



New Jersey Motor Truck Association Truck & Step-Van Driving Championships 2022 ENTRY RULES

The NJMTA 66th Annual Truck Driving Championships and the 12th Annual Step Van Driving Championships will be held at **Harrah's Resort, 777 Harrah's Boulevard, Atlantic City** on **Saturday, June 4th and Sunday, 5th 2022.**

WHO CAN ENTER: Carriers may enter two (2) drivers in each class. Participants for the SVDC may enter up to three (3) drivers from the same company. A non-member of NJMTA may enter but may not participate in any future championships if they do not become a NJMTA member. **TDC Rule Change:** Retirements 2020/2021 will count towards driver retirement years so there will be no retirements for 2022/2023.

ENTRY FEE: The fee for NJMTA members, in good standing, is \$175 per contestant and the non-member fee is \$250 per contestant. Driver entry fee includes banquet ticket, TDC Patch, TDC T-shirt and TDC Pin.

REGISTRATION: Carriers are required to complete a Preliminary Entry Form. The Preliminary Entry Form must include competing drivers names and shirt sizes. **All entry fees must be submitted with this form.** NO walk-in registrations permitted. **Preliminary Entry Forms must be received by MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2022.**

DRIVER ENTRY & RELEASE: Competing drivers are required to submit a Driver Entry & Release/Driver Registration Form (Form TR-1, TR-2), clear copy of CDL/Drivers License and copy of MVR showing drivers name and/or signature. Entry form and required documentation **MUST BE CLEARLY LEGIBLE** and be mailed to NJMTA or emailed to jbrazovic@njmta.org. **DO NOT SUBMIT INCOMPLETE PAPERWORK.**

DRIVER ENTRY & RELEASE PAPERWORK MUST BE RECEIVED BY MAY 13, 2022.
No registrations will be accepted after this date.

2022 FACTS FOR DRIVERS: The written test is based on the 2022 Facts for Drivers Manual. Manuals can be purchased directly at [2022 ATA Truck Driving Championships Rule-book \(atabusinssolutions.com\)](http://2022ATATruckDrivingChampionshipsRulebook.atabusinssolutions.com)

ACCIDENT REVIEW COMMITTEE: Drivers must be accident free between June 4, 2021 and June 4, 2022. Any questions regarding eligibility due to an accident must be submitted for determination. Contact TDC Chairperson Brandon Gill at brandon.gill@fedex.com

PRE-TRIP INSPECTION: The Pre-trip inspection will take place on Saturday, June 4th following the written test. After each driver has completed their inspection, they cannot discuss any procedures or defects they believe they have found with any other contestant until all contestants in all classes have competed.

RESULTS: Judges will not give any results or tell what items were missed. Solutions will be announced at the banquet.

CHEATING will not be tolerated. Any driver caught cheating in any way, either by themselves or from a friend or family member in the stands, will cause the entire team to be disqualified. **NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES** may be consumed during the running of this event.

FOOD & DRINK RESTRICTIONS: Per hotel contract, all food and beverage served on hotel property must be supplied and prepared by the hotel. You may put up tents (**NO LARGER than 10 x 10**) and bring lawn chairs in designated areas.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITION: Winners may be eligible to participate in the 2022 National Truck Driving and Step-Van Driving Championships to be held August 16th - 20th in Indianapolis, IN. Drivers competing in Straight Truck Class must have a Class B license. Drivers must have no accidents from August 15, 2021 - August 15, 2022. Driver registration fee for National Championship Competition is \$450.00 per driver.

QUESTIONS? If you have questions regarding Championship Rules, contact TDC Chairperson Brandon Gill at brandon.gill@fedex.com.

TDC & SAFETY AWARDS BANQUET: Each driver entry fee includes one admission ticket to the Awards Banquet for the driver. Additional Banquet tickets can be ordered online at njmta.org or by using the Banquet Ticket Order Form. Extra tickets are \$95 each. Children 12 and under \$30 each.

COMPANY PARTICIPATION/VOLUNTEERS: Any company entering a driver is asked to have a representative(s) volunteer at the TDC. ***ALL Volunteers Welcome!***

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

We have a block of rooms at Harrah's Resort, Atlantic City. **The ABSOLUTE DEADLINE for these room rates is MAY 13, 2022. After MAY 13th reservations/rates will be subject to availability.**

ROOM RATES: June 3rd \$199, June 4th \$249, June 5th \$99 - plus tax. Check-In time is 4:00 p.m. and Check-Out time is 11:00 a.m.

Call for Room Reservations - 888-516-2215 (8 am - 2 am EST, 7 days a week)

Group name: NJMTA
Group code: SH06MT2

*All callers will be asked for the code or can book by saying ****NJMTA****

ONLINE Reservations: <https://book.passkey.com/go/sh06mt2>

TDC SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, June 4th

1:00 pm Registration at Wildwood Registration Desk - Conference Center
1:30 pm Welcome/Course Overview – Classroom Wildwood Rooms 1-3
Written Test
Pre-Trip Test – upon completion of written test go to parking lot for pre-trip test
4:00 pm Hotel Check-in opens

Sunday, June 5th

8:00 am Course Walk-through – all participants on course/parking lot
8:30 am Opening Ceremony
Driving Skills Test
5:30 pm TDC & Safety Banquet with cash bar - Wildwood Ballroom at Conference Center