



1. Chairman's Opening Remarks and Welcome
Ed Clarke, opened the meeting at 8:00pm. Apologies for the late start whilst waiting for a few stragglers, there was a slight mix up with the venue. Welcome to Salisbury Hall for 83rd AGM. It's great to see so many people here. We were hoping to have the meeting in county office but it was not to be. It is dry now but the kitchen is still flat pack. Welcome to NA committee, Will & Rosie from Cumbria. Our 'best speaker award' will be judged by Will Knipe, NA Chairman. Before you speak, state name, age and club.

2. Apologies for Absence
Paul Morris, Hazel Stansfield, Adrian Willis, Ruth Wareing, Annabelle Robinson, James Davies, Anthony Cowell, Isaac Bury, Hannah McRory, Kathryn Parker, Tom Walker and Moria Roberts.

3. Minutes of the 82nd AGM as circulated
Signed as true and correct. Proposed by Alan Gill. Seconded by Paul Davies.

4. County Chairman's Report, to include Audited Balance Sheet for 2022/23
Tom Oston, financial report - No balance sheet, ongoing queries going back to when we moved accountants. Trustee are aware. EAGM will be arranged to approve. The issues are: accounts showing less money than we have. We are on with sorting it. Profits as discussed at last MM. Ballpark £16K profit for the year. Mix of a few social events, obviously profit from NAFD Do is included, which makes up a huge chunk of the profits. Please bear in mind that this won't be in accounts next year. Dinner dance was successful. Good amount of sponsors. I just want to stress, that there is no money loss, it is just how it has been declared. I will keep you all up to date.
SM – Holding trustee, was there something missed in last year's audit? TO – it's to do with how accountants have recorded the accounts following the move away from the HSBC account. SM – We find it difficult to analyse the books in the way they have been presented in last couple of years. Members find it easier to question if they were presented the same as they used to be. Easy to compare previously. TO – was a lot easier previous but must be in line with charity commission requirements. We can look at putting together a side by side version just for members. SD – As trustees, we are looking at the financial side and how to report. We agree with SM, it is difficult to compare as accounts are difficult to read. No reason why we can't have format that allows members to review easier. Things haven't been picked up. We want to reassure you that we have been trying to work on it and it is top of our priority list. Trustees are concerned about the amount of outstanding debt, there is £25K outstanding. Highest it's been for a long time. 5K last year and 13K the year before. Need to work on to get down. Not acceptable position to be in. Will be chasing specific clubs.

Ed Clarke, Chairmans Report:
Ladies, gentlemen, and fellow members. I often try to include some homemade poetry in my public speaking, and thought it would be a good idea tonight, to try top sum up my year as chairman, but I really struggled rhyming anything with water ingress and insurance claim. So I thought I would start with a joke, it started something like, A potato farmer, a digger driver and a sheep farmer walk into a bar. Anyway.

My year as chair started 364 days ago, in the beautiful setting of the Lune valley, I should have known things wouldn't be straightforward when we left the meeting and when we got to the pub afterwards, it had already shut.

Needless to say, the year got in full swing promptly, with debate concluding as Slaidburn were victorious, followed by quiz which Slaidburn also won. This lead into the new year, were Public speaking and sports came around quick, and although entries were low, we still had a good day. the next two big days were Rural skills day at Gisburn auction, which resulted in broken eggs, dodgey fencing and Chorley ending the day on top. This was followed by County rally , hosted by pennine region. Great day in sweltering heat, with pennine pushing to win for the second year on the trot, proving that small, really is mighty. Summer followed with a plethora of stock judging comps as well as sheep dog trails, all held at great venues across this great county. Massive thanks to our Comps committee, with Neil as Chair and Rachel as Secretary for keeping the job moving.

At the higher level of competing, we have had a successful year, with members competing at NA level and Nationals, bringing home wins and podium places across the board. We hosted NA Field day at Myerscough, showcasing how great Lancs is, and how when we work as a team, we can achieve great things. On a personal note, my 1st place mini digger handling certificate hangs proudly in my office in the quarry, so I can show my dominance to men driving 100 tonne machines.

On the social side of YFC, county has had a year with no 500 person event, like we've attempted for the last few year. The social committee has instead helped organise County Ball held in Morecambe, and a race night in September. Social also ran the weekend at Royal Lancs Show. great to be back after a few years away. The rain didn't dampen the day, and we all enjoyed watching members get dunked. Away from county events, I've had a tremendous time attending a ridiculous amount of dinner dances, balls, Dos and general parties. Many thanks to Helena as Social secretary and Chris as Chair. Chris also was chair for the training committee where we held several firsts, starting with mental health training in partnership with CANW and cyber security training with NFU and Myerscough. Cheers to Beth for all her help as Training secretary.

