#### 2025 ILLINOIS PROFESSIONAL TRUCK DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIP

You are invited to participate in the annual Illinois Professional Trucking Driving Championship (TDC) June 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Tinley Park Convention Center, 18451 Convention Center Drive, Tinley Park, IL 60477

Friday June 6<sup>th</sup> will be the 2nd annual Driver/Volunteer Family Fun Day 2:30-5:30. There is no charge, however, registration is requested.

Driver written exam Friday – June 6<sup>th</sup> – Driver check-in 5:30 pm. The exam starts at 6:00 pm. until 7:00 pm. Immediately following the exam will be the driver meeting, until 8:00 pm.

Saturday Skills and Pre-Trip will be all day. Skills is open to spectators and tents can be rented through the ITA for your company's convenience and comfort.

Saturday Breakfast and Lunch will be provided to Drivers and Volunteers. See schedule.

Cocktail Reception 5:00 pm. and Awards Banquet 6:00 pm until completion. Banquet Tickets are required for all attendees **EXCEPT PARTICIPATING DRIVERS!** 

2025 Driver registration fee is \$350.00 per driver. ATA Participating Driver registration forms and other driver information required from drivers will be made available in February 2025.

Banquet Tickets – Adults \$90.00, children 4-12 \$45.00 (3 and under no charge)

The full schedule and registration forms/information are attached, and can also be located on the ITA website www.iltrucking.org

If you have questions, please email Linda Blisset linda@iltrucking.org

#### **TDC 2025**

## June 6 & 7, 2025

# **Tinley Park Convention Center**

18451 Convention Center Drive, Tinley Park, IL 60477

#### FRIDAY – JUNE 6

7:00.-8 am. Kickoff breakfast for setup volunteers 8 am.-3 pm. Set-Tinley Park Convention Center 2:30 pm.-5:30 pm. Driver/Volunteer Family Fun Time 5:30 pm. Driver Check-in for Written Exam

6:00 pm. Written Exam will begin.

You must be in your seat by 6, no one admitted to exam once it is started!!!

7:00 pm. Driver 's Meeting

Drivers meeting to end by 8:00 pm. Drivers will pick up their driver bag after meeting.

#### **SATURDAY – JUNE 7**

#### **Volunteers:**

6:00 am. Volunteer & Staff Breakfast

6:30 am. Volunteer check-in

7:00 am. Volunteers at their work area

**Drivers:** 

6:30 am. Breakfast for Driver's

7:00 am. Registration for Driver's in Holding area

7:45 am. Drivers proceed to Open Ceremony – in a group

7:50 am. Open Ceremony

8:00 am. Walk through Skills course (10 minutes)

When finished drivers will go to their starting area

8:15 am. TDC starts ends when all registered drivers have competed!

11:00 am. Lunch will be <u>distributed</u> to Drivers & Volunteers
 5:00 pm. Cocktail reception Tinley Park Convention Center
 6:00 pm. Awards Banquet Tinley Park Convention Center

Banquet tickets are required to be purchased prior to TDC

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Friday June 6<sup>th</sup> & Saturday June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Tinley Park Convention Center 18451 Convention Center Drive Tinley Park, IL 60477

# SATURDAY June 7th - BOX LUNCHES ARE ONLY PROVIDED FOR COMPETITORS AND VOLUNTEERS

BANQUET ADULT DINNER TICKETS	x \$90.00 =
BANQUET CHILD DINNER TICKETS (age 4 to 12	2)x \$45.00 =
BANQUET CHILD DINNER TICKETS (age 3 & U	nder) x \$0 = No Charge
DRIVER DINNER TICKETS (\$0.00)	x = 0 No Charge
	Total Tickets Needed =
Banquet June 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2025, appro Happy Hour (Cash Bar) 5:00 pm6:00 pm. I	
Contact Name	
Company	
Address	Phone
City State Zip	E-mail Address
You will receive an email from Sandy with your assigned tab order the banquet table reservations are received.	le numbers. The tables will be assigned in the
Visa/MC/Discover:	Exp. Date/
Billing Zip Code for C/C	CVV Code

This form and payment must be received at the ITA office by May 12, 2025

Please send completed form(s) with payment to:
Illinois Trucking Association, 2250 S. Chicago St. Joliet, IL 60436
Or
linda@iltrucking.org



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#### Tinley Park Convention Center, 18451 Convention Center Drive, Tinley Park, IL 60477

