



TEXAS TRUCKING ASSOCIATION
AND THE
TXTA SAFETY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Proudly Present the

**2022 TRUCK
DRIVING
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

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Complete both sides of the attached form and return with appropriate fees to the address listed below for the region in which the driver will be participating. **Drivers are allowed to compete in only one Regional competition.** For more information, contact the Local Chairmen listed below.

Note: Membership in TXTA is not a requirement to compete in either Regional or State Competitions. Membership in ATA is not required to advance to the National Truck Driving and Step Van Championships, however, the driver must be employed by a TXTA member company.

REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Dallas/Ft. Worth – May 21

Contest Chair: Steve Wilhelms
469-338-3301
DFW Council of Safety Professionals
Registration Forms to: Teresa Schneider /co Quanta Svcs.
6316 Sudbury Lane
Mesquite, TX 75181
Or scanned in color to: councilcommunications@dfwcsp.com
Entry Fee: \$85 (Can be paid on website www.DFWCSP.com)
Location: TBD

San Antonio – May 6-7

Contest Chair: Roland Gonzales
Council of Safety Professionals-SA
P.O. Box 128
Converse, TX 78109
210/524-3379
Entry Fee: \$85
Location: Ben E. Keith Foods
17635 Ben E. Keith Way, Selma, TX 78154
Registrations, Virtual Course Walk Through and Written Test-May 6, 6:00 p.m., at Ben E. Keith Foods

**Driver check-in May 7, at 8:00 a.m. at Ben E. Keith Foods.
Applications must be received by April 29.**

Houston – May 14

Contest Chair: Geo Cuellar
Houston Council of Safety Professionals
P.O. Box 5211
Houston, TX 77262
832/689-6721
Entry Fee: \$85
Location: Houston Community College Truck Driving School
555 Community College Dr.
Applications must be received by May 6.

STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

June 3-4, 2022

**Waco Hilton (headquarters hotel) – Written Test and Virtual Course Walk-Through
Texas State Technical College, Waco, Texas – Driving & Pre-Trip Competitions**

State Driving Contest Chairman: Steve Blake
Star Materials Transport
Phone # 210-267-7929

Competition at the State level will include 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners from Regional Championships.

Companies participating in the State Championships will be required to provide a tractor and/or trailer to be utilized during the competition as well as a volunteer to serve as a judge. Drivers whose companies do not provide equipment and volunteer judges will not be allowed to compete.
In addition, companies must be able to provide equipment in the class of competition in which they have drivers competing.

ATA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

August 16-20

Indianapolis, Indiana

Competition at the National level will include 1st place winners in each class of competition from the State Championships. ATA qualification rules for Nationals must be met.

(Be sure to complete Driver Registration on Page 2)

Contestant's Name: _____

Preferred Nickname: _____

Competition State: _____

Hosting State Association: _____

Employer: _____

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 appendixes 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, and that all information furnished about them is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Employer Manager's Signature (NOT driver's):

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.
2. 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 CDL and 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 since August 15, 2021.
2. I have driven and performed the regular duties of a truck or step van driver since August 15, 2021.
3. I have not been away from the regular duties of a professional truck driver beyond an aggregate of 30 calendar days since August 15, 2021.
4. I have not been involved in a fleet motor vehicle or motor carrier vehicle accident since August 15, 2021.
5. I have the proper class CDL or DL plus required endorsement(s) for the class of competition indicated to the left.
6. 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 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.

Driver's Signature: _____



- Attach a copy of your MVR showing:
 - 1) Your name and/or signature; and
 - 2) Class of CDL (or license if SVDC applicant).
- Attach a copy of your CDL



2022 STATE AND NATIONAL TRUCK DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS & STEP VAN DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Driver Registration

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

Contestant's Name: _____

Competition Class: _____ Competition State: _____

Home Address: _____

Home City/State/ZIP: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

REQUIRED to receive registration confirmation

Will spouse/guest attend the State TDC? Yes No National TDC? Yes No

If yes to above: Spouse Guest

Spouse/Guest Name: _____

Children Name/Age: _____

Employer: _____

Employer Main Office Address: _____

Contestant's Home Terminal: _____

Terminal Manager's Name: _____

Terminal Manager Phone: _____

Have you ever been a member of America's Road Team? Yes Years: _____ No

Are you interested in serving on America's Road Team? Yes No

Have you been on a company Road Team? Yes Years: _____ No

Have you been on a state Road Team? Yes Years: _____ No

Lifetime Safe Driving Miles: _____

Number of Years: _____

w/ No-Accident Record: _____ in Trucking Industry: _____ w/ Employer: _____

Number of Accidents: Preventable: _____ Non-Preventable: _____

Date of Last Accident: _____

Usual Run: Local: _____ Peddle: _____ Line-Haul: _____

List unusual experiences, aid to motorists or at accident scene, acts of heroism:

Awards Received:

Hobbies: _____

Strangest Cargo Hauled: _____

Volunteer Experience: _____

Below and above information is used at Nationals to determine ND Professional Excellence 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