Outside of comps and social, we had a slightly different year at county, strange to think that a 15mm pipe full of water, could be such a defining moment within YFC. I can happily say though, that county office is near completion, ready for the first meeting of the new year.

Now as some of you will no, my mind works in a very numerical way. So I've prepared some numbers that come to mind:
364 – days as Chair of lancs. Ending today.
562 – days as vice leading up to becoming chair, originally only supposed to be maternity leave.
38 – the speed I was going when I got done speeding leaving a North lancs regional meeting last year
3 – parking tickets gained when meetings overrun
2 – clean air zone fines, for when I didn't realise my car was killing polar bears.
16 – Clubs in lancs when I took over.
15 – clubs we now have, hopefully see Croft rise again.
0 – management meetings I've chaired in our own office.
10 - Years as a member of Lancs. I'm glad I got dragged along to that first meeting.
215 – miles. My biggest commute to a Lancashire meeting. From Edinburgh, to trustees in blackburn. Then back to edinburgh in the morning.
4 – different hairstyles since taking on a lancs role. Long may the Mullet last.
300 – mile round trip to play hockey at NA weekend.
15 – minutes played.
2 – amount of times Neil has been to Greggs in his life.
7 – Dinner dances attended this year.
7 – white shirts which never could be worn again.
21 – the age Dave Hartley will be this year. For nearly the 10th time.
25 – foot tall. The wall which I jumped off, causing me to postpone my chairmans challenge.
3 – Hours of sleep, least I got on a work night, between getting back from YFC and going back to work
Too many to count – miles I've driven this year, but all of them worth it
733 – members of this great County.
1 – incredibly proud chairman, stepping down.

Got to say some thanks, now we're at the end.

Firstly, Caisha, thanks for being the only person who can read my hand writing, and bearing with me for hours to get a reply, whilst I re-emerge from whichever hole I'm working in on that day.

Next, the man who isn't in the room but makes it all possible. Fat Man scoop, or Davey Baby. This is the man I work for. He bears with me when I make detours on the way home to collect stuff, or meet people. He lets me finish early so I can attend them "bloody farmer meetings". He loans me the van and digger for countless days across the county. This isnt an easy job, but it makes it a little easier when you have good people behind you.

Michael, thank you for being the constant support behind us, Thanks for always pushing us to ask why, and not just accept decisions pushed on us by higher bodies. Also for you presence at comps across the year, you've really shaken some hands this year. I have a small gift here, please take it away and study it, and hopefully it will help bring you slightly more into the 21st century.

Neil, I'll hold my hands up, I had my doubts about you. I wondered how you'd get on with the politics of YFC, and how you'd get on with the travel. You've taken to it, like a duck to water. Theres been a lot of hilarious moments over the year, like how everytime you get back in your pickup, you pick up whichever part has fallen off it, or your escapades with darts, or disabled toilets. I realised about 3 weeks ago, that it was the county chairmans job to document the year through photos, ready to make a slideshow tonight. Unfortunately, I lived up to my male stereotype and took very few. The few I did take however have made a nice presentation to express my thanks to you as vice. I've prepared a short presentation documenting our journey together, which I will share to Facebook for you all to enjoy.

Finally Beth. Thanks for bearing with me whilst I spend every night at meetings, or ranting at you about the latest scandals. Im looking forward to a quieter time, and I hope you still like me when I spend more time with you.

Finally, I want to thank all of you, the members who make everything possible. And to finish my earlier joke. A potato Farmer, a digger driver and a sheep farmer walk into county office. The ceiling falls down. But life carries on.

