

Pay Guide - Horse and Greyhound Training Award

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Rates of pay

Note: Trade qualified juniors must be paid the appropriate adult rate.

Adult

Full-time & part-time

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$922.70	\$24.28	\$48.56	\$48.56	\$36.42	\$48.56
Stablehand grade 1	\$948.00	\$24.95	\$49.90	\$49.90	\$37.43	\$49.90
Stablehand grade 2	\$982.40	\$25.85	\$51.70	\$51.70	\$38.78	\$51.70
Track rider	\$982.40	\$25.85	\$51.70	\$51.70	\$38.78	\$51.70
Stable foreman	\$1,068.40	\$28.12	\$56.24	\$56.24	\$42.18	\$56.24
Training assistant	\$1,102.00	\$29.00	\$58.00	\$58.00	\$43.50	\$58.00
Trainer	\$1,165.70	\$30.68	\$61.36	\$61.36	\$46.02	\$61.36

Casual

Classification	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$30.35	\$60.70	\$60.70	\$45.53	\$60.70
Stablehand grade 1	\$31.19	\$62.38	\$62.38	\$46.79	\$62.38
Stablehand grade 2	\$32.31	\$64.62	\$64.62	\$48.47	\$64.62
Track rider	\$32.31	\$64.62	\$64.62	\$48.47	\$64.62
Stable foreman	\$35.15	\$70.30	\$70.30	\$52.73	\$70.30
Training assistant	\$36.25	\$72.50	\$72.50	\$54.38	\$72.50
Trainer	\$38.35	\$76.70	\$76.70	\$57.53	\$76.70

Junior - Full-time & part-time - Under 16 years

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$507.50	\$13.36	\$26.72	\$26.72	\$20.04	\$26.72
Stablehand grade 1	\$521.40	\$13.72	\$27.44	\$27.44	\$20.58	\$27.44
Stablehand grade 2	\$540.30	\$14.22	\$28.44	\$28.44	\$21.33	\$28.44
Track rider	\$540.30	\$14.22	\$28.44	\$28.44	\$21.33	\$28.44
Stable foreman	\$587.60	\$15.46	\$30.92	\$30.92	\$23.19	\$30.92
Training assistant	\$606.10	\$15.95	\$31.90	\$31.90	\$23.93	\$31.90
Trainer	\$641.10	\$16.87	\$33.74	\$33.74	\$25.31	\$33.74

Junior - Full-time & part-time - 16 years

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$553.60	\$14.57	\$29.14	\$29.14	\$21.86	\$29.14
Stablehand grade 1	\$568.80	\$14.97	\$29.94	\$29.94	\$22.46	\$29.94
Stablehand grade 2	\$589.40	\$15.51	\$31.02	\$31.02	\$23.27	\$31.02
Track rider	\$589.40	\$15.51	\$31.02	\$31.02	\$23.27	\$31.02
Stable foreman	\$641.00	\$16.87	\$33.74	\$33.74	\$25.31	\$33.74
Training assistant	\$661.20	\$17.40	\$34.80	\$34.80	\$26.10	\$34.80
Trainer	\$699.40	\$18.41	\$36.82	\$36.82	\$27.62	\$36.82

Junior - Full-time & part-time - 17 years

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$599.80	\$15.78	\$31.56	\$31.56	\$23.67	\$31.56
Stablehand grade 1	\$616.20	\$16.22	\$32.44	\$32.44	\$24.33	\$32.44
Stablehand grade 2	\$638.60	\$16.81	\$33.62	\$33.62	\$25.22	\$33.62
Track rider	\$638.60	\$16.81	\$33.62	\$33.62	\$25.22	\$33.62
Stable foreman	\$694.50	\$18.28	\$36.56	\$36.56	\$27.42	\$36.56
Training assistant	\$716.30	\$18.85	\$37.70	\$37.70	\$28.28	\$37.70
Trainer	\$757.70	\$19.94	\$39.88	\$39.88	\$29.91	\$39.88

Junior - Full-time & part-time - 18 years

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$645.90	\$17.00	\$34.00	\$34.00	\$25.50	\$34.00
Stablehand grade 1	\$663.60	\$17.46	\$34.92	\$34.92	\$26.19	\$34.92
Stablehand grade 2	\$687.70	\$18.10	\$36.20	\$36.20	\$27.15	\$36.20
Track rider	\$687.70	\$18.10	\$36.20	\$36.20	\$27.15	\$36.20
Stable foreman	\$747.90	\$19.68	\$39.36	\$39.36	\$29.52	\$39.36
Training assistant	\$771.40	\$20.30	\$40.60	\$40.60	\$30.45	\$40.60
Trainer	\$816.00	\$21.47	\$42.94	\$42.94	\$32.21	\$42.94

