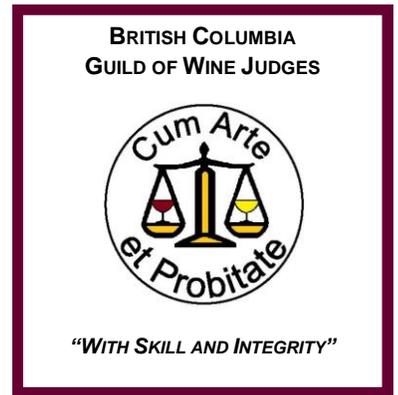


British Columbia Guild of Wine Judges

Judges Compensation Guidelines for BCAWA competitions - rev 5



1. When a judge judges in his or own club's compensation, he or she will receive no compensation.
2. When a judge participates in another club's competition, he or she will be offered a complementary event ticket or receive a \$30.00 honorarium for his or her services.
3. Ferry travel compensation for 2017 rates;
 - a. Walk On \$17.50 each way. Round trip \$35.00
 - b. Parking per vehicle per day \$18.00. Judges should carpool to the ferry whenever possible to reduce parking charges.
 - c. If a judge(s) decides to take their own car onto the ferry, without the host club approval, for convenience or to make a weekend out of it, then only the round trip passenger ferry fee should be compensated (\$35 per judge)
 - d. To keep travel costs down, the Host clubs should make arrangement to pick up judges at the Ferry terminal and then bring them back at the completion. If a host club does not want to pick up judges from the ferry terminal then they can instruct judges to take/share a car onto the ferry. This will add an additional roundtrip cost of \$120 per car.
4. When a judge travels between Vancouver and Chilliwack or between Victoria and Nanaimo the owner of the car shall be compensated \$20 for the round trip to cover fuel costs. We encourage car pooling.
5. Reasonable bridge toll charges should be reimbursed on an "as required" basis. Tolls should be avoided if reasonable. Carpooling is encouraged.
6. Typical judge travel costs, which do not cover costs in paragraph 2, could range from \$200 to \$300 depending on the clubs location and the amount of judges that need to take ferries. These estimates are based on 4 to 6 judges taking the ferry and parking for up to 2 vehicles plus estimated fuel costs for up to 2 cars of local judges driving to the event. ***This information is included only for competition budgetary purposes. Actual costs could be more or less.***
7. The BCGWJ's recommends that clubs cover these costs through increased revenue. Perhaps an additional increase on each entry fee, conducting silent or live auctions, increased ticket sales, ticket prices, or 50/50 draws. That said, it is up to each club's discretion how they will address the issue of raising money to cover the costs of compensating judges.
8. These policies were approved on April 10, 2017 by the BCGWJ Executive and go into effect immediately.