5. Review of County Fees for 1st September 2024
Anna Robinson, Slaidburn. Good Evening, I propose that County Fees stay the same at £45. From guidance received from the financial officer at the last management meeting, who advised that £45 would keep the county in a good place and keeps money in the pot in case of emergency. Ella Mason, Slaidburn. Good evening, tonight I would like to second Anna in keeping levy at £45. It is the Safe option. Oliver Collins, Parbold. I would like to propose an amendment to lower the levy to £40 for the membership year 2024/25. National are upping their levy to £35 and should county levy stay at £45, every member would cost £80. As we have heard from the financial officer, county has plenty of funds available, and the small reduction would take the sting out of it. Looking at figures, we can afford to do this. We are a non profit, with £300k+ in various accounts, we are in an outstanding position. It is a good opportunity to give back to members. We get lots of sponsors, but they be less inclined to sponsor due to funds not being used to benefit the members. Sam Gornall, Chipping. I would like to second Oliver Collins proposal that levy goes down to £40. We are already making profit, and the small reductions may make members more incline to join. EC – thank you. We will now take this to a vote, Steve Morris & Andrew Holden, would you please act as tellers and count the votes. Each club is allowed 3 votes, sub committees are allowed 2. Regions are also allowed 2. Vote takes place. EC, thank you to the tellers, the outcome of the vote is that levy will be reduced to £40 per members from September 2024.

6. County President Report

Michael Rimmer, I have spent a lot of time thinking about my presentation whilst digging potatoes but didn't really have a chance to sit down properly and write it. But fortunately, it has all come recently. 12 months ago, I was proposed as president. It has been a great honour, one that I didn't feel prepared for, I felt like a new club chairman taking a role when you don't know how it is going to go. The first few months were full of trepidations, I didn't think people knew me. But over time people smiled and welcomed me. The first big comp was rural skills day at Gisburn Auction, it was well attended, with plenty of chips consumed. It was a great day. Thank you to Pennine for arranging an amazing County Rally, a great day with an impressive turn out. Next we had NA field day, thank you to Myerscough and Andrea for allowing us to host our event with you, it was a great day and great venue. Showed Lancashire in a good light to other counties.

It took a little while to realise that being president and having a grand title, doesn't mean that you are the most important person in the room, it means that you are the least important person in the room. Members are the most important, I want to stress that. One of my goals this year, was to ensure you are brought back into the decision making process. As trustees, we are happier reviewing and not leading. I am a firm believer that if you have the right info you will make right decisions. I have made a few observations, even though you make the decisions, they are often made at the last minutes. I have enjoyed seeing so many younger members around the county. Club leaders are looking after them very well. Chorley run a parents evening for new members parent, they explain what to expect for the forthcoming year, a great idea! We have seen an influx in younger members, but we need to make sure our senior members are well looked after and catered for. We need more entries for NA events. It would be great to see the IOM Stockman well supported next summer. As county officers, we need to make sure we are there for all the age groups. I am a great believer in free speech, but we struggle to get you to give your viewpoint at meetings, your opinion is important. People may disagree, but it will be done with respect. YFs bring enjoyment to people even outside of the age groups. We see smiles from 8-88, when they hear of our endeavours and achievements. Often sparking memories of their own time in young farmers. Attendance has been a little sparse at competitions, we need to encourage all members to enter, even if you haven't done before, there are people that can help with training and preparing. Thank you for having me as your president for the last 12 months. I feel like I am finally getting into the role, if you have any events coming up, let me know, I would love to attend.

7. Vote of Thanks to President, Honorary Life Vice Presidents, Vice Presidents, Honorary Life Members, Officers, Trustees of the Federation and retiring officers
Will Clarke, Vale O'Lune - on behalf of Lancashire I would like to thank you Michael, for being president over the last 12 months. You have done an amazing job. Thank you to the honorary vice presidents and the vice presidents and all sub committees. Jack Pickup, I would like to second Will on everything he said, thank you to everyone here, president, vice presidents, honorary vice presidents and honorary life members. You have shown an outstanding commitment to the federations and members, thank you.