#### **SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE**

<ul> <li>□ Presenting Sponsor (2)</li> <li>□ Championship Banquet (5)</li> <li>□ Driver/Volunteer Fun Day Sponsor (3</li> <li>□ Trophy Sponsor</li> <li>□ Driver/Volunteer Lunch</li> <li>□ Bar Sponsor</li> <li>□ Championship Program</li> <li>□ DJ Sponsor</li> <li>□ Score Booth</li> <li>□ Driver/Volunteer Breakfast</li> <li>□ Social Media Sponsor</li> </ul>	\$ 6,000 \$ 2,600 \$ 2,600 \$ 1,900 \$ 1,600 \$ 1,600 \$ 1,250 \$ 1,200	)	Pre-Trip Sponsor Skills Course Sponsor Announcer Driver Challenge Coins Door Prize Drawing Grand Champion Rookie of The Year Highlighted Video Written Test Sponsor Golf Cart Sponsor	\$ 1,200 \$ 1,200 \$ 1,200 \$ 1,200 \$ 1,000 \$ 1,000 \$ 1,000 \$ 1,000 \$ 900 \$ 800
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2250 S. Chicago St. Joliet, IL 60436 - 630-654-0884 option 3 linda@iltrucking.org

**Deadline for Sponsorships (to guarantee signage): May 16, 2025** 

# Illinois Trucking Association

Professional Truck Driving Championships **Volunteer Registration Form** 

June 7<sup>th,</sup> 2025 - Saturday
Tinley Park Convention Center
18451 Convention Center Drive, Tinley Park, IL 60477

#### IF YOU CANNOT COMMIT TO THE ENTIRE DAY, LET ME KNOW IN ADVANCE

Print Clearly	Email regist	rations to: <u>linc</u>	la@iltrucking.org
Registration deadline:	May 16, 202	25	
Name:			
Company:			
Address:			
City, State & Zip:			
Phone:	Email:		
I have been a volunteer in previo	ous years	Yes	□ No
If yes, please indicate where you	worked or w	hat your prefe	erence is.
		Pre-trip Course Escort	☐ Den ☐ Timer ☐ Other:
T-SHIRT SIZE			
Other information			

Please contact Linda Blisset at 217-789-6017, with any questions you may have.

A registration email confirmation will be sent to you letting you know your volunteer position.

A week prior to the TDC we will have a volunteer webinar for skills and pre-trip to cover the specifics

#### **TDC 2025**

# June 7, 2025

# **Tinley Park Convention Center**

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#### **VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE:**

6:00 am. Volunteer & Staff Breakfast

6:30 am. Volunteer check-in (in prefunction area)

7:00 am. Volunteers go to the work area assigned.

8:15 am. TDC starts, TDC ends when all drivers have competed

10:30 am. Lunch will be distributed to drivers & volunteers

5:00 pm. Cocktail reception TPCC

6:00 pm. Awards Banquet TPCC (banquet ticket is needed)

Driver#				
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ITA will assign the driver number for TDC

# **TDC 2025**

# Driver BIO (for announcer on skills course)

# **PRINT CLEARLY**

Name		
Company		
Yrs. Of driving	3	Yrs. with company
Total miles		Accident-free Miles
Participation(	s) in State and/or Nationa	al TDC (list number of times or years of competition
State		
Nationals		
Glove size		a size, you will receive a small
T-Shirt size		size, you will receive a small

# 2025 Illinois Professional Truck Driving Championship DRIVER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS & INFORMATION

## **NO EMAILED DRIVER ENTRIES**

Submit ALL competing company driver entries, release and recap forms at the same time. Mail

to: Illinois Trucking Association Attn: Linda Blisset 932 S Spring St. Springfield, IL 62704

Driver Entry \$350.00 per driver. Fees must accompany all the entries or be submitted by May 2, 2025. Check or Credit Card is acceptable. Invoicing A company must be requested with Linda.

The following forms are required and will be available for download at ITA website <a href="www.iltrucking.org">www.iltrucking.org</a>. Deadline for all participating driver entries is May 2, 2025, by 4:00 pm. no exceptions.

#### PRINT CLEARLY!! (I need to be able to read the entries)

- Driver Registration form (do not copy form on front and back, single pages only staple in left corner. **Do not leave blank spaces on entry form, put n/a if it doesn't apply.**
- MVR dated March 1, 2025, or after
- Copy of CDL with picture (the picture must be clear)
- Copy of Driver's medical card or current information found on MVR.
- Drivers BIO form. Filled out! These are used by the announcer.
- A rookie is a driver who has never competed in a TDC in any state

27 Driver maximum per company. 3 entries per class. 2 alternates will be allowed, entry must be submitted by May 2, 2025.

