

## **2017 Kansas Truck Driving Championships Changes and Reminders**

Listed Below are the changes that will be in effect for the 2017 Kansas Truck Driving Championships and Step Van Truck Driving Championships.

1. The TDC committee has a new equipment chair, Becky Crawford, Wal-Mart Transportation.
2. The Step Van class has a unique form for registration. All registration forms can be found in the registration packet. The Step Van Class is also not eligible to win the team or grand champion categories.
3. Stopwatches are no longer allowed to be used during pre-trip or on the course. A wrist watch is allowed.
4. Drivers may bring flashlights to help with their pre-trip inspection.
5. This year companies are no longer allowed to bring their own tent to set up on the sidelines of the course due to liability reasons. KMCA will be renting tents. You can reserve a tent on a first come first serve basis by payment. Please fill out the tent reservation form if you would like to reserve a tent for your company. Please include your payment with the form.
6. Equipment drop off will take place at the course location this year, a golf cart will be available to take you back up to the hotel.
7. A large and small team trophy will be presented again this year.
8. A cookout lunch will no longer be provided on Saturday. Food trucks will be on location and have food available for purchase. Please ensure that your drivers and their families are aware of this change.
9. The pre-trip section of the course is expected to be inside the Kansas Expocentre as they were in 2016. (Subject to Change)
10. Smoke breaks are not allowed while checked in with class coordinator.
11. Each competing company should provide a typed Excel or PDF document of drivers name, email and phone number.

If you have questions, please contact Melissa Kershner at [mkershner@kmca.org](mailto:mkershner@kmca.org) or 785-267-1641. We look forward to a successful 2017 Kansas Truck Driving Championship and Step Van Driving Championship.

Thank you!

# Truck Driving Championship Sponsorship Form

Dear Supporters of the KMCA Professional Truck Driving Championships,

The 2017 Truck Driving Championships are just around the corner. This year's event will be June 16-17, 2017 at the Kansas Expocentre in Topeka, Kansas. The Kansas Truck Driving Championship are known as one of the best Truck Driving Championships in the country. In order to continue the success of our championships, we are seeking your support. Benefits of being a contributor to the Truck Driving Championships include:

- **Recognition at the Truck Driving Championships Awards Banquet**
- **Listed on the sponsorship poster display**
- **Listed in the Championship Program**
- **Recognized in the KMCA Dispatch – Print and Online**
- **Social Media Recognition**
- **Listed on [www.kmca.org](http://www.kmca.org)**

This year's sponsor levels are:

- **Diamond - \$1,000 & above**
- **Platinum - \$500-\$999**
- **Gold - \$250-\$499**

If you have any questions about the sponsorship opportunities or would prefer to donate other items please let us know so we can ensure your company's recognition. If you have any questions, please call KMCA at (785) 267-1641 or email Melissa Kershner [mkershner@kmca.org](mailto:mkershner@kmca.org). We appreciate your support in making the 2017 Kansas Truck Driving Championships a success.

Sincerely Yours,

*Susan Bryant*

Sponsorship Chairman

KMCA Safety Management Council

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**Below are a list of sponsorships available for the 2016 Kansas Truck Driving Championships.**

**Please select the item you would like to sponsor; payments must be included with this form:**

- |   |                                      |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| _____ Friday Family Event -- \$500        | _____ Awards/Trophies -- \$1,500     |
| _____ Friday Box Lunches -- \$1,000       | _____ Saturday Judges Lunch -- \$700 |
| _____ Friday Night Judges Meal -- \$2,000 | _____ Monetary Donation -- \$ _____  |

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name as you want it displayed on all contributor benefit items:

\_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Check Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as it appears on Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 3 digit code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address for Receipt: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send forms to KMCA, PO Box 1673 Topeka, Kansas 66601 or Fax to KMCA at 785-266-6551.**

# 2017 Kansas Motor Carriers Association Professional Truck Driving Championships

June 16-17, 2017 • Kansas Expocentre • Capitol Plaza Hotel • Topeka, KS



## Official Entry Form

YES, our company plans to enter \_\_\_\_\_ drivers in the 2016 Kansas Truck Driving Championships. Please fill out the TR-1 and 2 forms and submit with this form. If you need "Facts for Drivers" books, please call KMCA.

**Our drivers will compete in the following classes (Please provide the expected number of entrants per class):**

_____ Straight Truck	_____ Five-axle Tractor Semi-trailer tank
_____ Three-axle Tractor Semi-trailer	_____ Five Axle Tractor Semi-trailer sleeper berth
_____ Four-axle Tractor Semi-trailer	_____ Five-axle Tractor Semi-trailer livestock
_____ Five-axle Tractor Semi-trailer	_____ Five-axle Tractor Semi-trailer flatbed
_____ Tractor and Twin trailers	Step Van drivers competing, please fill out the Step Van form

### Official Rules and Requirements

There are no restrictions on the number of drivers a company may enter in 2017. KMCA does not need the names of the drivers with this form. All classes have a minimum requirement of 4 participants. If that minimum threshold is not reached a member of the Kansas Safety Management Council will contact you regarding your participants for that class. The deadline for entry is June 2, 2017. The entry fee is \$90 per contestant. If your company is participating for the first time, the entry fee is reduced to \$80.