8. Presentation of Awards

- Member of the Year
 - EC, Thank you to all the juniors that entered. Rachel has sent her feedback through for me to read out. Please spell check and read over your synopsis forms. They should be sent in PDF format, not screenshots. Presentations should be different to the synopsis form. It was difficult to judge members aged 12 against those aged 17. Placings are:
 - First - Evie Moon, Chipping
 - Second - Meg Johnson, Parbold
 - Third - Bethany Bracewell, Bury & Molly Thompson, Bilsborrow
 - MR Senior – I was honoured to be asked to judge last Wednesday. All entries offered something different, all have great ideas and all gave great examples of what YFC have done for them. Placings are:
 - First - Meg Goring, Clitheroe
 - Second - Ana Haworth, Bury
 - Third - Will Fryars, Winmarleigh & Helena Derbyshire, Chorley
- Club of the year
 - Richard Eastham. Thank you for inviting us to judge, it was a great honour and pleasure. It was good to get back into it. Refreshing to see how clubs get on with recruiting, training and creating an enjoyable and learning experience for members. All clubs have their own style on proceedings. When judging, we were looking for member nurturing. It was good to see parents involved so less pressure on seniors, helping to retain intermediate & senior membership. Good meetings, clubs leaders know how to conduct them and members knew how to conduct themselves. It goes a long way in their future. Out meetings give members an insight into many industries. Good level of member participation. The winning club did a great good of planning the program at start of year and planned out speakers. Surprise meeting when you actually learn something. One club had a last-minute cancellation but still managed to run a successful meeting. Congrats to tonight's winner.
 - First - Bury
 - Second - Chorley
 - Third - Chipping & Bilsborrow
- Chairman of the Year
 - It has been traditional given to the chair of the COTY winners. However, over the last couple of years, we have taken the decision into hands of top table. We have been looking at Chairs that have pushed their clubs forward, encouraged involvement at comps and social events and always has the best interests of their club at heart.
 - James Nairey, Samlesbury
- Secretary of the Year
 - The winner of this award has held several secretary roles, it far more organised than I am and has successfully organised county events.
 - Ana Haworth, Bury
- Treasurer of the Year
 - This award has been difficult to judge, but we have judged it on how long the club has been on the debtors list. The winner of the award, has kept on top of their invoices and when I attended their club AGM, I was incredibly impressed with how they gave their accounts, they were very detailed, well presented and easy to follow.
 - Dan Rowland, Longridge
- Top Junior Involvement Award
 - Bilsborrow
- Top Club Involvement Award
 - Chipping
- Top Regional Involvement Award
 - Pennine
- Club Membership Award
 - This award is for the club that has seen the biggest membership increase, the club that actually won this award Croft YFC, unfortunately folded. Therefore the next club with the biggest increase, is:
 - Turton
- Member Promoting LFYFC the most
 - This member has stood out over the last couple of years. They have supported and helped promote various events across country and has great leadership qualities.
 - Becky Sackfield, Chorley
- LFYFC Club Charity Award for the most money raised in 2022/23
 - Bury
- President's Award
 - I have been thinking about this for a few weeks. I have chosen someone who is always there, thinks about things, doesn't create problems but always has solutions. They also did a great job at keeping coffee warm at field day and our chairman on straight and narrow. When I first mentioned this name to Ed, he said 'I wouldn't be here without him'. So I have chosen to give this award to Dave Hartley. EC, from the bottom of my heart, thank you Dave, I genuinely could not of done this role without you.
 - David Hartley, Vale
- Chairman's Award
 - This person has proved themselves to be bomb proof, tireless and hardworking. This member would run comps with scrupulous detail, problems don't happen, just solutions.
 - Levi Nicholson, Bolton by Bowland

9. Election of Officers

Thank you Ed for a successful 12 months. I was told I wasn't going to make any decisions, I didn't realise how true that was. I have had no trouble from Ed, phone hasn't gone that much. I would like to be the first to welcome you into the group of has beens. *Ed Leaves top table*

- Patron
 - Ana Haworth, Bury – Good evening, it is a great pleasure to proposed Lord Derby as patron. He always gives great advice, sponsorship and always there to help. He is a great asset. Becky Sackfield, Chorley, I second Ana's proposal, he has been a continuous support of YFC. MR can we have a show of hands, all in favour.
- President
 - Good evening, Once again, it is a great honour to propose Michael Rimmer as president. He joined Parbold at 13, and since then had held most officer role in Parbold, South West Region and within County. Michael has held a variety of roles at national and NA too. When looking for a president, what do members want? Someone approachable, someone who gives advice when asked, someone who listens, is engaged and dependable. If you want all of the above, then you could ask for a better man.