Junior - Full-time & part-time - 19 years

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$738.20	\$19.43	\$38.86	\$38.86	\$29.15	\$38.86
Stablehand grade 1	\$758.40	\$19.96	\$39.92	\$39.92	\$29.94	\$39.92
Stablehand grade 2	\$785.90	\$20.68	\$41.36	\$41.36	\$31.02	\$41.36
Track rider	\$785.90	\$20.68	\$41.36	\$41.36	\$31.02	\$41.36
Stable foreman	\$854.70	\$22.49	\$44.98	\$44.98	\$33.74	\$44.98
Training assistant	\$881.60	\$23.20	\$46.40	\$46.40	\$34.80	\$46.40
Trainer	\$932.60	\$24.54	\$49.08	\$49.08	\$36.81	\$49.08

Junior - Full-time & part-time - 20 years

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$876.60	\$23.07	\$46.14	\$46.14	\$34.61	\$46.14
Stablehand grade 1	\$900.60	\$23.70	\$47.40	\$47.40	\$35.55	\$47.40
Stablehand grade 2	\$933.30	\$24.56	\$49.12	\$49.12	\$36.84	\$49.12
Track rider	\$933.30	\$24.56	\$49.12	\$49.12	\$36.84	\$49.12
Stable foreman	\$1,015.00	\$26.71	\$53.42	\$53.42	\$40.07	\$53.42
Training assistant	\$1,046.90	\$27.55	\$55.10	\$55.10	\$41.33	\$55.10
Trainer	\$1,107.40	\$29.14	\$58.28	\$58.28	\$43.71	\$58.28

Junior - Casual - Under 16 years

Classification	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$16.70	\$33.40	\$33.40	\$25.05	\$33.40
Stablehand grade 1	\$17.15	\$34.30	\$34.30	\$25.73	\$34.30
Stablehand grade 2	\$17.78	\$35.56	\$35.56	\$26.67	\$35.56
Track rider	\$17.78	\$35.56	\$35.56	\$26.67	\$35.56
Stable foreman	\$19.33	\$38.66	\$38.66	\$29.00	\$38.66
Training assistant	\$19.94	\$39.88	\$39.88	\$29.91	\$39.88
Trainer	\$21.09	\$42.18	\$42.18	\$31.64	\$42.18

Junior - Casual - 16 years

Classification	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$18.21	\$36.42	\$36.42	\$27.32	\$36.42
Stablehand grade 1	\$18.71	\$37.42	\$37.42	\$28.07	\$37.42
Stablehand grade 2	\$19.39	\$38.78	\$38.78	\$29.09	\$38.78
Track rider	\$19.39	\$38.78	\$38.78	\$29.09	\$38.78
Stable foreman	\$21.09	\$42.18	\$42.18	\$31.64	\$42.18
Training assistant	\$21.75	\$43.50	\$43.50	\$32.63	\$43.50
Trainer	\$23.01	\$46.02	\$46.02	\$34.52	\$46.02

Junior - Casual - 17 years

Classification	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$19.73	\$39.46	\$39.46	\$29.60	\$39.46
Stablehand grade 1	\$20.28	\$40.56	\$40.56	\$30.42	\$40.56
Stablehand grade 2	\$21.01	\$42.02	\$42.02	\$31.52	\$42.02
Track rider	\$21.01	\$42.02	\$42.02	\$31.52	\$42.02
Stable foreman	\$22.85	\$45.70	\$45.70	\$34.28	\$45.70
Training assistant	\$23.56	\$47.12	\$47.12	\$35.34	\$47.12
Trainer	\$24.93	\$49.86	\$49.86	\$37.40	\$49.86

Junior - Casual - 18 years

Classification	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$21.25	\$42.50	\$42.50	\$31.88	\$42.50
Stablehand grade 1	\$21.83	\$43.66	\$43.66	\$32.75	\$43.66
Stablehand grade 2	\$22.63	\$45.26	\$45.26	\$33.95	\$45.26
Track rider	\$22.63	\$45.26	\$45.26	\$33.95	\$45.26
Stable foreman	\$24.60	\$49.20	\$49.20	\$36.90	\$49.20
Training assistant	\$25.38	\$50.76	\$50.76	\$38.07	\$50.76
Trainer	\$26.84	\$53.68	\$53.68	\$40.26	\$53.68