Company Recap Form must be completed and returned with driver entries.

#### Teams are as follows:

Companies entering 10 or less drivers will compete for the small entry team trophy. Companies entering 11 or more drivers will compete for the large entry team trophy. Every driver's score will count toward the company's team trophy award chance.

Every 3 drivers entered required the company must provide (1) volunteer. The volunteer forms can be emailed to linda@iltrucking.org.

Facts for Drivers can be ordered through ATA on their website. ITA will not provide them.

# 2025 STATE AND NATIONAL TRUCK DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS & STEP VAN DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

## **Driver Entry and Release**

#### (Be sure to complete Driver Registration on Page 2)

Contestant's Name:
Preferred Nickname:
Competition State:
Hosting State Association:
Employer:
Limployer

#### Class of Competition (check one)

**Straight Truck** (Single 2-axle vehicle) *CDL Requirement: Class B* 

**3-Axle** (2-axle tractor & 1-axle 28' semitrailer) CDL Requirement: Class A

**4-Axle** (2-axle tractor & 2-axle 53' semitrailer) CDL Requirement: Class A

**5-Axle** (3-axle tractor & 2-axle 53' semitrailer) *CDL Requirement: Class A* 

**Sleeper Berth** (3-axle sleeper tractor & 2-axle 53' semitrailer) *CDL Requirement: Class A* 

**Tank Truck** (3-axle tractor & 2-axle tank semitrailer)

CDL Requirement: Class A - (N) Tank or (X) Combined Endorsement

**Flatbed** (3-axle tractor & 2-axle flatbed semitrailer) *CDL Requirement: Class A* 

Twin Trailers (2-axle tractor & set of 28' semitrailers)
CDL Requirement: Class A - (T) Twins Endorsement

**Step Van** (Step or Package Van)

**CERTIFICATION BY EMPLOYER.** I hereby certify that I am aware of the provisions of Chapter V, Eligibility Rules, of the Truck Driving Championships Rules & Procedures and applicable appendices including the Step Van Driving Championships rule summary; that the contestant named herein is eligible to compete under these rules; that the contestant's employer is a member of an ATA-affiliated State Trucking Association; that the contestant's employer will indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the ATA and State Trucking Association and any other contestant, attendee, and equipment donor for any claims, damages, losses, expenses to the extent caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of the contestant, and that all information furnished about them is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Employer Manager's Signatur	e (NOT driver's):
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Manager Title:		

#### **AGREEMENTS AND RELEASE**

In consideration of my being permitted to participate in the ATA's National and/or its affiliates' Truck Driving Championships (TDC) or Step Van Driving Championships (SVDC) and be eligible for awards offered to participants, I hereby stipulate and agree to the following:

- 1. I acknowledge that I am not in the employ of ATA or a State Trucking Association.
- Both as to myself and my heirs and personal representatives, I release ATA, its directors, employees, agents and/or any of its
  affiliates and the State Association noted above, its directors, employees, agents and/or any of its affiliates from any and all liability
  and any right of action that may arise from any damage or injury which I may receive while attending or participating in said State or
  National TDC or National SVDC.
- 3. I grant the State Association listed to the left and ATA and its designated agencies exclusive right to make use of information about myself and of photographs supplied with this entry form, along with photographs subsequently taken under ATA's direction, in publicity and advertising activities. I further agree to make myself available for publicity enterprises arranged by ATA, with newspaper and magazine writers and radio and television personnel.
- 4. I grant State Association listed to the left and ATA the right to examine my MVR for the purposes of determining my eligibility to compete at both the State and National TDC or SVDC.
- 5. I will be bound by all orders, rules and regulations governing ATA's National and/or its affiliates' TDC or SVDC while participating in said competitions.