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

*Fees must be paid in order for drivers to compete.*

Check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed - Please make checks payable to Kansas Motor Carriers Association

Credit Card#: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as appears on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ 3-digit code: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please return forms and payment to:

Kansas Motor Carriers Association - P.O. Box 1673 - Topeka, KS 66601 - Fax: 785.266.6551 - Phone: 785.267.1641

Email Address for Receipt: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Hotel Information: KMCA has reserved a block of rooms at the Capitol Plaza Hotel with a room rate of \$82 per night. The deadline for room reservations is Monday May 15, 2017. After this date rooms are subject to price changes and availability.**

# 2017 Kansas Motor Carriers Association Step Van Driving Championships

June 16-17, 2017 • Kansas Expocentre • Capitol Plaza Hotel • Topeka, KS



## Official Entry Form

YES, our company plans to enter drivers in the 2017 Step Van Driving Championships. Please fill out the TR-1 and 2 forms and submit with this form. If you need "Facts for Drivers" books, please call KMCA.

**Please provide the number of entrants for the Step Van Driving Championships:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Step Van Participants

### Official Rules and Requirements

The Step Van Driving Championships are a separate competition from the Kansas Truck Driving Championships. The Step Van class is not eligible to win the team or grand champion categories. The Step Van class also has their own driving championship at the national level. Each company participating must be willing to provide equipment for the Step Van Class. There are no restrictions on the number of drivers a company may enter in 2017. KMCA does not need the names of the drivers with this form. All classes have a minimum requirement of 4 participants. If that minimum threshold is not reached a member of the Kansas Safety Management Council will contact your regarding your participants for that class. The deadline for entry is June 2, 2017. The entry fee is \$90 per contestant. If your company is participating for the first time, the entry fee is reduced to \$80.

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# 2017 Truck Driving Championships & Step Van Driving Championships Entry and Release Form

(Be sure to complete Driver Information Sheet on reverse side)

Contestant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_  
Competition State: \_\_\_\_\_ Hosting State Assn.: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Class of Competition (check one)

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|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Straight Truck<br>(Single 2-axle vehicle)                               | <input type="checkbox"/> 5-Axle Tractor-Semitrailer<br>(3-axle tractor & 2-axle 53' semitrailer)                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Flatbed<br>(3-axle tractor & 2 axle flatbed semitrailer)    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3-Axle Tractor-Semitrailer<br>(2-axle tractor & 1-axle 28' semitrailer) | <input type="checkbox"/> 5-Axle Sleeper Berth Tractor-Semitrailer<br>(3-axle sleeper tractor & 2-axle 53' semitrailer) | <input type="checkbox"/> Twin Trailers<br>(2-axle tractor & set of 28' semitrailers) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Axle Tractor-Semitrailer<br>(2-axle tractor & 2-axle 53' semitrailer) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tank Truck<br>(3-axle tractor & 2-axle tank semitrailer)                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Step Van<br>(Step or Package Van)                           |

**CERTIFICATION BY EMPLOYER.** I hereby certify that I am aware of the provisions of Chapter V, Truck Driving Championships Eligibility Rules, of the *ATA Truck Driving Championships Rules and Procedures, State and National* 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 Mgr.'s Signature (NOT driver's): \_\_\_\_\_ Mgr. 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:

- 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.
- I grant the State Association noted above 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.
- I grant State Association noted above and ATA the right to exam my CDL and MVR for the purposes of determining my eligibility to compete at both the State and National TDC or SVDC.
- 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 during the 12 months prior to the 2017 TDC:

- I have been continuously employed as a truck or step van driver by my present employer [exception: 11 of 12 months if previous employer went out of business and all other eligibility requirements are met]; and
- I have driven and performed the regular duties of a truck driver or step van driver for at least 11 of the 12 months, and that my regular duties of a truck driver or step van driver constituted not less than 60% of my work hours and at least 1200 hours annually.
- I have not been involved in a fleet motor vehicle or motor carrier vehicle accident in the course of such employment.
- I have the proper class Commercial Driver's License (if a SVDC applicant, not required), plus required endorsement(s) for the class of competition indicated above.
- That I hold a CDL from or have been occupationally domiciled in the state of \_\_\_\_\_. Occupational domiciled means the terminal, garage or other operating base from which the driver normally and usually works and/or is supervised.
- That the class of competition I am entering in 2017 is not a class in which I won at the state or regional TDC and/or competed at the National TDC in 2015 and 2016 or 2014 and 2015; or if I am entering the step van class, I did not win the state or regional TDC and/or compete at the National SVDC in the step van class in 2015 and 2016. 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.
- I further certify that I have not received any form of pay, bonus, prize or other consideration for time spent in practice as set forth in the *ATA Truck Driving Championships Rules and Procedures, State and National*.
- 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 photocopy of your MVR showing: 1) Your name and/or signature; and 2) Class of CDL (or License if SVDC applicant)**

