GROUP PROGRAMME Armagh Down UFU Group



Friday 5th September 2025 – County Armagh UFU Steak BBQ & Country Night with music by Stonewall Band

Richardson's Estate at 7.30pm

Thursday 25th September 2025 - Group Trip

Nugent Engineering & Foyle Meats Farm with two course lunch in Glenavon Hotel £30pp. Bus leaving office at 10.00am. Contact Office to book.

Friday 26th September 2025 – Go Karting with local YFCU Club

Over 16s only & limited spaces. Contact office to book & for further info.

Thursday 23rd October 2025 – UFU Women In Agriculture Conference; Cultivating a Healthier Future

CAFRE, Loughry Campus, Cookstown – 9.30am – 3.30pm – register at: https://www.ufuni.org/event_categories/women-in-agriculture/

Tuesday 28th October 2025 - Beyond the Farmgate - Virtual Farm Tour at 8.00pmTrevor Somerville, beef farmer from Pomeroy

November 2025 - Tour of Gilfresh Produce with conversation about labour on the Family Farm

Speaker: William Gilpin, Gilfresh Produce. Gilfresh Produce, Portadown, County Armagh Date and time TBC

December 2025 – Charity Breakfast with Mountnorris YFC

Date and time TBC

January 2026 - Presidents County Roadshow's - organised by UFU HQ

Thursday 5th February 2026 - Group AGM

Update from James McCluggage, UFU Policy & Communications Director Belleek Country House at 1.30pm

Wednesday 18th February 2026 – County Armagh Hustings Event

Armagh City Hotel, 2 Friary Road, Armagh, BT60 4FR at 8.00pm

March 2026 - virtual meeting organised by HQ - details to follow

March 2026 - Group Trip - More details to follow

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Group Representatives:

Group Chairperson: Colin Johnston

Group Vice Chairperson: Malachy O'Hare

Group Managers: Chris Donaldson and Ruth Atkins

Central Policy Representatives:

Beef & Lamb: Pat McKay
Dairy: Darren McCormick

Pork and Bacon: Richard Hamilton

Hill Farming: James Rice

Seeds & Cereals: Philip McCartney

Poultry: Malachy O'Hare

Rural Affairs: Rosemary Martin Legislation: Jackson Wright



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All members welcome!

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