

Bullpen Attendant

The Bullpen Attendant duties include: Directing and answering questions for Drivers that are waiting in the Bullpen to take the Pre-Trip Inspection portion of their testing. This person is traditionally called the "DEN MOTHER". Duties include enforcing the no-smoking policy and making sure drivers don't purposely observe competitors/or staff driving or testing the course. Signage is in the Bullpen with exact instructions for the drivers. Requirements are: Excellent multi-tasking skills under pressure and with multiple distractions. *It is imperative that drivers not be allowed to observe the track being set-up or practice runs

Bullpen Wrangler

The Bullpen Wrangler is the "guard" at the Bullpen entrance and exit, this person will be contacted via radio when a driver has their turn on the skills course. This person must be outgoing, bossy, and fun to banter back and forth with. You can't be shy, you will have to direct drivers, ask them multiple questions and be aware of what is happening with the Announcer and with key Pre-Trip Inspection volunteers that will also be calling for drivers to test out of this area. This position requires you to stand all day and be prepared to endure all possible weather conditions. Previous experience preferred. *It is imperative that drivers not be allowed to observe the track being set-up or practice runs*

Clean Up Crew

The clean up crew would be expected to help clean up all areas on the track, this includes picking up left over trash and recycling items left behind. It includes re-stacking tables and chairs, emptying ice chests, taking down banners, ripping up extension cords and assisting ITA staff in packing up the TDC supplies for transport back to the ITA office. Includes any other clean-up that may be required to leave the facility the way we found it.

Classroom and Track helpers

Setting up trash and recycle cans; placing tables and chairs according to provided diagrams; hooking up and taping down electrical cords; preparing ice chests with sodas, water, teas; making coffee or heating up water; placing signage where directed; and general help as needed or as requested by ITA Staff or ITA Representatives. You may be asked to work indoors or outdoors, or both, please come prepared with proper clothing and comfortable shoes. This is an active position that requires some level of fitness and the ability to lift moderate weight without potential injury.

Cover The Dollar Observer

Observe drivers on the track as they compete for the "Cover the Dollar" contest. They also may be asked to act as a Exit Observer, to observe as the drivers exit the vehicle using the 3 points of contact method.

Driver Registration Assistant

Volunteers in this position will be expected to assist the ITA office management in setting up the tables and hauling items around to prepare for Drivers to check-in. This person would assist by checking in the Drivers, verifying their name badge is correct, fitting them for gloves, directing them to either the Written Test or the Pre-Trip Inspection areas and answering any questions they may have in a professional, friendly, and inviting manner.

Requirements include having excellent multi-tasking skills under pressure and with multiple distractions. Keeping your cool under pressure and having loads of patience.

Driver Escorts

Duties include escorting Drivers that have just completed their written-test inside the classroom to the outdoor Bullpen area to take their Pre-Trip Inspection.

This position requires that you be fit. Be prepared for all types of weather, wear comfortable shoes and bright clothing as you will be entering the track with moving trucks.

Must be able to easily start up a conversation with the drivers as you are escorting them to the next location, and it doesn't hurt if you can help put them at ease. Many will be quite nervous, especially if they are Rookies.

Equipment Hostlers- Requires CDL

This job requires a current Commercial Driver's License and is typically filled by volunteers, hand picked by the Equipment Manager (Jim Noud). The duties include moving the equipment as needed under the direction of "Run Order Coordinator", the TDC Chairman and his assigned helpers.

Event Leader Assistant

This person is a veteran of the Idaho Truck Driving Championship! This person needs to have knowledge of the track set-up preferences from previous years and possess excellent delegating skills. It requires a special person that will instantly feel comfortable making judgement calls and directing fellow volunteers. They will be required to work closely with the ITA office management to direct the rental companies and vendors of where tents, trailers, toilets, tables, banners, etc. will need to be placed and solve problems and concerns as they arise with the help of ITA Staff, ITA Representatives and the TDC Chairman. Must be able to work under demanding, high pressure conditions, must be excellent at multi-tasking with numerous distractions, must be professional, patient, flexible, encouraging, friendly. Must have a level of fitness high enough to handle the workload, walking, lifting, and sometimes....running! It would be a plus if this person can work in the weeks leading up to event at the ITA office with administrative duties such as, typing up driver profiles, creating signage, folding programs, and checking the ITA office management's data entry for accuracy. The ITA office management relies highly on this individual and they must be trustworthy and capable to perform all the duties above.

Gate Greeter

Handing out event brochures at the gate entrance, directing spectators to parking area, directing drivers to the check in area.

Golf Cart Gopher

This is a unique position, as it is also a request for equipment. If you have a golf cart or gator that you can bring to the event, you may be needed for multiple uses. For example, delivering drivers to track, or scores to the score keepers, delivering water or any number of tasks. You would be responsible for delivery and pick up of the vehicle.

