

Part 1 – RULES FOR RALLIES

Feed Chart

1a. The Rule

A Feed Chart with all required information for each mount must be posted in the area where the feed is stored.

1b. Feed Charts are Required

Whenever a mount is on USPC competition grounds, a feed chart must be posted in the area where the feed is stored. This includes one day rallies as it is assumed the mount will be provided roughage/hay.

1c. Why Are Feed Charts Required?

Feed charts provide the information needed for any individual, not just a team member, to safely take over the feeding of any mount on that team.

- The Feed Chart provides instruction for properly feeding a mount should the rider not be present. A mount's digestion can get easily upset if he is not fed properly, which can lead to colic or founder.

- It is important to stick to a daily routine, the Feed Chart ensures someone is able to maintain the feeding schedule for the mount and ensures any and all supplements/medications are given properly at scheduled times.

1d. Making a Feed Chart

You may copy and use this card or design your own. There is no specific way to design a feed chart, but the feed chart must:

- Have all the required information, and
- Be neat and organized, so it can be easily read.

Required Information for Feed Chart

Heading for Chart

- Mount's name
- Stall number (if available)
- Team name
- Rider Name(s) and Number(s)

Feeding Schedule

- Date and or day of week
- Feeding time (AM, PM, etc.)

Types and Amount of Feed (may show conversion to volume)

- Concentrates/Grain by weight
- Roughage/Hay by weight
- 1 flake = ? lbs (should be listed for each type of roughage)
- Supplements
- Form of Salt (block or loose), measured in feed or free choice

Medications

- Include medication name, time(s) given and dosage

Note: Any permitted medications must be accompanied by a Vet Letter or Veterinary Prescription containing the information outlined in Appendix D (HM14, UOR A8 and Appendix D).

