

There is no mistaking that events are expensive to run and also demand considerable volunteer time. Those organising and setting up events invest a significant amount of time and often personal finances to run them. However, a component of the event fee is an ESA eventing levy set at \$20 + gst for 2021/22. The levy is applied to all riders across all of our events to enable the Discipline Committee to have funds to support OCs and the sport in general where needed.

Eventing discipline committees in all states collect an eventing levy for the purpose of supporting and developing eventing This is a guide to what happens to the levy you pay.

## Officials, Rep's & FEI Fees

- TD fee \$250 per event will be covered;
- Steward fee up to \$200 per event will be covered;
- Mandated swabbing fees to be covered;
- TDs, CDs, judges and stewards are required to maintain their qualifications. Officials may apply to the EDC for support to defray the cost of training fees and travel costs;
- Covers travel expenses enabling an SA eventing committee member to attend national meetings, contributing to the structure and regulations for EA eventing;
- FEI calendar fees are paid on behalf of SA OCs.

## **Event Equipment & Safety Devices**

- FEI calendar fees are paid on behalf of SA Organising Committees:
- Updated and reconditioned two way radios, specialist timing clocks, stopwatches with automatic synchronization, eventing box of gear for official duties (jump judge bibs, instructions, flags, whistles and scoring sheets);
- There is a small charge for the event box to cover the repair and loss of equipment;
- MIM frangible devices, required under updated eventing rules, are sourced and made available to OCs as levy income allows;
- Spirafix screws and brackets are supplied for portable jumps on all courses;
- Spirafix brackets are provided to clubs as required, reducing the need to remove all brackets from jumps after an event.

For any questions or for more information, please contact ESA or the EDC chairperson.