Junior - Casual - 19 years

Classification	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$24.29	\$48.58	\$48.58	\$36.44	\$48.58
Stablehand grade 1	\$24.95	\$49.90	\$49.90	\$37.43	\$49.90
Stablehand grade 2	\$25.85	\$51.70	\$51.70	\$38.78	\$51.70
Track rider	\$25.85	\$51.70	\$51.70	\$38.78	\$51.70
Stable foreman	\$28.11	\$56.22	\$56.22	\$42.17	\$56.22
Training assistant	\$29.00	\$58.00	\$58.00	\$43.50	\$58.00
Trainer	\$30.68	\$61.36	\$61.36	\$46.02	\$61.36

Junior - Casual - 20 years

Classification	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Stable employee	\$28.84	\$57.68	\$57.68	\$43.26	\$57.68
Stablehand grade 1	\$29.63	\$59.26	\$59.26	\$44.45	\$59.26
Stablehand grade 2	\$30.70	\$61.40	\$61.40	\$46.05	\$61.40
Track rider	\$30.70	\$61.40	\$61.40	\$46.05	\$61.40
Stable foreman	\$33.39	\$66.78	\$66.78	\$50.09	\$66.78
Training assistant	\$34.44	\$68.88	\$68.88	\$51.66	\$68.88
Trainer	\$36.43	\$72.86	\$72.86	\$54.65	\$72.86

Apprentice - Did not complete year 12

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Apprentice - 1st year	\$491.20	\$12.93	\$25.86	\$25.86	\$19.40	\$25.86
Apprentice - 2nd year	\$589.44	\$15.51	\$31.02	\$31.02	\$23.27	\$31.02
Apprentice - 3rd year	\$736.80	\$19.39	\$38.78	\$38.78	\$29.09	\$38.78
Apprentice - 4th year	\$884.16	\$23.27	\$46.54	\$46.54	\$34.91	\$46.54

Apprentice - Completed year 12

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Apprentice - 1st year	\$540.32	\$14.22	\$28.44	\$28.44	\$21.33	\$28.44
Apprentice - 2nd year	\$638.56	\$16.80	\$33.60	\$33.60	\$25.20	\$33.60
Apprentice - 3rd year	\$736.80	\$19.39	\$38.78	\$38.78	\$29.09	\$38.78
Apprentice - 4th year	\$933.28	\$24.56	\$49.12	\$49.12	\$36.84	\$49.12

Adult apprentice - Started after 1 Jan 2014 - Did not complete year 12

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Apprentice - 1st year	\$785.92	\$20.68	\$41.36	\$41.36	\$31.02	\$41.36
Apprentice - 2nd year	\$922.70	\$24.28	\$48.56	\$48.56	\$36.42	\$48.56
Apprentice - 3rd year	\$922.70	\$24.28	\$48.56	\$48.56	\$36.42	\$48.56
Apprentice - 4th year	\$922.70	\$24.28	\$48.56	\$48.56	\$36.42	\$48.56

Adult apprentice - Started after 1 Jan 2014 - Completed year 12

Classification	Weekly pay rate	Hourly pay rate	Sunday	Public holiday	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - first 3 hours	Overtime - Monday to Saturday - after 3 hours
Apprentice - 1st year	\$785.92	\$20.68	\$41.36	\$41.36	\$31.02	\$41.36
Apprentice - 2nd year	\$922.70	\$24.28	\$48.56	\$48.56	\$36.42	\$48.56
Apprentice - 3rd year	\$922.70	\$24.28	\$48.56	\$48.56	\$36.42	\$48.56
Apprentice - 4th year	\$933.28	\$24.56	\$49.12	\$49.12	\$36.84	\$49.12

Allowances

Allowances	Rate
Apprentice training fees and textbook costs reimbursement	reimbursement of training fees for prescribed courses and the cost of prescribed textbooks
Apprentice travel to block release training reimbursement	reimbursement for the excess reasonable travel costs incurred in the course of travelling to and from the training
Boots, cap and vest allowance - track riders	\$5.46 per week
Meal allowance - race meeting	\$14.98 for each meal
Meal allowance - overtime	\$18.28 for each meal
Protective clothing and footwear reimbursement	reimbursement for the cost of purchasing protective clothing and footwear
Racecourse attendance allowance	\$30.01 per occasion, with an extra \$7.07 for each 50 km or part thereof travelled beyond 75 km from the place of employment
Transport reimbursement (horse floated) race meeting	reimbursement for the cost of fares from the usual workplace to the race meeting
Travel allowance	payment for out-of-pocket expenses