

*North Yorkshire West Federation of WIs*



**It's  
2019**



**Great Yorkshire Show  
Tues 9th - Thurs 11th  
July**

**THIS YEAR'S COMPETITION THEME IS**



# Attractions This Year

## In the Exhibition Area there will be:

- The Federation Competitions “*Looking to the Future*” (there are 10 classes for you to choose from)
- Different Demonstrations everyday, 10am – 5pm
- Exhibits from the Federation Workshops
- Information stand about the WI, NFWI Campaigns and Denman.
- Gift Stall
- Sales Cart selling preserves, scones and special “*lunch to go*” pick your own.

## In the Catering Area:

- Our usual homemade refreshments, including bacon or sausage rolls, sandwiches, cakes, strawberries and gallons of tea and coffee.
- Freshly made scones by Trevor –our chief scone maker
- Show Special Meals includes the Show Special Lunch and the Show Day Afternoon Tea.

## Why Do We Go:

The Great Yorkshire Show gives us a fantastic opportunity to promote and **show off** what the WI is all about and ensures survival of our Federation financially.

The Committee and Trustees are prepared to give their time and energy and we hope you will support as you did in your 100s last year when we all had such an enjoyable time.

## Market Stall

This is where you can help by simply making jams, chutney or jellies. (Please no lemon curd or cakes). Clearly labelled, **list of ingredients and date of making**.

People visiting our pavilion always look to buy produce, so this stall is very popular and in the past has raised a huge amount of money. However, we do rely on you to provide the goods and we are very grateful.

Jams etc can be bought to Alma House well before the Show, during office opening hours or taken direct to the show. We do realise it is not easy for many of you to get your produce to the showground. Please let us know if you have difficulty and we will do our best to arrange how it could be collected.

# How You Can Help:

- Entering the competitions
- Providing preserves for our market stall
- Offering to be a Catering Assistant or Exhibition Steward
- Come to the show and enjoy the fun and friendship of the WI
- Refreshments are provided.
- Time to look around the Show either before and after your shift

The Catering Assistant's job is hard work and you need to be on your feet all the time, **BUT IT IS VERY REWARDING**, without your help we could not operate the Catering Area.

A Catering Assistant form will be sent in time for your April meeting, to be returned to Alma House by 21<sup>st</sup> June 2019. **Please note that shifts will be allocated and tickets sent out no later than the first week of July.**

We do appreciate the help of these willing volunteers. **So why not join us.**

## Preparation of the Pavilion

We would welcome any members willing to help clean our pavilion the week before the show. This involves, bushing down the cobwebs! washing the equipment, cleaning out the storeroom and general freshening up.

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2019** - If you have a hour or two spare between 10am and 3pm we would be delighted to see you.

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2019** - We need assistance to set out the tables and chairs in the dining area and tables in the exhibition area from 9.30am – 12noon.

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2019** – For Final Preparations from 10am

You know the saying – ***“Every Little Helps”***

# Why Not Start Your Photography and Craft Entries Now See Overleaf For Details

## Schedule for Competitions

2019 Theme:

*All WI's can enter all the classes*

# Looking To The Future

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### Photography

Class 1: *Parents and Offspring* - Size no larger than mounted not framed **Max 2 per WI**

Class 2: *A 'Selfie'* - A5 mounted not framed **Max 2 per WI**

### Floral Art

Class 1: A Futuristic Design, using fresh flowers and plant material. Accessories allowed. Overall space allowed 2ft square. To be displayed on a covered table which will be provided. Height unlimited **Max 3 per WI**

### PRODUCE

Class 1: A Cake including vegetable ingredients (Not decorated) any shape or size. Cake to be Named **Max 3 per WI**

Class 2: An item of food incorporating at least one of your '5 a day' - Must provide recipe **Max 3 per WI**

Class 3: A Trio of Bottles to include:

A fruit cordial with a label indicating the flavour

A flavoured vinegar dressing

A salad dressing

To be displayed on a wooden slice which will be provided approx 32cms diameter

Bottles to be labelled with flavour and date

**Max 1 per WI.**

### CRAFT

Class 1: A travelling jewellery roll or pouch Any medium **Max 3 per WI**

Class 2: A Venetian style mask Any medium **Max 3 per WI.**

Class 3: An item made from Single Use Plastic e.g. plastic bottle **Max 3 per WI.**

### **NEW FOR 2019 - COLLABORATIVE ENTRY : THE FUTURE OF YOUR WI**

- To demonstrate how you see the future of your WI
- Floor Space allowed - One Metre Square
- To be judged from the front
- Accessories allowed including table or backing board, if desired
- Completely free choice of items displayed
- To be Judged on STAGING & INTERPRETATION ONLY
- A certificate will be awarded for best in Class
- There will be a public vote

**ENTRIES TO BE MADE SINCE LAST YEAR'S SHOW. NO EXHIBITS FROM PREVIOUS SHOWS. ANY SOILED OR FADED ITEMS WILL NOT BE JUDGED.**

**Entry forms and schedule guide will be sent for your April meeting and should then be returned to Alma House no later than Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

**Photography and Craft Classes** should be at Alma House no later than the 25<sup>th</sup> June 2019 for judging prior to the show. The GYS committee will transport them to the show ground.

**All other Classes** to be brought to our GYS Pavilion either on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2019 between 11am – 4pm or Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2019 between 9am – 12noon.

The **highest** mark only from WI entries in Photography, Floral Art, Produce and Craft will be carried forward to the overall score sheet. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> WI's will receive a certificate at the Thank You Party.

Please Refer To **On With The Show** (Which Can Be Found On "My Wi") But If You Require Any More Assistance contact Julie Clarke on [j-a-clarke@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:j-a-clarke@hotmail.co.uk)