



# **Booth Time**

Our monthly newsletter to keep you informed

# We Welcome... Foodliner Inc./Quest Liner Inc.

We would like to welcome Foodliner Inc./Quest Liner Inc. to the Bestpass family!





Based in Dubuque, Iowa, <u>Foodliner</u> is one of the largest carriers in the bulkfood industry, with more than 1,000 trucks operating in 48 states, as well as Canada and Mexico. Foodliner's customized transportation system and dedication to safe and efficient shipping has resulted in mutually beneficial partnerships with most of the major bulk-food, sugar, sweetener, vegetableoil and flour-milling companies in the United States.

Quest Liner, also based in Dubuque, Iowa, provides bulk chemical transportation services to some of the industry's largest shippers.

Susan Barclay, corporate licensing coordinator for Foodliner & Quest Liner, has been working closely with our team during the conversion to the Bestpass service. Susan said, "I've had a great experience with Bestpass, first with the sales department, and now with customer service. They are amazingly responsive and really are looking out for our best interests."

We look forward to continuing to work with Susan to help Foodliner & Quest Liner save time and money on their tolling!

# "Fall down seven times, stand up eight."

## - JAPANESE PROVERB

## The Month of September

#### **Raking in the Facts**

You either love fall, or hate fall. Or you at least hate the thought of raking leaves. Either way, fall is here - check out these fun facts!

 Want fries with that? A 200lb person can burn 409 calories in 60 minutes raking leaves, or 1.3 standard fast food burgers. Who said raking leaves wasn't a workout?



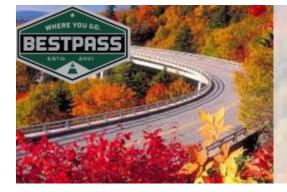
2. Shhhhh. Think you're just going to use your

leaf blower and blow them into your neighbor's lawn? If you're in California that might be tough. Twenty California cities have banned leaf blowers.

**3. Size matters.** The Seattle Times reports that a 24-inch leaf rake suits most people. Work smarter, not harder.

**4. Raking a ton of leaves? You might be.** The trees in just one acre of forest can shed as much as 2 tons each fall.

**5. Geronimo!** The optimal size for a leaf pile is at least 3 feet tall at its center, and twice as wide. Avoid piles near roads - curbs are not your friends and please, watch out for ticks!



#FallForBestpass Submit your fall foliage pictures to social@bestpass.com to win cool prizes during the month of October!

#### **BP News**

# Great American Truck Show

#### Recap

Bestpass Inc. attended the Great American Truck Show (GATS), for the fourth year in a row.

What can we say about GATS? "Wow!" pretty much sums it up. It was a pleasure to meet with our existing customers and hear about



their positive experiences with Bestpass, Inc. It was also awesome opportunity to meet with new potential clients!

On top of the great interactions with our customers and potential customers, there were some amazing trucks. Check out the slideshow we put together!

Driver Spotlight Ken Poole



In honor of National Truck Driver Appreciation Week, we asked our community on social media to nominate their favorite truck driver.

Mandy Jo, of KAP Trucking had this to say, "Ken Poole, you are a hard working, dedicated, professional driver! Your hard work and dedication is greatly appreciated!"

Ken sounded like a great guy, so we caught up with him to get his story.

Ken's trucking career began in Alabama when he was only 18 years old. He enjoys interacting

and meeting people from all over the country, and all over the world. The most memorable was a gentleman from Russia!

Ken's favorite state to visit is Wyoming. He loves the beautiful scenery and tranquility it offers.

We asked Ken what his dream truck would be and we loved his answer, "A dream truck to me is a mechanically sound, road-safe, and compliant truck. No matter what make or model - a driver's pride makes his dream truck!"

Thank you for letting us catch up with you, Ken! We are so happy to know that there are drivers like you out there that have the pride and passion for the job.

If you know someone who is a great truck driver, let us know! We are always looking to feature drivers and reward them for a job well done. Email your nominations to social@bestpass.com!

