EDUCATION & YOUTH COMMITTEE

AGM 2018

Firstly, well done to everyone who has taken the Donkey Breed Society Awards this year.  There is a full list on display, also a booklet containing all the Awards available, including our new Award for Training Your Donkey in Long Reins.  This is designed not necessarily as a starter for driving, but as an exercise in its own right and something else to do with your donkey.  Generally, donkeys love to be challenged, and working together brings you closer together!  It is divided into levels, therefore giving you something to work towards, achieve, and move on.

Congratulations also go to Charlotte Porter on being awarded the Barnabas Trophy and to Portlethen Primary School for being awarded the Club of the Year Trophy.

We have produced a chart to add to the collection on Parts of the Driving Harness, and these are now available from the DBS Shop.

Also, with the long winter evenings upon us, why not try writing a short story?  We have extended the closing date till Spring 2019 to allow more time, so please put pen to paper and do your best – it just needs a ‘donkey’ theme.  Please send your entries to Jade Weaver, Junior Bray Talk – but not just Juniors, the challenge is open to all!

Clare Strang

Chairman