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# **HKEF Financial Charges for Year 2022-2023**

# 1. Membership Fees

Membership fees for the period from 1<sup>st</sup> September to 31<sup>st</sup> August are as follow:

	<b>Membership Category</b>	Entrance	Annual	Total fees for
		Fee	Subscription	New Members
1.	Ordinary Membership	HK\$500	HK\$400	HK\$900
2.	Junior Membership	HK\$150	HK\$400	HK\$550
3.	Associate Membership	NA	HK\$165	HK\$165

HKEF will waive the HK\$150 entrance fee and HK\$400 annual subscription for junior riders joining the HKEF Interschool Equestrian Challenge for the first year. For renewal in the second year, these junior riders only have to pay the annual subscription.

## 2. Coach Registration Fees

To apply for the HKEF Coach registration, members will be required to submit an application and supporting evidence that they currently hold a BHS Stage 3 Certificate or a qualification that is equivalent to or above a BHS Stage 3 Certificate and pay an annual fee of HK\$200 from 1st September to 31st August. If the annual fee is not paid by the 31<sup>st</sup> September, the Coach will be removed from the register and a new application must be submitted for registration.

### 3. Competition Entry Fee

Entry fees of all HKEF competitions must be paid before the start of the competition as specified on each of the show schedule issued by HKEF. Members with outstanding entry fees will not be allowed to enter into any other HKEF competitions before payment of the overdue balances.

#### 4. Calendar Fee

Organizers intending to hold a Hong Kong Equestrian Federation Sanctioned National or International (FEI) Events must submit the Competition Application Form (CAF) on or before 15 July preceding the Competition Season, accompanied by a Calendar Fee of HK\$3,000 (HK\$2,000 for 2021 – 2022 and 2022 – 2023 season) or as stipulated by HKEF Executive Committee.

Details of Competition Calendar and Event Schedule can be found in Article 137 of HKEF General Rules at:

https://www.hkef.org/fileupload/Rules/Approved%20for%202022-2023/General%20Rules/Approved%20HKEF%20General%20Rules%20for%202022-2023 Clean%20Version.pdf



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### 5. Horses and Riders Registration Fees

	Services	Annual Subscription
1.	Rider Registration Fee for local affiliated shows**	HK\$ 400
2.	Horse Registration Fee for local affiliated shows**	HK\$ 400
3.	FEI Rider Registration Fee ***	HK\$ 2,000
4.	FEI Horse Registration Fee ****	HK\$ 400

\*\*Any member who wishes to compete in local ranking competitions of affiliated shows from 1<sup>st</sup> September to 31<sup>st</sup> August will be required to pay a Rider Registration Fee of HK\$ 400 and a Horse Registration Fee of HK\$400 for his or her competition horse before the start of the local ranking competition in which he or she has submitted entries to the OC. Affiliated shows refer to shows organized by the HKEF or other riding schools in accordance with HKEF Rules, or in the case of international competitions, under the Rules of the FEI.

\*\*\*Any member who wishes to compete in FEI competitions from 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December will be required to pay a Rider Registration Fee of HK\$ 2,000 and a Horse Registration Fee of HK\$ 400 for his or her competition horse before the start of the FEI competition(s) in which he or she has submitted entries to HKEF. FEI competitions refer to shows organized by the HKEF or other organizers in accordance with the Rules of the FEI.

\*\*\*\* FEI Horse Registration is required for any horse competing in FEI competitions.

#### 6. FEI Recognition Card or Passport Fees

FEI registered horses need a FEI document to compete in all FEI Events outside of their country of residence and all higher-level events. Please see Article 137 of FEI General Regulations for full details: https://inside.fei.org/content/general-regs-statutes

Any member who wishes to issue a FEI Recognition Card or a FEI Passport for his or her horse will be required to pay a fee of HK\$3,000.

A **FEI Recognition Card** is an official FEI horse document that accompanies and supports the national passport of the horse. The national passport needs to be recognised by the FEI for it to be possible to issue a FEI Recognition Card.

A **FEI Passport** is an official FEI horse document that contains the horse description and diagram and can be issued outside of the European Union if the horse does not have a national passport approved by the FEI.



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# 7. Horse Name Changes

Any member who wishes to change his or her horse's name on the FEI Database will be required to pay HK\$10,000 for Commercial Names and HK\$ 4,000 for non-Commercial Names.

Please refer to Horse Name changes Guidelines available on the following link:

inside.fei.org/system/files/Horse%20Name%20Change%20Guidelines 01.03.2020.pdf

# 8. Late Payment Interest

If the debit notes for items 3 to 7 are not paid within 90 days from the date of issue, interest will automatically be charged at the end of each month at the rate of 10% p.a. consistent with FEI policy.

Approved and Endorsed by Exco of the HKEF on 14 October 2022