

Sample HM Budgets for Rallies

Sample HM Budget for 3 day Rally (based on 100 competitors)

Staff	Fee	Transportation/Mileage	Food	Lodging	Totals
Chief (1)	\$375 (\$125/day)	\$100-\$600 (Depends on location of Chief)	\$60 (\$20/day if vendor, less if provided)	\$270 (#90/night for at least 3 nights) (local pony club houses cost less)	\$805-\$1305
AHMJs (3)	\$450 (\$50/day)	usually \$200 or less (usually local or carpool)	\$180 (\$20/day if vendor, less if provided)	\$180 (2 nights, sharing room) (local pony club houses cost less)	\$1010
J2s (3)	No fee	\$60 or less (usually only offered to adults w/out kids in PC, or to older peers)	\$180 (\$20/day if vendor, less if provided)	\$180 or less (usually only offered to adults w/out kids in PC, or to older peers)	\$420
Trainees (5)	No fee	No Mileage	\$300 (\$20/day if vendor, less if provided)	\$180 or less (usually only offered to adults w/out kids in PC, or to older peers)	\$480
Thank You Gifts for 12 (\$5 each)					\$60
					\$2775-\$3275

Sample HM Budget for 1 day Rally (based on 60 competitors)

Staff	Fee	Transportation/Mileage	Food	Lodging	Totals
Chief (1)	\$200 (\$125/day)	\$200 or less (Depends on location of Chief)	\$40 (\$20/day if vendor, less if provided)	\$90 (#90/night) (local pony club houses cost less)	\$530
AHMJs (2)	\$150 (\$50/day)	usually \$150 or less (usually local or carpool)	\$80 (\$20/day if vendor, less if provided)	\$90 (1 night, sharing room) (local pony club houses cost less)	\$470
J2s (2)	No fee	\$60 or less (usually only offered to adults w/out kids in PC, or to older peers)	\$80 (\$20/day if vendor, less if provided)	\$90 or less (usually only offered to adults w/out kids in PC, or to older peers)	\$230
Trainees (3)	No fee	No Mileage	\$120 (\$20/day if vendor, less if provided)	\$90 or less (usually only offered to adults w/out kids in PC, or to older peers)	\$210
Thank You Gifts for 8 (\$5 each)					\$40
					\$1480

(This total can be significantly lowered by being creative in the food department, and by getting a good airline ticket price for the chief. As long as quality of care for the HM Team does not suffer, feel free to cut costs however you can!)

The budget for the HM Team is substantial - for a very important reason. These devoted teachers are overseeing the safety & well-being of the competitors and the horses for over 12 hours each day. We must show them our appreciation!