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Booth Time

Our monthly newsletter to keep you informed

Garner Trucking

Successful Touch-a-Truck Event!

From the entire Bestpass team, we would like to extend a huge congratulations to our friends at Garner Trucking, for hosting a successful touch-atruck event!



Approximately 500 children, parents and other

members of the community attended Garner Trucking's touch-a-truck event earlier this month in Findlay, Ohio. The kids were able to climb into the cabs of trucks and learn first-hand about a variety of emergency vehicles.

The community event was held at Findlay Village Mall and benefited the Children's Museum of Findlay. Kids had their choice of trucks to climb on and check out, including: sleeper trucks, oil tankers, construction cranes, ambulances, and more! Students from the nearby University of Findlay generously volunteered their time to help out for the day.



To help in planning, Garner consulted a guide that Bestpass recently released for free for anyone who wants to put together a public awareness and fundraising event centered on trucking. The comprehensive 79-page guide has everything you need to plan your own touch-a-truck event! The Touch-a-Truck Guide Cole Cook of Findlay, OH by Bestpass can be found on our website: http://www.bestpass.com/touch-a-truck-kit.

"The Bestpass guide has helped us in planning our event tremendously," said Jenny Schaub, marketing coordinator for Garner Trucking. "The templates in particular have been great guidelines for us."

"The only thing worse than being blind, is having sight but no vision."

- HELEN KELLER

The Month of August

National Eye Exam Month

Remember all of those times your Mom said you were ruining your vision? Sorry, Mom, but you were wrong.

Mom may have been wrong, but you should still get your eyes checked every one to three years -80% of vision problems worldwide are avoidable or curable.



1. "Keep squinting like that and you'll need

glasses!" False. Squinting may be a sign that you need glasses, but it isn't going to make your need for glasses any worse. But it could be causing you a headache - literally.

2. "Stop reading in the dark!" Turn the light back off, reading in the dark isn't harmful for your eyes. More outside light can definitely help you see better, but your retina is not damaged by the high amount of light let in by an expanded pupil in the dark.

3. "Eat your carrots, they're good for your vision!" Kind of false. Diet is important for good vision, but that doesn't mean that eating carrots all day will give you eagle eyes. Dark green vegetables, like spinach and broccoli,

contain lutein, which can help protect the macula and play a role in preventing macular degeneration - where you lose vision in the center of the eye.

4. "Wearing these glasses is making my eyesight worse." No they aren't. Keep calm and wear on. Natural aging and its effects on the eyes are to blame. Wearing glasses or contact lenses do not change the physiology of your eye.

BP News

Quickly Approaching: The Month of October What It Means...

Here at Bestpass, we study the trucking industry to be able to serve you the best way possible! It's crazy to think that Fall is just around the corner, but October will be here before we know it - which means we are building up to our busiest time of the year!



What happens in October: Historically, we have noticed that toll volume peaks in October - just in time before the Holiday Season. This is most likely due to the fact that more orders are placed for holiday goods to be delivered to retailer stores for "Black Friday," and due to the fact that shopping, in general, is heightened to gear up for the holidays.

What you can expect: Keep in mind that if your toll volume starts to increase, Bestpass is looking ahead to make sure you are covered. As a result, you might receive larger and more frequent replenishment notices to make sure your account is in good standing, and to keep you rolling through tolls.

"What do I need to do?" You don't need to do anything, other than stay vigilant. Bestpass looks out for you to ensure you always have enough money for your tolls - no matter how busy you are. If you notice you are busier than usual, look out for our replenishment notices sent via email, and if necessary, please make sure to make the requested payment on time.

For any questions about your account, please give Bestpass Customer Service a call at: 1-888-410-9696 or email support@bestpass.com

Verrazano-Narrows Bridge Discount Change!

Do you travel the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge? You probably already know that Bestpass not only covers the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge, but we qualify you for the best discount available, even if you do not meet the full discount from the Verrazano-Narrows Commercial rebate.

In order to qualify for the full discount, you need to do 11 or more trips per month, but Bestpass makes customers with ten or less trips per month eligible for half the discount which you cannot get anywhere else.



Previously, the discount was 20% (and 10% for those Bestpass customers with 10 or less trips). MTA Bridges and Tunnels has changed the amount of the discount to 18%, so beginning with your next invoice, customers will see the discount change to 18%/9%.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Bestpass Customer Service at 1-888-410-9696.

Warning! E-ZPass Email Scam

It Strikes Again..

The email phishing scam that targets E-ZPass customers is back.

