Fencing Day

Sunday 8th August 2021

Venue: TBC

(Entry Date: Sunday 25th July 2021)

(No restriction on number of entries allowed per club)

JUNIOR FENCING

ELIGIBILITY

A team shall consist of three members 19 years of age or under on 1st September 2020, and a full member affiliated to Brecknock YFC.

PROCEDURE

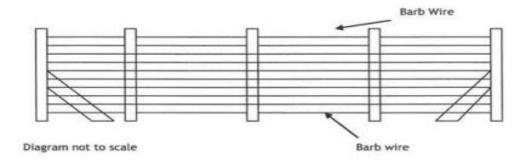
Teams are to erect 12 meters of stock netting with barb wire top and bottom and a join in only the netting. The join can be located in a section of netting of their choice. (as illustrated in the diagram).

Hand tools only will be allowed and the teams themselves must provide these. No powered tools or chain saws are allowed. Teams to note: All tools and equipment used must be fit for purpose and be in good condition, well maintained and safely operated by members of the team at all times. Judges hold the power to stop the use of tool/piece of equipment if, in their view, it is not safe to use or is being handled/used in an unsafe manner.

All teams are required to dismantle their fence following the judging of the competition. Any team not complying with this ruling will be penalised.

Clearing the ground - teams are required to clear away all debris and any off-cuts of wire etc should not be put down the postholes. Receptacles will be provided for this purpose. Soil will be available to make the ground good.

Diagram is not to scale and is for illustrative purposes only All spacings to be determined by the competitors.



Only materials supplied by the organisers are to be used (see list of materials below).

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Water can be used during the competition if circumstances require.

The Judges reserve the right to inspect any strut following completion of the task.

The Judge's decision is final.

List of Items Provided:

2 - 7' round posts, 5"-6" diameter (posts)

2 - 8' round posts, 3" - 4" diameter (struts)

3 - 5'6" round posts - 3"-4" diameter (stakes)

Chogs - 4" x 2" flat rail

Netting

Barbed Wire

Nails & Stapples

TIMING

2 hours 30 minutes will be allowed for the completion of the task.

Time penalties

Teams will be encouraged to complete the task but will lose one (1) point every minute or part thereof over the allocated time. Teams will be asked to stop after 30 after the allocated time.

Please note that the tidying of tools and equipment away will be included in the time to complete the task.

SCALE OF MARKS	
Straining posts and strut	50
Joint in netting	50
Fixing and tension of wire	50
Fixing and tension of barb	50
Intermediate posts.	25
Overall neatness.	25
TOTAL	250

PLEASE NOTE:

The winning team will go forward and represent the county at Wales YFC Final on the 14th & 15th August 2021 at the Royal Welsh Showground.

Entries to be submitted online by <u>Sunday 25th July 2021</u>. 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. <u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> <u>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 answer phone.</u>

<u>Please Note:</u> "That only members with up-to-date plastic membership cards and are on the database in the YFC Office are eligible to compete. Any new members forms and photos <u>must</u> be attached to the Entry Form when returned by clubs."