#### **CERTIFICATION BY CONTESTANT.** I certify that:

- 1. I have been continuously employed as a truck or step van driver by my present employer during the 12 months prior to the 2025 TDC.
- 2. I have driven and performed the regular duties of a truck or step van driver during the 12 months prior to the 2025 TDC.
- 3. I have not been away from the regular duties of a professional truck driver beyond an aggregate of 30 calendar days during the 12 months prior to the 2025 TDC.
- 4. I have not been involved in a **Preventable** fleet motor vehicle accident during the 12 months prior the 2025 TDC. See TDC Rules and Procedures, Appendix I for determining non-preventable accident eligibility.
- 5. I have the proper class CDL or DL plus required endorsement(s) for the class of competition indicated to the left.
- I hold a CDL (DL if SVDC) from or have been occupationally domiciled in the state of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
   Occupational domiciled is defined as the terminal, garage or other operating base from which the driver normally works, is supervised and/or where employer is corporately headquartered.
- 7. I have not served as a member of any State Trucking Associations Truck Driving Championships Committee during the 12 months prior to the 2025 TDC / NTDC.
  - Competing drivers may still serve as volunteers and support for State Truck Driving Championships and National Truck Driving Championships in which they are not competing.
- 8. That the class of competition I am entering in 2025 is not a class in which I won at the state or regional TDC and/or competed at the National TDC or National SVDC in 2023 and 2024. I understand that after winning two consecutive years at the State TDC and/or competing two consecutive years at the Nationals in that same class of competition, I am not eligible to compete in that same class for one year if a step van competitor and two years if a competitor in any other class.
- 9. I have not received any form of pay, bonus, prize or other consideration for time spent in practice as set forth in the Truck Driving Championships Rules & Procedures. I agree that if I compete and win the State TDC, that I will compete at the National TDC or SVDC (as applicable), unless disqualified or am detained due to a medical emergency, in which case I will notify the applicable State Trucking Association immediately. I acknowledge that any misstatement made with respect to my eligibility for the TDC or SVDC competition may result in the forfeiture of my right to compete or in my disqualification from said competition.

Attach a copy of your MVR showing:

 Your name and/or signature, and

Your name and/or signature; and
 Class of CDL (or license if SVDC applicant).

Driver's Signature:







# 2025 STATE AND NATIONAL TRUCK DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS & STEP VAN DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

# **Driver Registration**

#### **Driver Registration must be completed to be eligible for National competition!**

ontestant's Name:	
ontestant's Name Pronunciation:	Lifetime Safe Driving Miles:
ompetition Class:Competition State:	Number of Years:  w/ No-Accident Record:in Trucking Industry: w/ Employer:
Home Address:	Number of Accidents: Preventable: Non-Preventable:  Date of Last Accident: Peddle: Line-Haul:  List unusual experiences, aid to motorists or at accident scene, acts of heroism:
Spouse/Guest Name:  Children Name/Age:	Awards Received:
Employer: Employer Main Office Address:	Hobbies:
Contestant's Home Terminal:  Safety Manager Name:  Safety Manager Phone:	Volunteer Experience:
Safety Manager Email:  If different than safety manager:	Below and above information is used at Nationals to determine ND Professional Excellence
Registration Manager Name:	Award eligibility. Please enter previous State/National TDC or SVDC in which you competed or volunteered below. Attach separate page if additional space is needed.  How many times have you participated in a:  State TDC:National TDC:







Year	State	Competed Class	Competed Rank	Volunteer Role

# COMPANY REGISTRATION RECAP FORM \*Fill Out Completely\*

Company
Company Contact
Contact Phone #
Contact Fax #
Company Email

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Driver Name	Class Entered	Rookie	Other Info	MilitaryBranch
	Straight Truck	Yes No		
	Straight Truck	Yes No		
	Straight Truck	Yes No		
	3 Axle	Yes No		
	3 Axle	Yes No		
	3 Axle	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	4 Axle	Yes No		
	4 Axle	Yes No		
	4 Axle	Yes No		
	5 Axle	Yes No		
	5 Axle	Yes No		
	5 Axle	Yes No		
	Flatbed	Yes No		
	Flatbed	Yes No		
	Flatbed	Yes No		
	Sleeper	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	Sleeper	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	Sleeper	Yes No		
	Twin	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	Twin	Yes No		
	Twin	Yes No		
	Tank	Yes No		
	Tank	Yes No		
	Tank	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	Step Van	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	Step Van	Yes No		
	Step Van	Yes No		
	Alternate	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	Alternate	Yes No		

# TDC 2025 June 6 & 7, 2025

#### **Driver Schedule:**

#### **FRIDAY – June 6, 2025**

2:30 - 5:30 pm. Driver/Volunteer Family Fun Time

5:30 pm. Driver Check-in for Written Exam

NO ELECTRONICS ALLOWED! INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO PHONES,

TABLETS, SMARTWATCHES, EARBUDS, ETC.

<u>IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION</u> IF NOT FOLLOWED!!!

