



Edmonton Area Alberta Dressage Association 2021 Education Subsidy Program

The Edmonton Area Alberta Dressage Association (EAADA) Board is pleased to announce that we will be continuing the Education Subsidy Program for 2021. The intention of this program is to financially support the dressage education of its members. Following are the criteria that have been set for the subsidy program – if you have any questions, please feel free to e-mail or call the **EAADA Education Subsidy Coordinator, Katherine Marshall** subsidies@eaada.ca

The guidelines to be eligible for Education Subsidies are as follows:

1. Each rider may apply for a combination of clinics and lessons to a maximum of \$150.00. The funds will be allocated as follows:
 - a. \$50.00 per dressage clinic;
 - b. \$50.00 for each set of 5 dressage lessons.
2. The primary focus of the lessons and clinics must be dressage. For clinics, it is recommended that auditors/spectators are encouraged to attend.
3. For a rider to be eligible for the subsidy:
 - a. The rider must be an EAADA member in good standing;
 - b. The rider must not have applied for subsidy under any other ADA education program.
4. Subsidies will be applied to the **Rider** (not the horse). The intent of the funding is for the education of the rider.
5. The monies payable to the rider will be determined by the EAADA Executive based on the financial health of EAADA during that fiscal year. There are no guarantees of any subsidy monies being payable. Based on the popularity of the program, a member may only receive a percentage of the total amount claimed, so that all riders submitting forms will receive equal access to funding.
6. **Clinic Subsidy Forms will be accepted no later than January 5, 2021. The form must be completed in full and the full names and signatures of the clinic organiser and instructors are required. For your convenience, forms may be emailed to the Education Subsidy Coordinator:**

Katherine Marshall – EAADA Subsidy Coordinator

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In order to be eligible for any monies, all members claiming subsidies are required to participate in EAADA programs and activities during the year. Members who apply for subsidy will only be considered eligible if they support the EAADA by volunteering for a minimum of 3 hours.

Volunteer activities may include, but are not limited to:

- a. Volunteering at any Equine Canada recognized dressage show in the province
- b. Organizing dressage clinics in the Edmonton Area
- c. Volunteering at any EAADA event (i.e. transporting or billeting clinicians; hosting a social, being on the executive)
- d. Volunteering to work ADA casinos or the Mane Event ADA booth, etc.

Please contact Deb Meraw at djmeraw@shaw.ca for more information on volunteer opportunities or if you have questions regarding whether or not your volunteer activities would qualify.

The EAADA is pleased to be able to offer the Education Subsidy program to its members. Only through the time of dedicated volunteers and through the financial support of its members can we continue to promote the future of dressage in Alberta.



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Name (as it should appear on the cheque)	
EAADA Membership #	
Mailing Address	
Email/Phone Number	

	Description of Volunteer Activity ¹	Hours
1		
2		
3		
Total		

Clinics²

Date	Name of Dressage Clinician	Name of Organizer	Signature of Clinician or Organizer ⁴	Clinic Fees Paid by Rider	Amount of Subsidy Applied For

Lessons³ (Group of 5 Lessons)

	Dressage Instructor Name	Signature of Instructor ⁴	Dates	Lesson Subsidy
1				
2				
3				
Total Subsidy from Lessons				

Total Subsidy (max. \$150.00)

¹A minimum of 3 hours of eligible volunteer activity (as defined in the EAADA Education Subsidy Program) is required to be eligible for the EAADA Education Subsidy Program.

²A maximum of \$50.00 can be claimed per clinic.

³Members can claim \$50.00 per group of five lessons.

⁴**Subsidies will NOT be approved unless the form contains the signature of Instructor, Clinician or Organizer!**

I, _____ (Rider Name) acknowledge that all of the information I have provided above is correct to the best of my knowledge and that I have not applied to any other ADA group clinic/education subsidy program.

Signature of Rider/Parent

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