# Sick of Listening to the Same Thing? Podcasts

We know that listening to the same thing while you're out on the road isn't fun. That's why we came up with some cool podcasts for you to listen to. Check 'em out just click and listen!

#### Stuff You Should Know

Co-hosts Josh and Chuck dive deep on a wide range of

topics, with recent shows ranging from chili peppers and cult deprogramming to police dogs and donating your body to science.

#### James Bonding

Matt Gourley and Matt Mira invite guests to join them for an in-depth conversation about each of the movies in what they have deemed "the greatest film franchise known to man."

# Welcome New Clients!

### Welcome to our new clients who joined us in August!

- Safe Care Mobility
- Champion Autosport Transport LLC
- Zollinger Enterprises, LLC
- BHauler / Maynor LLC
- Services, Inc.
- Beverly Trucking
- Allen Wakefield
- DMAA Trucking LLC
- Transport O.S.I. Inc
- Michael Ward
- Galen Cronin
- Robert LaValley
- MIA
- Kevin Kelley
- Less Enterprises Jessen
  Inc
- L&H Hester Trucking LLC
- MARCARNO Transportation LLC
- Transport M.T. L Inc.
- Harold McMillen
- A&K AgriServices LLC
- Carl Roop Trucking
- Dominick Krajewski
- Gary Chacon
- Pathmaker Transport

- Great Plains Trucking Inc
- Calex ISCS Inc
- Food Handlers, LLC
- Partners in Transportation LLC
- Skyline Trans LLC
- LSK Transportation Inc
- Wigmore Enterprises LLC
- 9009-3949 Quebec, Inc
- 9257-1462 Quebec Inc
- Kliever's Trucking
- Douglas K. Baumgartner
- Philp Estep
- Big Dog Freight LLC
- B.C. Trucking Co Inc
- George Creamer Trucking
  LLC
- Azizbek Kodirov
- Hoa T Nguyen
- R-n-K Freightways LTD
- Nuno Machado
- Joseph Driggers
- Templin Trucking, LLC
- Debbie Athy
- In the Groove Express, LLC
- Mark Hall
- Shenandoah Transport LLC

- UNFI York PA
- TF Boyle Transportation Inc
- Jay Jays Auto Transport
- B&B Transport of Troutman
  LLC
- Bakewell Trucking Co
- Leonid Koval
- No Limit Trucking
- Steven Johnson
- Izzy Logistic LLC
- Alltransol LLC
- Prince Transport LLC
- Count Diamond Transport
- T&T Trucking of South Florida Inc
- upTIME Transportation LLC
- Big Bear Transport LLC
- 1102197 Ontario Inc
- Paula Ashby
- Wanzer Trucking
- Rick Booth Trucking
- 2010329 Ontario Inc
- Silver Wolf, Inc
- Taino Express Trucking Inc
- 3103-5405 Quebec Inc
- Litbec Inc.



- A.A. Tuit Transport
- PCC Transportation
- 1904980 Ontario, Inc
- Lawrence King
- Richard Bartlett
- Skeleton Crew Corporation
- JJL Transportation
- Regency Transportation
  Inc
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#### **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.

# Second Annual Operation: Big Wheels For Heroes

Together, New York State Motor Truck Association and Bestpass Inc., are hosting the second annual <u>Operation: Big Wheels for Heroes</u> touch-a-truck fundraiser! 100% of the proceeds benefit Wreaths Across America - a charity that honors America's veterans all year. Check out the article FleetOwner Magazine wrote on last year's event <u>here!</u>

We are looking forward to a day full of family fun, including: a silent auction, book signing, face painting, and balloon twisting! If you are in the Albany, New York area, be sure to stop by Crossgates Mall, from 11am-2pm on Saturday, October 3rd, 2015. Stay tuned - we will be posting pictures of our success to our Facebook, Twitter and Instagram accounts!



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