

Outdoor Educators' Association of South Australia Supporter Acknowledgement Policy

The Outdoor Educators' Association of South Australia has been the fortunate recipient of tremendous commercial and personal support over the years, greatly contributing to the ability of OEASA to provide services to members and to support Outdoor Education in South Australia.

Some corporate members can provide more support than others, but all support is gratefully received.

In order to acknowledge appropriately all supporters, the following guidelines have been drafted to work towards fair recognition.

Regards,

OEASA Committee

OEASA uses the support gained from organisations and individuals, as well as membership fees to assist with:

1. Support professional development events such as conferences and seminars;
2. Support the annual certificate presentation dinner;
3. Pay insurance for activities of the Committee;
4. Support individuals to attend professional development events such as conferences;
5. Affiliation with Outdoor Education Australia and other likeminded outdoor organisations;
6. Advocacy for Outdoor Education;
7. Bimonthly committee meetings (all welcome);
8. Production of quarterly newsletter;
9. Maintenance of OEASA website;
10. Other activities that support Outdoor Educators and Outdoor Education in primary, middle and secondary schools, as well as development of Outdoor Education and Recreation leaders at tertiary level.

The OEASA Supporter levels have the following principles:

1. It is a priority of OEASA to acknowledge support where it is provided;
2. The benefits available to different levels of supporter are made transparent to all;
3. Support provided in any year receives acknowledgement until end of following year;
4. Payment can be in-kind, direct remuneration or a combination.
5. All supporters acknowledged at in OEASA 'Outdoor News'
6. National Outdoor Education Conference is separate arrangement, due to OEA involvement. ie, support of the National OE conference is support of Outdoor Education Australia, not OEASA.

Level	Amount	Benefits
Gold	\$1500+	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 12 months OEASA membership 2. Front page logo acknowledgement as Gold Supporter – largest size 3. Half page advert in Outdoor News 4. Verbal acknowledgement at all conferences, dinners and meetings 5. Visual acknowledgement at OEASA dinner 6. Provision for banners, merchandise or other at OEASA Dinner 7. Complimentary catering for one member at all OEASA functions
Silver	\$750+	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 12 Months OEASA membership 2. Front page logo acknowledgement as Silver Supporter – medium size 3. Quarter page advert in Outdoor News 4. Visual acknowledgement at OEASA dinner 5. Verbal acknowledgement at all conferences, dinners and meetings 6. Provision for banners, merchandise or other at State Dinner
Bronze	\$350+	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 12 months OEASA membership 2. Front page logo acknowledgement as Bronze Supporter – small size 3. Visual acknowledgement at OEASA dinner 4. Verbal acknowledgement at all conferences, dinners and meetings 5. Provision for banners, merchandise or other at State Dinner
Green	\$150+	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Front page acknowledgement as Green Supporter – small size 2. Verbal acknowledgement at all conferences, dinners and meetings
Blue	<\$150	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Listed under supporters in OEASA news 2. Verbal acknowledgement at a specific OEASA event

An example:

Company X donates hire of a facility valued at \$450 to the OEASA dinner for auction. The auction might realise less than this, but the donation is calculated on the value of the item. They also provide tables and chairs for an event, that might have otherwise cost OEASA \$200. They then provide transport services that might otherwise have cost \$250. As a final component, they donate a \$500 cheque.

Total value of support: \$450 + \$200 +\$250 (in kind) + \$500 (cash) = \$1500 – GOLD supporter.

If you would like to become an OEASA supporter, please head to our website (www.oeasa.com.au) and get in touch via the 'Contact Us' page or get in touch with any of the committee members.