The email scam attempting to steal personal information is disguised as an E-ZPass request for payment of unpaid tolls. Please know, this is a scam.

Your E-ZPass account is opened through Bestpass and the E-ZPass Service Center does not send out



email invoices for toll collection. This email is not authorized by E-ZPass or Bestpass and should be disregarded. We advise you not to open or respond to such a message and the safest thing to do is delete the email.

One way to avoid clicking on suspicious emails involves hovering over the sender's email address and ensuring that the sender's actual address matches up.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Bestpass Customer Service at 1-888-410-9696.

Driver Spotlight

National Dog Day: August 26th



Sasha





Hercules

"He's supposed to be a Shepherd-Pitbull mix, but we call him a mutt. He has been in the truck since he was six months old, and now he's seven years old!"



Rusty Nail

"He is my best friend anywhere; from sitting at the front of the fishing boat to hanging his head out the window of the Kenworth. Dogs truly are a man's best friend."

Human: Sean Ross

Grayson Excavating

Human: Timmy Wray

Self-Employed

Aluminum Line Products Westlake Ohio

Human:David Lecomte



Welcome New Clients!

Welcome to our new clients who joined us in July!

- OOIDA
- **CRS** Logistics
- Penn Choice Transportation Inc
- D. Sconiers Enterprises, LLC
- MCR Squared Trucking
- Milky Way Express Inc
- Kevin Donnelly
- Roderick Morford
- Ion Ilie
- Shield & Steel Transport LLC
- Holy Haulin LLC
- David Calhoun
- American Shipping Lines, LLC
- Joe Costa
- S & S Transporters Inc
- **Giglio Trucking**
- **Tony Weimer**
- Wood Transportation LLC
- Dan Morrison
- **Bull Mountain Express Inc**
- Gafedha Trucking Inc
- **Rogue Transport Services** LLC
- Stepchild Transportation Inc
- Potters Industries
- Praxair Distribution Mid-Atlantic, LLC - Allentown

- **HWD Express**
- Bridgestone America's Fleet Operations, LLC - Lebanon
- Transport M.L.N. Ouellet, Inc
- Greg Seebold
- Chris Zawistowski
- 9184-2732 Quebec Inc
- SDR Express LLC
- Ronald Paschall
- J-Bros Transportation LLC
- Ameristar Transport
- Moran Foods LLC dba Save-A-Lot Foods
- **Richaed Simpson**
- James Waldick
- Faith Transport & Logistics Inc
- Night Rider Logistics LLC
- Transport SRV Inc
- **Timothy Schnuck**
- Simplistick Transport
- Hothi Trucking
- Scottie W Moland
- Max 58 LLC
- Showtime Entertainment Transport
- Humphreys Farm Inc
- AT Trucking
- Boyer Family Enterprises
- **Reliable Delivery National**

- **NEFCO** Corporation
- Heyl Truck Lines Inc
- A.J. Weigand Inc
- James Hyatt

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- Servaty Enterprises
- Harmac Transportation Inc
- Davison Distribution LLC
- Douglas Campbell
- R. English Et Fills Inc
- Amsdill Trucking LLC
- Joseph Farlin
- Russ Gewin
- David Kremer
- David Cobb
- KGMI Transport LLC
- Martin Lenaghan
- Kevin Pritchard
- Hase Husic
- Bush Llanaj
- Power Only Inc
- Thomas Waldron
- Seal Transport LLC
- Alton D Day
- Russell Hoy
- **Coastal Express**
- Elite Harvesting LLC
- Ed Smith
- Neverlate LLC
- JLE Industries LLC
- ESSAR Logistic LLC •



MyBESTPASS Client Portal

Don't forget, in our client portal you can:

- Access account information
- Make a payment
- <u>View/download Toll Activity</u>
- <u>Manage your tags</u>



We're Here for You!

Have a question? Need help making changes to your account? Need to order more tags? We're here to help you! <u>Chat live</u> with us by clicking the image above; email us at <u>support@bestpass.com</u>; or call us at 1-888-410-9696.

#NationalPicnicMonth

Did you know that August is known as National Picnic Month? The Bestpass team enjoyed a night of fun at the annual Bestpass Company Picnic. Fun was had by all, there was a bouncy bounce to keep the kids busy, intense games of volleyball and beanbag toss, and an ice cream truck to cap off the night. We can't wait to get the gang together again! Be sure to check out the Bestpass Instagram to check out all of the Bestpass fun - click the picture to see!



Bestpass Company Picnic 2015



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