**CROP COMPETITION RESULTS 2017**

The Fife Agricultural Association held their annual Crop Competition recently, with results as follows:

**Winter Barley Judge Derek Wood, Kinross**

1 Proleaf Cup Russell Black, Wester Cash (Volume), 87 points
2 R H Black, Newton of Collessie (Pearl), 83 points
3 Lindsay Ashworth, Abercrombie (Pearl), 81 points

**Winter Wheat Judge Charles Young, Nisbet, Pencaitland**
1 Profarma Cup John Marshall, East Pitkierie (Viscount), 92 points
2 Roy Fisher, Airdrie (Horatio), 90 points
3 Lindsay Ashworth, Abercrombie (Leeds), 87 points

**Spring Barley Judge Graeme Meikle, Hoprig Mains, Gladsmuir**1 R Hutchison & Co Ltd Cup Ian Steven, Beley (Lauriette), 95 points
2 Mike McLaren, Nether Strathkinness (Lauriette), 90 points
3= Lindsay Ashworth, Abercrombie (Concerto), 89points
3= Russell Black, Wester Cash (Concerto), 89 points

**Winter Oats** **Judge Peter Forster, Duncrahill, Pencaitland**1 Roy Fisher, Airdrie (Gerald), 84 points
2 Ian Steven, Beley (Gerald), 82 points
3= Roy Fisher, Frithfield (Gerald), 80 points
3= John Marshall, East Pitkierie (Gerald), 80 points

**Spring Oats Judge Peter Forster, Duncrahill, Pencaitland**1 Quaker Oats Trophy Andrew Stevenson, Bonerbo (Canyon), 89 points
2 4Front Farming, West Gilston Mains (Canyon), 72 points
3 Ian Crombie, Westhall (Canyon), 71 points

**Champion overall crop**: John Marshall, East Pitkierie (Viscount winter wheat)

Entries again were fairly healthy with the oats section split into spring and winter for the first time. The Best Overall Crop was deemed to be a field of Viscount winter wheat from John Marshall, East Pitkierie, who takes home the Danskin Cup. Thanks to all who entered the competition and congratulations to those placed. Sincere thanks are also due to the Judges, some of whom travelled from East Lothian to inspect the fields.