- o Pete Davies – Good evening, it gives me great pleasure to second Ollie’s proposal for Michael Rimmer as president. Michael has dedicated his life to YFC. He is a great voice for members opinions. Doesn’t shy away from members concerns or issues. MR. – thank you for your vote of confidence, I am hoping to get recognised a bit better second time round. I was as Pendle AGM and was welcomed as Chairman, a nice mistake. I do hope I have listened more than spoken and I will carry that forward.
 - Vice Presidents
 - o Neil Hodkinson, Good evening, the discussion about VPs was had with in age members at the last management meeting. We talked about what we want from VPs and discussed previous issues we have had. But there has been no drama this year. I proposed we re-elect – Greg Fitton Richard Eccles and Julie Bennet. We add of Ruth Wareing and remove Graham Young. Members don’t deal with VPs but me and Ed do. I was proposed those that are always there and give good advice. Their opinions sometimes get on our nerves but they are trying to guide us and do what’s best for county. Sec. EC – I would like to second Neil with the re election of Greg Fitton Richard Eccles and Julie Bennet. And the addition of Angela Whitwell. I gave a rousing speech last year to remind members that it’s about them and what they want, but we would be lost without the VPs wealth of knowledge. They are essential within the organisation and I would hate to see them go. We had the conversation at the last MM but we need more members speak at meetings. MR - Show of hands, all in favour. I think the issue is, you don’t know the the VPs are, I am going to write to VPs, to introduce themselves, to find out what they have done and what YFs have done for them. We will then share this with you and there will be no excuse of not knowing who they are. VPs are there to be a resource for you to use. Mostly the VPs are jealous of members, all they want to do is to relive their experience and they want you to have as much fun as they did. John Neary – We have missed out president elect? MR – We haven’t had any nominations, we don’t have to do it tonight, members need to be on the look out and we can get someone in place next Sept.
 - Honorary Life Vice Presidents
 - o David Hartley, Vale O’Lune, I would like to prop Life VPs, members might not know who they are but they are always there, helping with comps in particular the quiz. Peter Jackson, I would like to second Dave on honorary life VPs. They are hardworking and dedicated. Thank you. SD – We need to make sure we get the list right this year, some where missed of last time. John Sowerby – honorary life member, Marion Ashton is not a Life VP. Life VPs are past county presidents.
 - Honorary Life Members
 - o Harry Salisbury, Good evening, I will keep it short, I would like to proposed, John Sowerby, David Lynch & Audrey Townley as honorary life members for forth coming. The federation is run by members but there are people that can’t help but get involve. The county has run successfully over the last 85 years because people like these give a lot of support & commitment. They do so much, the have worked week in and week out for decades to ensure support to the federation, to ensure it supports the clubs, the members and that it continues to flourish. Emily Thompson – I would like to second Harry, these members have shown an outstanding contribution to the county. Richard Eccles – honorary life members don’t need to be re-elected. It is added to the agenda in case there is anyone that you would like to add on. The honorary life members title means that they cannot come off the list.
 - Chairman
 - o Anna Robinson – Good evening, I would like to propose Neil Hodkinson as Chairman for 23/24. Neil popped up at Chipping from the ripe age of 13 in 2013 and is still there now! Neil was always involved in comps from young age, never went home without a job to do whether it was brew boy or Chairman. Neil has been Chipping’s chair for 3 year and is chair for Bowland Region. He chaired social committee for 2 years, training committee for 1 year and is currently competitions secretary. Neil has competed in ever competition, even floral art. He is very passionate about TOW, qualify to compete at NA and National Level. He is proud of taking his Jump Rope team to National and winning! He solves all problems and is only a text or phone call away. He takes members seriously. Neil has a great knowledge of YFC, is dedicated and attends plenty of club meetings. He has played an active role in county over the last year. He will continue to take us forward. Will Harrison - Good evening, I would like to second Anna’s proposal. Neil would make a great county chair due to his knowledge and dedication. I have gotten to know Neil well through his continued support of Longridge YFC. He is well suited for the role, easy to talk to and very approachable. Neil is always enthusiastic to take part and help out.
 - NH – Thank you for proposing me. Thank you to Ed for guiding me over the last year. Ed is full of wisdom, that he has passed down to me, but Ed, don’t run off and leave me alone. Thank you for doing a great job over the last 12 months, and as is the YFs tradition, I look forward to getting my invite to the wedding.
 - Vice Chairman
