer Questions	30
YFC Knowledge	10
YFC Experience	10
Appearance & Enthusiasm	10
Other Knowledge and Experience	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>

The Judge's decision will be final.

**Notes:** Competitors are reminded to dress appropriately for the competition (smart clothing suitable for an interview scenario)

(For 2024 Wales YFC Entertainment Feast, Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2024)



**Judges & Stewards Please Note: No joint positions for 1<sup>st</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> Placings**



Direct Entries to be submitted to the YFC Office by 4pm on 29<sup>th</sup> January 2024 . NO LATE ENTRY FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.

**WITHDRAWAL FROM COMPETITIONS**

Clubs/ Members are asked to notify the YFC Office of any withdrawals 5 days prior to a Competition. **PLEASE NOTE: All withdrawals from Club secretaries/Members must be made by email or by telephoning the YFC Office. If telephoning out of office hours, then a message should be left on the YFC Mobile phone.**

**Please Note:** That only members with up-to-date membership cards and are on the database in the YFC Office are eligible to compete. Members must apply online at least 5 Days before the competition.

**Please Note:** If a competitor wishes to compete via zoom, they must inform the office in advance, and each case will be looked at by the County Officials, depending on the Judge, Venue and other circumstances.

**PLEASE NOTE:** If a member does not produce an up-to-date membership card at the competition, it will result in a £5.00 fine. The fine will be refundable only if they provide confirmation of membership within 7 days of the Competition.

**General Rules apply to all competitions alongside the competition's rules.**