**Eastern Region Report May 2021**

The Eastern Region has recently welcomed two new area representatives! Christ Voigt and Clare Bysouth who have taken on Buckinghamshire and Lincolnshire respectively.

We have continued to hold our committee meetings via zoom and have been planning a number of events for the coming summer, including training days in Hertfordshire and Lincolnshire (organised by our new area representatives). As well as donkey walk/drive/long rein taking place in Cambridgeshire organised by committee member Joss Goodchild.

The East has seen a keen interest in the Fab Farrier award with a number of farriers nominated across the region.  
A number of our members are also taking part in the Eastern Region and War Horse walking challenges.   
The monthly Thursday club run by Annette Staveley has also resumed and has been attended by some of its regulars.

I think we are all extremely keen to get out and about with our donkeys after what feels like an extremely long time.

Tom Bysouth