

FMG Young Farmer of the Year

2025 Grand Final

Invercargill/Winton

Locations

Winton Racecourse

[Racecourse Road, Winton](#)

Winton is approximately 40 minutes North of Invercargill via State Highway 6. Please be careful while returning to Invercargill, as the right-hand turn back onto the highway is a busy intersection.

There will be signage for sponsor parking at the venue.

Ascot Park Hotel

[Corner of Tay Street & Racecourse Road, Invercargill](#)

There's plenty of off-street parking.

Transport World

[491 Tay Street, Invercargill](#)

Free on-street parking is available.

ILT Stadium Southland

[Surrey Park Road, Invercargill](#)

Timeline

Tuesday 1st July

Winton Racecourse

9:00am - 5:00pm - Practical Day Set Up

High viz required

Wednesday 2nd July

Winton Racecourse

9:00am - 5:00pm - Practical Day Set Up

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Thursday 3rd July

Ascot Park Hotel

7:30am - Technical Day Judges Briefing

8:30am – Contestant Briefing

8:45am - 2:00pm - Technical Day

2:00pm - Lunch

Winton Racecourse

9:00am - 12:00pm - Practical Day Set Up

Friday 4th July

Winton Racecourse

FMG YFOTY Practical Day

6:30am – Contestant gear check

7:00am – Contestant brief

7:30am – Practical Day begins – all contestants on Farmlet

7:45am - Module Host Briefing

8:00am – Modules start

10:30am - Heads-to-head

11:15am – Modules

12:45 – FMG Region-Off (TBC)

1:15pm - Lunch

1:45pm - Farmlet

2:45pm - AgriSports

3:30 - Event concludes

FMG Junior YFOTY Practical Day

7:30am - Module Host Briefing

8:15am - Farmlet

8:30am - Group A on Modules, Group B on Farmlet

9:00am - Speeches begin

10:15am - Break

10:30am - Groups swap

11:00am - Speeches resume

12:15pm - All teams on Farmlet

12:45 – FMG Region-Off (TBC)

AgriKids Practical Day

8:05am - Module Host Briefing

8:50am - Round 1

10:10am - Round 2

11:30am - Round 3

12:45 – FMG Region-Off (TBC)

Transport World

Friday Night Awards and Speeches

5:00pm - Doors Open (all attendees will be required to show their ticket)

6:00pm - Show starts

6:10pm - FMG Junior YFOTY Face-Off

7:00pm - AgriKids Prizegiving

7:20pm - Break

7:50pm - FMG YFOTY Speeches

8:30pm - FMG Junior YFOTY Prizegiving

9:00pm - Event Concludes

Saturday 5th July

Transport World

10:00am - 12:00pm - Community Day

A chance for the wider NZYF Community to come together

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FMG YFOTY Evening Show

10:00am - Doors Open

6:00pm - Show Begins

7:30pm - Dinner Break

8:30pm - Dessert and NZYF Membership Awards

9:00pm - FMG YFOTY Prizegiving

10:00pm - Formalities Conclude

12:00pm - Event Concludes