Judge

Duties of a Judge include being on the course during the entire championship and carefully observing the driver's performance of each "problem" and carefully recording and then relaying the score to the score board and the Score Keepers. This job requires that you be 18 or older, have excellent observation skills and pay VERY close attention while Drivers compete. Yes, this is a fun position, and you will have time to network and visit, but, more importantly, stay focused! A Driver's trip to Nationals could depend on you! Make sure you dress for the elements and wear comfortable shoes. Keep in mind, the wind can be brutal on the open track, so we recommend you come prepared if the weather is inclement.

Photographer

This person will be responsible for taking pictures of all aspects of the day, including spectators, staff, drivers, and volunteers with the provided camera or by using their own equipment. We prefer that this person be comfortable using a camera and has an artistic eye. It's important that they capture the entire days activities with next years marketing in mind. It's imperative that they take very good photos of the award ceremony, they must be comfortable with directing drivers into poses and ensure they each receive a clear and flattering photo. (May require moving signage to provide a good backdrop for photos) This position requires lots of walking and that you be prepared for any weather conditions that may occur. Please wear comfortable shoes and bright clothing as you will be on the track among moving trucks.

Pre-Trip Inspection Timers

This volunteer position includes using a stopwatch while the Driver completes his/her Pre-Trip Inspection under the watchful eye of the Idaho State Police Commercial Vehicle Inspection Officer. The position requires communication with the driver and inspector about the time limits and style of inspection being performed. This position requires standing for long periods of time and is typically filled by seasoned volunteers that rarely give up their prized position.

Runner/Score Collector

Runners/Score Collectors duties include collecting the completed score sheets from the Score Keepers at the end of the course and running them to our scoring professional for input into the scoring program. Location of this depends on the weather, be prepared for heavy physical activity and dress for the elements.

Duties include walking the track next to the trucks as the driver completes the course in conjunction with the Score Keeper. Timers will be provided a stopwatch and must accurately and carefully record the finish time on the score sheet. This job requires constant motion and the ability to be on your feet for long stretches of time. Regular breaks are offered when needed. You will be outdoors, always exposed to the elements so you must dress appropriately and wear comfortable shoes. Appropriate for 16 years or older and must be physically fit.

Score Keepers

Duties of a Score Keeper include closely following Drivers as they complete the skills course in their class of truck. You will be paired with a Timer, and they will duration of time it takes for a Driver to complete the course. Score Keepers must accurately and carefully record the verbal scores shouted out by the Judges at each "problem". This job requires constant moving and walking with the trucks and ability to be on your feet for long stretches of time. We will provide regular breaks, when possible, wear comfortable shoes and proper attire for all possible weather conditions. This position is appropriate for 16 years or older and must be physically fit.

Test Monitor

Duties include assisting the ITA office management and the Event Leader Assistant with escorting Drivers to the classroom and monitoring them as they take the written portion of the test. This position requires long periods of sitting and waiting. You will be required to announce to drivers that they may not bring any personal belongings in while taking the test, this includes their phone, coats, and ball caps. (This policy mirrors the National Truck Driving Championship's policy). Drivers will be continually added as you monitor the test takers so that may result in very short or very few breaks.

Timer

Walking the course next to the trucks as the driver completes the course in conjunction with the Score Keeper. Timers will be provided a stopwatch and must accurately and carefully record the finish time on the score sheet. This job requires constant motion and the ability to be on your feet for long stretches of time.

Track Attendant

This team will deliver snacks and drinks to the Judges, Timers, Score Keepers, Pre-trip Inspection Crew and Bull Pen Volunteers throughout the day. It is imperative that they stay out of the way of moving trucks, being constantly aware of where the drivers are and any movement in which may compromise their turn at driving the course.

Volunteer Check In

Check in volunteers, direct them to their areas, and assigning last minute volunteers a task or finding coverage for unfilled tasks. Must arrive early on Saturday morning to set-up.

Volunteer Coordinator

This person is responsible for co-coordinating all the volunteers for the Truck Driving Championship. This may include sharing your cell phone number and fielding questions and concerns as they arise, helping volunteers figure out where they belong and what they should be doing at any given moment. Directing volunteers to take shifts for breaks and other responsibilities as they arise. This person would work under the supervision of ITA Staff, the TDC Chairman and the Event Leader Assistant. To give volunteers instructions and answer any questions about their jobs. Must arrive at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday morning to set-up the Volunteer Check-in signage and table items, they may also help guard the front gate to only allow key TDC volunteers to enter and would keep out those that are not expected to arrive until 7:00 a.m. Must be very good at multi-tasking under pressure and keeping your cool in mass chaos.