



# AAT

# NEWS

November 2018

## McNeilus Changes Forms

Effective November 1<sup>st</sup> McNeilus has updated their Pre-Trip Inspection form and the Delivery Inspection form.

In each driver packet you will find an information sheet –PLEASE review it carefully.

AAT receives a “report card” each month from McNeilus that outlines each inspection form that is turned in along with other items. If there is missing information such as the odometer, date, drivers name, signature or putting unapproved notes on the inspection forms; these are all documented as errors and negatively impacts our performance report card.

Thank you for taking the time to review the information and how you are filling out the forms.

## Winter Tire Socks

Last year AAT switched over completely to using the tire socks vs chains. Driver feedback was great as they are so much easier to handle and transport.

Most airlines allow a carry on and one personal item which the sock bag will easily qualify for.

If you are on a “puddle-jumper” flight where your bags cannot be checked, they may fit in your carry-on bag.

The value of each set of tire socks is \$385.00. Drivers are subject to the full replacement cost if not returned to AAT.



## HaPpY BiRthDaY!

Troy B., Brian J. & Chris L.

## Deer Season

Deer Season is here! Prime time to see deer along side or going across the roads is early morning and late afternoon into evening.

## Reminder

Sleeping in vehicles is prohibited. This is against DOT regulations and a serious offense. During an inspection they may ask you to provide receipts for your lodging for log compliance.

## Year End & Availability

The end of 2018 is fast approaching and while it brings holiday celebrations it is also quarter end and year end. This is a very busy time for AAT so plan to keep your availability as open as possible and updated with us.

## Winter Gear

Snow will be flying soon and it is never too early to plan for an unexpected weather event. Be prepared for these conditions with the proper clothing. Don't forget to pack a hat, gloves, warm coat and boots.

## AAT Clothing

Is it time to add to your supply of AAT clothing? Need a new hat? Shirt? Jacket? *Let us know.* AAT clothing must be worn at pick-up and delivery of each vehicle as required by our clients. It is important to present a professional image with neat, clean clothing such as jeans or casual dress pants with an AAT shirt or jacket. This does not include sweatpants or cut offs.



Time to FALL BACK with daylight saving time this Sunday, Nov 4<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 AM.

The AAT office will be closed November 22 & 23, 2018 for the Thanksgiving holiday.

## **HAPPY THANKSGIVING**



Scott, Debra, Jackie Penney, Donna, Kara and Patti