

KNOWLTON TRUCKING INC.

MARCH

2026

newsletter

SAFETY CORNER:

📱 KI: Cell Phone
0 / 5.0

⚠️ KI: Following Distance
0.88 / 8.0

🛡️ KI: Speeding
0.15 / 5.0

📷 KI: Obstructed Camera
0 / 2.0

🧑 KI: Seat Belt
0.04 / 5.0

MISSION STATEMENT

Striving for excellence through integrity, safety, profitability and efficiency.

Safety Overview

Fleet Safety Score: 98.68%	Fleet Safety Rating: Acceptable	
Accident Score 98.83%	ELD Score 99.10%	Inspection Score 100.00%
Driver Score: 98.37%	VEDR Score: 95.77%	Roadside Violation Score: 100.00%

🔧 SAFETY TIP:

Never assume that other drivers see you or will yield the right of way. Take the extra second to check mirrors, blind spots, and cross traffic before proceeding.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

PEAK Celebration Awards



**DRIVER OF THE YEAR
EXCELLENCE SAFETY
ZACH SLATTERY**

Congratulations to Zach on being named Driver of the Year! Zach has consistently demonstrated outstanding driving standards and an overall commitment to excellence in safety. Since joining Knowlton Trucking in 2020, he has proven himself to be a dependable, professional, and safety-focused driver. As our dedicated driver in Dodge City, KS, Zach represents our company with integrity and pride every day.

His hard work, attention to detail, and dedication to safe operations set a high standard for our entire team. We truly appreciate his commitment and the example he sets for others.

Congratulations, Zach, on this well-deserved recognition!

PEAK Celebration Awards



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**P&D Driver of the Year
Tyler Shilling**



**Kansas City Drive of the Year
Deatrick Burch**



**Western KS Driver of the Year
Derek Knowlton**



**Team Drivers of the Year
Terry and Michael Smith**

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IMPORTANT INFO:

SAFETY First

• **Always have a safety vest in your tractor. Should be wearing them while in the yard and customer spots. And especially at night**



• **PRE-TRIP INSPECTION(Have the same routine every day. Report to management with any problems found with pictures and/or videos.)**

• **Tire Pressure is extremely important. 100 PSI on steer tires, 85-100 PSI on drive tires. Proper inflation can help improve MPG, traction, and can help tires last longer**

• **G.O.A.L. (GET OUT AND LOOK) If you aren't certain, get out and look**

• **ALWAYS CHECK DOCK DOOR/TRAILER DOOR BEFORE PULLING FROM DOCK, pull from dock immediately when trailer is ready, then do Pre-trip**

• **Take pictures and/or videos if having any problems at customer spots or the yard.**

• **PLUG your truck in**

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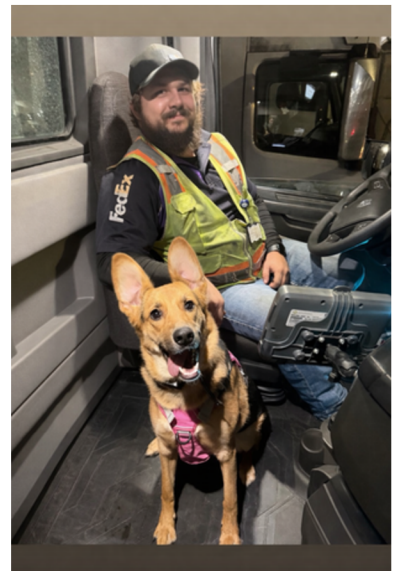
THINGS TO REMEMBER:

As we continue through this cold weather, please keep the following in mind:

- Fuel Card Visor Holder: If you need a visor holder for your fuel card, please reach out to your manager.
- Fuel Treatment: Make sure you have fuel treatment available for your truck. Contact your manager if you need any.
- Additional Supplies: Let your manager know if you need any other items to prepare for cold conditions.

Driver Coverage Expectation

Drivers who have designated runs and experience a cancellation are expected to remain available and ready to fill in where operational needs require. Always check with your manager for direction before leaving the terminal or going home.



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Correct tractor–trailer airline adjustment includes:

- **Identify service (blue) and emergency (red) air lines**
- **Inspect and clean glad hand seals before connecting**
- **Connect lines securely and ensure proper slack/support**
- **Supply air and check for leaks or crossed lines**
- **Perform a brake pull test to verify engagement**
- **Maintaining clean, inspected, properly-rated lines**



Curtis Corner

Defensive driving isn't optional in this industry—it's part of the job. Looking both ways protects you, your equipment, and everyone else on the road. Safety always comes first.

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Reminder



This program gives you a \$70.00 credit at the time you order. They provide one pair of slip resistant shoes to each driver every year, up to \$70.00. Knowlton Trucking will contribute \$30.00 a year to allow you \$100.00 to spend on a pair of shoes.

Please contact Karla Kilgore and she will order and ship your shoes to you. Please use the online catalog at www.shoesforcrews.com. We will need the style number and size.

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HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Stretch for 10 minutes outside the cab to boost circulation, and deep clean the cabin to remove winter grime and allergens

DRIVER SPOTLIGHT

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Justin Hook

Bryan Knowlton

Anniversary

Deatrick Burch - 1 Year

Joshua Hankins - 1 Year

**»» WELCOME
TO OUR
TEAM ««**

**Sergio Espinosa Parra
Eric Rhymes**

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