



Eseltjiesrus Donkey Sanctuary Donkey Adoption Form

Adopter's full name: _____

Full address: _____

Phone(s): _____

Email: _____

If this adoption is a gift, please complete:

Receiver of gift: _____

(Name to appear on Adoption Certificate)

Relationship to Adopter: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please send the adoption papers to:

☐ The recipient of the gift

☐ To me (giver of the gift)

Is this gift for a special event: birthday or anniversary?

Special date: _____

Donkey chosen: _____

I will contribute: ☐ Annually ☐ Monthly ☐ Occasionally

Method of payment: ☐ Cash ☐ EFT/Deposit ☐ Card

Date of 1st payment: _____

Date of adoption: _____

I wish to adopt a donkey at:

☐ R50 per month (R600 per year)

☐ R100 per month (R1,200 per year)

☐ R200 per month (R2,400 per year)

☐ R300 per month (R3,600 per year)

☐ R500 per month (R6,000 per year)

☐ R700 per month (R8,400 per year)

Other (please specify) R: _____

Eseltjiesrus Donkey Sanctuary
Standard Bank, Savings account: 288 244 419
www.donkeysanctuary.co.za



Adopt a long - eared friend

The perfect gift:

A gift for yourself or someone special. The ideal birthday, anniversary or Christmas gift that lasts for a whole year, always fits, is the right colour and size, and creates a bond between giver and recipient. By adopting a donkey you act as a Donkey Ambassador and raise the status of donkeys.

The adoption amount is solely at your discretion. Deposits may be made annually, monthly or occasionally. You choose your donkey, either when visiting us or via our Adoption brochure or website. You then receive details of your special donkey, as well as an adoption certificate and photo, a six-monthly report and our quarterly newsletter. If the adoption is a gift we can also send these to the recipient.

You are most welcome to visit your special donkey and to stay in touch via social media.

You can complete the adoption form at our Visitor Centre or online. Please give your full details so we can issue you with a tax certificate. Adoptions are valid for the period you choose. We will send you a reminder when the adoption period ends, inviting your valued continued support.

We take care of it all:

You choose how much you want to spend, annually, monthly or occasionally, fill in a form and we do the rest.

We appreciate **any** level of support.



Dankie dat jy omgee
Thank you for caring





Eseltjiesrus Donkey Sanctuary

Welcome to our Sanctuary for previously neglected and abused donkeys

Here you will find a tranquil haven, a place for donkeys and humans.

Open: Thur to Sun 10am - 4pm
Admission is by donation
www.donkeysanctuary.co.za
info@donkeysanctuary.co.za
(023) 625 1801

Find us on  Google Maps



The patron of Eseltjiesrus, David Kramer, has produced a poignant song about our rescue donkeys. Watch **Donkiehemel** on **YouTube**.

We are a registered charity (NPO 056-575 | PBO 930028734) and you can help us by:

- Donating • Adopting a donkey • Leaving a bequest
- Supporting our Coffee and Donkey Gift Shop
- Visiting us regularly and by being a Donkey Ambassador for donkeys everywhere.

Our bank details are: Eseltjiesrus Donkey Sanctuary
• Standard Bank • Savings # 288244419

Donations, adoptions and renewal of adoptions can be made via our website at www.donkeysanctuary.co.za which accepts cards and Electronic Fund Transfers.

Make Eseltjiesrus a beneficiary on your MyPlanet card.



We accept PayFast, Zapper & SnapScan along with traditional EFT, card and cash payments.



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We are situated 4km outside the village of McGregor on the road from Robertson.



Why donkeys?

Donkeys must be the creatures with the most negative attributes given to them by humans. Whether from ignorance or deliberate cruelty, many donkeys have a hard life. Because they are so often abused and brutally treated, they seem to understand the pain that many humans live with. Donkeys teach us about acceptance, forgiveness and humility.

What we do:

- *We provide a permanent home and loving care to destitute, rescued donkeys.
- *Where appropriate, we help to place donkeys into approved homes.
- *We guide the rehabilitation of donkeys elsewhere. We educate the owners and help them to handle their donkeys correctly and safely.
- *We offer advice and support in response to requests from across South Africa and put people in touch with donkey welfare organisations in their area.
- *We present workshops for organisations and individuals involved with donkey welfare.



Our work is funded by the compassionate public.



Disability access



Pets on leads are welcome

You can support our work through adoptions, donations and bequests.



Lulu's story



Whilst roaming in the veld near Barrydale I got a hind leg trapped in some barbed wire, nearly severing my tendons. It was frightening and extremely painful. A kind person saw me and asked a vet to look at my leg. He suggested putting me to sleep permanently. I was terrified.

A second vet said they could try to fix my leg. After a difficult operation, I spent months in hospital. It was boring and I lost a lot of weight.

Then Eseltjiesrus fetched me and I made many donkey friends at my new forever home. My leg is fine now and I am very happy and peaceful here in "A Home of my Own".