

# EVENTING CLUB PACK 2008



# Checklist for Running Your Event - Eventing

EFA & FEI Eventing Rulebook is included

## ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE

- All performance cards should be checked that they are valid for 31/12/08
- All riders competing at fixtures run by Affiliated Clubs must be current financial Senior, Junior or Associate Members of the Equestrian Federation of Australia Clubs need to check that all horses and riders are current financial members for 2008
- Foreign competitors must submit to the EFA a current license issued by their own National Federation to be issued with a guest license by the National EFA whilst competing at National events in Australia.

## AGE OF COMPETITORS

- CNC\*\*\* Classes - From the beginning of the calendar year in which the rider turns 18
- CNC\*\* Classes - From the beginning of the calendar year in which the rider turns 16
- CNC\* Classes - From the beginning of the calendar year in which the rider turns 14
- Pre Novice Classes - From the beginning of the calendar year in which the rider reaches the age of 13
- Jnr Pre Novice Classes - From the beginning of the calendar year in which the rider reaches the age of 13 until the end of the calendar year in which the riders reaches the age of 18.
- Young Rider Classes - From the beginning of the calendar year in which the rider reaches the age of 16 until the end of the calendar year in which the rider reaches the age of 21.
- Preliminary Classes - From the beginning of the calendar year in which the rider turns 12.
- Introductory Classes - From the beginning of the calendar year in which the rider turns 11.

## HORSES

- All horses in Pre Novice classes and above must be registered with the EFA before being entered for any event and have a **current performance card** (except Preliminary & Introductory classes).
- Horses must be entered for events in their full registered names and their registered EFA Number (except unregistered horses in Preliminary & Introductory classes).

### Result Sheets

- It is the clubs responsibility to forward results to the EFA Office within 14 Days. If clubs are using the K Trials system they must also be forwarded to the Office.

### Horse Yards

As from 1 January 2003, all day and/or night yards made by competitors at Eventing venues should be of solid construction consisting of metal, wood or a combination of both. Further that these must not be made of tape, rope or electrical tape fencing only. This policy is in the interest of the welfare of the horse.

### **THIS RULE APPLIES ONLY TO EVENTING COMPETITIONS.**

### Start Levy

- Organisers must charge a levy of \$22.00 for non grading classes (Preliminary/Intro Classes) and \$27.00 for Official Classes – Pre Novice and above.
- The levies collected should be sent to the EFA (WA) office with the results **within 14 days.**

### Protective Headgear and Back Protectors

- An approved helmet is compulsory for anyone riding horses except when a top hat is worn.
- During the dressage test and in final warm up for the dressage test, tops hats may be worn by competitors at CNC\*\* or above (see Rule 36)
- Approved helmets must be either AS/NZS 3838 (Aust standard) EN 1384 (European Standard) or ASTM F1163 (Current US Standard). Failure to wear an approved helmet shall be penalized by elimination at the discretion of the Technical Delegate.
- As at 1<sup>st</sup> January 2007 it is compulsory for all competitors to wear a Back Protector during the cross country phase.

It is the organizers responsibility to make sure that all riders, officials, spectators etc abide by the rules of the EFA and the EFA Codes of Conduct.