MORE INFORMATION WILL BE PROVIDED PRIOR TO TEST

6:00 pm. Written Exam will begin.

You must be checked in and in your seat by 6 pm., no one admitted to exam once the exam is started!!!!

7:00 pm. Drivers Meeting

The drivers' meeting to end by 8:00 pm. Drivers will pick up their driver's bags after the meeting.

#### SATURDAY - June 7, 2025

6:30 am. Breakfast for Drivers

7:00 am. Check in for Drivers in the Holding area

7:45 am. Drivers proceed to the Open Ceremony as a group.

7:50 am. Open Ceremony

8:00 am. Walk through skills course (10 minutes)

When time is up drivers will go to their starting area

8:15 am. TDC starts, TDC ends when all registered drivers have competed!

10:30 am. Lunches will start being distributed to drivers & volunteers

5:00 pm. Cocktail reception at TPCC

6:00 pm. Awards Banquet at TPCC

Banquet provided to driver; other banquet tickets must be purchased by date.

#### PAYMENT INFORMATION-Please select the method being used.

Company Name	
Address	
Contact	
Number of driver entries. (\$350.00 each)	
Credit card information: MasterCard, Visa, Discover, Ame	erican Express
Credit Card #	
Expiration date	CCV
Check enclosed	
ITA invoice request:	
Contact	
Email Address	



# 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual TDC Driver/Volunteer Family Fun Time

Friday June 6, 2025, 2:30-5:30 pm.

**Tinley Park Convention Center** 

# **Register to Attend**

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low many are in your group
Company Name
lumber Attending
Phone

Children must be accompanied by a parent

Complete this registration form for each person attending with their group total and return to Linda - linda@iltrucking.org

If you have question email or call Linda 630-654-0884 option 3.



# 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual TDC Driver/Volunteer Family Fun Time

Friday June 6, 2025, 2:30-5:30 pm.

# **Tinley Park Convention Center**

# Volunteer Registration form

Volunteers must be at the convention center by 1:45pm. to receive directions on where you will be working.

Name	 	
Company Name		
. ,		
Email		
Phone		

Complete this registration form and return to Linda - linda@iltrucking.org

If you have question email or call Linda 630-654-0884 option 3.

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#### **TENT REQUEST**

Tents must be rented through the Illinois Trucking Association. The ITA has arranged with a tent provider to supply 10 tents 20X20 for the companies that want to have a tent for the TDC.

# \$1000.00 20X20 tent (no sides) water barrel or block secured. 4 Tables and 24 Chairs included

To allow everyone an opportunity to rent a tent and select which position your tent will be, these tents will be on a first come first serve basis. You will select your position by what your order number was.

#### May 21, 2025, deadline.

Only 1 tent per company. No other tent providers will be allowed.

You are responsible for your tent. If you damage the tent in any way. You will be charge for the repair or replacement.

The Tinley Park Convention Center does not allow food to be brought in. If a company needs food, you will need to arrange food with the Tinley Park Convention Center caterers.

Contact Linda at ITA 630-654-0884, option 1, or email <u>linda@iltrucking.org</u> to receive information about catering.

## This form and payment must be received at the ITA office by May 21, 2025. On a first come first served basis, when all 12 tents are rented, tents are sold out.

I authorize a rental of 1 - 20x If more chairs are needed wh			s provided. ere will be an additional charge.
\$1000.00 TENT R	ENTAL		
Company authorized signatu	re.		
I acknowledge the company billed accordingly for repair			If damage occurs, we will be (initials)
PRINT CLEARLY			
Contact Name			
Company			
Address			
Phone			
City	State	Zip	
E-mail Address			
Visa/MC/Discover/Am I Exp. Date/			
Billing Zip Code for C/C CVV Code			

Mail check to the address below

Please send completed form(s) with payment to: Illinois Trucking Association, 932 S Spring St., Springfield, IL 62704

# menu



Do Rite Donuts
minimum one dozen

\$5.00 each

Wings	
buffalo or	bbq

\$40.00 per dozen

<b>Deli Sandwich &amp; Chips</b>	3
roast heef & provolone	

\$13.50

roast beef & provolone black forest ham & swiss

Brisket Mac & Cheese serves 30 guests

\$125.00

Coleslaw serves 30 guests

\$55.00

Coffee per gallon - 16 cups \$85.00

Water / Soda

\$3.50

Gatorade

\$6.00

**Red Bull** 

\$6.00