Eventing SA Rider Levy

EVENTING SOUTH AUSTRALIA

There is no mistaking that events are expensive to run and also demand considerable volunteer time. Eventing Discipline committees in all states collect an eventing levy for the purpose of supporting and developing the sport. SA is no exception. A component of the event entry fee is the rider levy, set at \$22 incl GST for 2023/2024. The levy is applied to all riders across all our events.

Here is a guide as to what your levy is used for.

Officials, Reps & FEI Fees	Event Equipment & Safety Devices
(approximately \$13,000 per year)	(approximately \$5-6,000 per year)
 TD fees per event. Depending on entries there may be one or two TDs per event. Steward fee per event 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. NB: Technical Delegate (TD) approves technical and administrative arrangements for horses and athletes at a competition CD - cross country Course Designer 	 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); NB: There is a small charge for the event box hire to cover the repair and loss of equipment. MIM frangible devices, required under eventing rules for safety reasons, are sourced and made available to event organizing committees as levy income allows; Spirafix screws and brackets are supplied to stabilize portable jumps on all courses
Clinics and Trophies	Grants
(approximately \$5,000 per year)	(currently \$2,000 per event)
 EOY Awards (including rugs and trophies) Annual Gillian Rolton Youth Award (prize money, coach and venue hire) Subsidised Grass Roots Clinics (coach, venue hire) 	 Grant to each Horse Trials organizing committee to help run events