

2017 DRIVER & MECHANIC RECOGNITION DINNER

RULES FOR THE 2017 SAFE DRIVING AWARD

SPONSORED BY THE NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION

March 31, 2017 at The Derryfield Restaurant, 625 Mammoth Road, Manchester, NH



1. Applicants for awards must be recommended by a licensed provider or by a New Hampshire Supervisory Administrative Unit.
2. The nominating provider or administrative unit must be a current member of NHSTA.
3. Driving years do not need to be consecutive to qualify for awards, nor does the driver need to have worked for the same transporter or school district. (i.e. A driver may have driven three years without a preventable accident, taken a leave of absence for a year or two, and then returned to work as an operator for the remaining period.) Only active driving years are considered for the award.
4. Only years uninterrupted by preventable accidents qualify for the award. Drivers with a preventable accident or moving violation involving a company or government vehicle will lose their earned safe driving years.
5. Awards are only given in five year increments of driving, with no preventable accidents. (i.e., If last year a driver had driven nine years accident free and had previously received the five year award and this year he/she is still accident free, he/she will qualify for the ten year award. However, if last year a driver had driven eight years accident free and had previously received a five year award, he/she would not be eligible for another award until his/her tenth year, provided he/she is still accident free.)
6. The deadline for submissions is Friday, March 17, 2017. You may submit the forms by fax, email, or standard mail; contact information is on the application.
7. Awards will be presented at the Driver & Mechanic Recognition Dinner at The Derryfield Restaurant in Manchester, NH on Friday, March 31, 2017.
8. All qualified nominees will be presented with a certificate and a lapel pin,
9. Judges for the awards will be the New Hampshire School Transportation Association's Board of Directors and its Executive Director.
10. Recommendations for the Safe Driver Award shall be received on the official application form and must contain the original signature of a contractor, transportation supervisor, or superintendent of schools. (A photocopy of the entry form may be used.)
11. There is no entry fee for this award. Although strongly encouraged, the driver/mechanic does not need to be present at the March 31st program in order to receive their award.

(Please complete application)

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SAFE DRIVING AWARD APPLICATION FORM

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REGISTER ONLINE: [HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/NHSTA-DRIVER-MECHANIC-DINNER](https://tinyurl.com/nhsta-driver-mechanic-dinner)

Copy this form if needed. Please note this form can be completed and submitted online by going to NHSTA.org and clicking on the respective link.

BE SURE TO MARK IF PERSON IS MECHANIC OR DRIVER!

Name of Recommended Person

Location

_____ is a Driver recommended for the Safe Driving Award, having driven a school bus for _____ years with no convictions or chargeable accidents.

_____ Is a Mechanic

Length of Time Employed

Firm Currently Employed by or Supervisory Unit No.

Address of Firm

Contractor's Signature

Phone number or Email Address

OR

Transportation Supervisor's Signature

OR

Phone number or Email Address

Superintendent of School District's Signature

Phone number or Email Address

Will this driver/mechanic also attend the dinner on March 31st? Yes* _____ No _____

*If yes, his or her name must also appear on the list of dinner participants on the dinner reservation form. Otherwise, we will assume that they will NOT be attending the dinner.

All applications must be received by NHSTA by Friday, March 17, 2017.



This application may be submitted by:

Fax: (603) 228-2118

Email: info@nhsta.org

Online: NHSTA.org

Mail: N.H. School Transportation Association
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