



**Echt, Skene & Midmar**  
**Agricultural Association**

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No SC013971

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## **Rural Business of the Year 2017**

### **Guidelines**

Echt, Skene and Midmar Agricultural Association recognises the contribution rural businesses make to the economy of the Association area.

1. Entries will be accepted from:
  - Any individual
  - A member of the Echt, Skene and Midmar Agricultural Association
  - A member of the Association committee
  - A Director of the Association.
  - An Honorary member or Honorary Vice Presidents
2. Criteria
  - The Business must operate in the Echt, Skene and Midmar Agricultural Association area.
  - The Business must operate in the land-based industry sector or contribute to the rural economy, e.g. agriculture, forestry, horticulture. Also eligible are suppliers to these industries, or those associated with these industries
  - The Business will have proved its dedication and commitment to the above by demonstrating support, service, expertise and / or innovation in an ever-changing business environment.
  - Businesses are eligible regardless of size or maturity.
3. Nominations should be made to the Show secretary, details below, by Friday the 2 June 2017
4. The judging panel will be drawn from the Directors of the Echt, Skene & Midmar Agricultural Association, its Honorary Vice Presidents and its Committee Members
5. The winner will be announced at The Echt Show, on Saturday 8 July 2017
6. The Trophy will be presented to the winner at the Show Presentation Dinner which will be held at Echt Hall on Saturday 4 November 2017

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