 - o Ellie Fish, Bury - It is a great pleasure to propose Ana Haworth, Bury as Vice Chair. Ana joined Bury in 2019, Had made a mark on the club right from the beginning. Ana has competed in cookery, floral and stockjudging. She always looks at the bigger picture when it comes to a challenge. Ana did an amazing job organising County Rally, we are a small region but came out strong. It was a huge success despite with burnt noses and muddy legs. Ana has travelled the length of the country to support YFC. She is passionate about animal wealth fare. Not only does she work full time, dedicate her free time to support YFC but she also works with Pete in his family meat shop. Young farmers came into Ana’s life when she needed it the most, after the loss of her father. It was a great distraction and offered Ana support. In return, Ana gives her all to YFC, leaving no member behind and providing support to all members
 - o Ed Clarke – As I am nearly a free man, I would like to second Ellie’s proposal. Ana’s organised nature and eye for detail will work well with NH chaotic nature. Ana offers a more reliable car, good teamwork experience and eager to make it to meetings. In my time in office, I have assisted with 2 County Rallies, well Pennine was all sorted and all I needed to do was to tell people where the sheep where on the day. Ana will grow well into the role, she is perfect for the job.
 - o MR – show of hands, all in favour. *Ana joins the top table*
 - Ana Haworth - It is a great pleasure to have been nominated for this role. I am looking forward to the upcoming year, to meeting everyone from different clubs around the county, supporting clubs where I can and to helping members get the most out of their membership. Thank you!
 - Financial Officer
 - o EC - It gives me the greatest pleasure to propose that Tom Oston stays on. I have known Tom longer than anyone, when we were younger, I would often find him playing with a calculator which I think speaks volumes. We went all the way through education together, but unfortunately parted ways after college. I finally persuaded Tom to join Vale. Tom has 4 years experience as financial officer, a cash job became a swear word. Tom’s fantastic work has helped to steer the club into the 120 members club it is now.
 - o DH – I would like to second Ed’s proposal for Tom as the finance officer, I have known him for a long time. Everything Ed said rings true, Tom has been a pivotal part in taking my business online with quick books. He is a great lad.
 - o MR - show of hands, all in favour. Tom’s great work with the accounts, will allow accurate budgeting and will feed into your decision making.
 - Auditors
 - o Tom Oston – I would like to propose Voisey stay on, we have been working with them for 2 years now. They are starting to get an understanding of how we work. It is a good idea to stay with them as they are doing a good job.
 - o Meg Goring - I would like to second Tom’s proposal. They are doing a thorough job.
 - Safeguarding Officers
 - o Pete Davies – I would like to propose Johnny Neary and Laura Rimmer to carry on until someone comes forward.
 - o Anna Robinson - I would like to second Pete’s proposal.
 - o MR – Johnny and Laura both do want to move on, so have a think of someone that would be a good fit.
10. Election of Committees:
- Staff Management Committee
 - o Helena Derbyshire – I would like to propose James Oddie, Kathryn Wright, Ed Clarke, Neil Hodkinson, Michael Rimmer and Ana Haworth. The committee is important and plays a key role in support the county manager. They are essential in the success of the federation.
 - o Jennifer Miller - I would like to second Helena’s proposal.
 - Trustees
 - o Levi Nicholson – Good evening, I would like to propose Greg Fitton, Andrew Holden, Sue Davies, Moira Roberts, Ed Clarke, Neil Hodkinson, Michael Rimmer, Mark Pearson and Ana Haworth. All bring security to our interests. It is a great blend of experience and fresh blood. Their importance has shown through this year with the thorough planning of repairs of County Office. The provide energy to put into members and put the foot work in to support members and keep the county as successful as it is.
 - o Chris Leadbetter - I would like to second Levi’s proposal.
 - o MR – The trustees are there to be lead by you, to review your decisions and not make them for you.
 - Holding Trustees
 - o Laoise Brown - I would like to propose Steve Morris, Paul McWhirter and Clare Platt. Their continued support is immeasurable.
 - o Oliver Collins – I would like to second Laoise’s proposal. The holding trustees are dependable and responsible, and we can all rely on them as a county.
 - County Staff Appeals Committee
 - o EC - I would like to propose Anthony Cowell, Matt Dugdale & Andrea Garden.
 - o Rachel Hardman - I would like to second Ed.
 - Training Fund Committee
 - o Meg Goring - I would like to propose Jess Dodd, Laura Webster & Amy Dickinson. They do a great job in continuing to support county.
 - o David Hartley - I would like to second Meg’s proposal of Jess Dodd, Laura Webster & Amy Dickinson.
11. Date of 84th Annual General Meeting
- 28th November 2024
12. Any other AGM business
- Alice Bradley - I would like to say Thank You to LFYFC, many supported me when I became ill at the start of the year. I have felt the support from right across the county. So thank you.
 - Best Speaker Award
 - o It was a great honour to be asked to judge. I have heard some great speeches tonight, very articulate and interested. The winner of the award is Ellie Fish
13. Close Meeting
- MR - thank you all for joining us tonight, I wish you a happy YF year in the coming 12 months, get involved and enjoy yourselves. Meeting closes at 9:23pm.