**Also attach a copy of your CDL.**

# 2017 ATA Truck Driving Championships & Step Van Driving Championships Driver Information Form

Contestant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (middle) (last)

Class of Competition: \_\_\_\_\_

Competition State: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Main Office Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(number-street) (city) (state) (zip)

**Important:**  
 Company President: \_\_\_\_\_  
(first) (middle) (last)

Safety Director: \_\_\_\_\_  
(full name) (E-mail)

Safety Dir. Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(number-street) (city) (state) (zip)

Terminal Manager: \_\_\_\_\_  
(full name) (E-mail)

Termin. Mgr Phone #: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Contestant's Home Terminal: \_\_\_\_\_  
(number-street) (city) (state) (zip)

Length of Service with Present Employer: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Length of Service in Trucking Industry: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Years with No-Accident Record: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lifetime Safe Driving Miles: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Accidents: Preventable: \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Preventable: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Last Accident: \_\_\_\_\_

Usual Run: Local \_\_\_\_\_ Peddle \_\_\_\_\_ Line-haul \_\_\_\_\_

Is your company a member of the State Trucking Association? Yes  State: \_\_\_\_\_ No

Have you been on the state Road Team? Yes  Years: \_\_\_\_\_ No

For State and National publicity purposes include:

- Recent 2" X 3" (or larger) head and shoulder photograph (may be e-mailed as instructed by State Championships Committee or hosting State Trucking Association), and
- The name of your hometown newspaper:

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(number-street) (city) (state) (zip)

Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Married: Yes  No  Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Children's name(s)/age(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Will significant other attend the State TDC? Yes  No  National TDC?  Yes  No

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

Awards received: \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

Strangest cargo ever hauled: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you volunteer? Where/how: \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt size? \_\_\_\_\_ Jacket Size? \_\_\_\_\_

How many times have you participated in a State TDC? \_\_\_\_\_

How many times have you participated in a National TDC or SVDC? \_\_\_\_\_

*Below and above info is used at Nationals to determine ND Professional Excellence Award eligibility.*

Previous State/National TDC or SVDC in which you competed or volunteered:

Year	State	Competed Class	Competed Rank	Volunteer Role

*(Please attached separate history sheet if additional space is needed for above listing)*

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

**Information sheet must be complete to be eligible for National competition!**

# 2017 Kansas Motor Carriers Association Truck Driving Championships Step Van Driving Championships

## Tent Reservation Form

This year companies are no longer allowed to bring their own tent to set up on the sidelines of the course due to liability reasons. KMCA will be renting tents. **You can reserve a tent on a first come first serve basis by payment.** Please fill out the tent reservation form if you would like to reserve a tent for your company be sure to include your payment with the form.

If you are a company that does not require your own tent and would like to participate in the group sponsored tent please select the group tent below.

### Tent Sizes

Please select your tent size. Pricing includes delivery, set up, tear down and taxes.

\_\_\_\_\_ **10 x 10 - \$180**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Group Tent - \$50**

\_\_\_\_\_ **12 x 12 - \$190**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Folding Chairs - \$1**

\_\_\_\_\_ **20 x 20 - \$356**

\_\_\_\_\_ **8' Rectangle Table - \$9**

\_\_\_\_\_ **20 x 30 - \$486**

### Contact and Payment Information

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Kansas Motor Carriers Association 2017 Truck Driving Championships

## Meal Ticket Order Form

All meal tickets must be purchased by June 15. We recommend one person in your company to be responsible for completion of this form. Send in only one copy as soon as possible. Be sure to include family members of drivers. If you purchase meal tickets before the registration deadline of June 2, 2017, you will receive early bird pricing. Lunch and dinner will be provided on Friday for the contestants in addition to the Saturday Evening Banquet. Saturday lunch is no longer provided, however we will have food available for purchase on site. Safety Directors, company officials, spouses, children, guests, etc. need to purchase meal tickets for the Friday Evening Meal and the Saturday Evening Banquet. The Championships banquet will again have reserved seating. **NO banquet ticket sales on Saturday.** Your meal tickets will be given to you on Friday, June 16. Drivers tickets will be with their registration information.

*Company representative responsible for meal tickets*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail for Receipt: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Complete the following and return with your payment to reserve your group seating for the Kansas Truck Driving Championships Banquet. All attendees must be counted below!

- A) \_\_\_\_\_ Friday Night Adult Ticket \$25 (Before June 2) \$30 (After June 2)
- B) \_\_\_\_\_ Friday Night Children Ticket (Under 12 years old) \$18 (Before June 2) \$21 (After June 2)
- C) \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday Night Adult Ticket \$47.50 (Before June 2) \$53 (After June 2)
- D) \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday Night Children Ticket (Under 12 years old) \$19 (Before June 2) \$23 (After June 2)
- E) \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Drivers Competing (Meals Included) with registration

Total # of seats Reserved \_\_\_\_\_ (Please include everyone to be seated with your group)

Check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed

Credit Card# (Visa/Mastercard/Discover/American Express): \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name as appears on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ 3-digit code: \_\_\_\_\_