

Congratulations

2022 Outstanding Driver Trainers!

Allyn Sharp
Bradley Masteller
Christopher Meeks
Damion Rushton
David Scott
Gary Shepherd
Jeffrey Bump
Jeremy Rhames

John Beaulieu
Kevin Young
Mark Aarons
Michael McCormack
Michael Collins
Steve Edwards
Wesley Vanover
Zachary Miller

Thank you for your dedication to training our next generation of truck drivers!

We asked a few of our 2022 Outstanding Driver Trainers:

Why do you want to train?

Then reviewed **My Feedback** to see what their student's had to say.

Wesley Vanover: "I want to be able to return something to a career that's been really good to me. I've doing this for 30+ years and this is my way of paying it back! I started driving in 1985. The trucking industry has been really good to me."



"Wes is a true asset. He did everything possible to set me up for success in this business. I am forever in his debt."

Mark Aarons: "I look at this way: training is something that can't be skimmed over. We have to pay attention to all the details. We need to be able to train our new drivers for safety, doing it the Roehl Way. I get excited when I train too. I love to see how they progress. Some of my students get to experience different parts of the country with me for the first time! It's a rollercoaster!"



"Mark was phenomenal to work with! He helped me with the areas I needed and kept me motivated even when I was getting upset."

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John Beaulieu: “I always put myself in my student’s shoes. I see myself in them and if it were me, I’d want to get the correct training. I want my student to be successful. If they’re doing great, I feel I’ve done my part as a trainer.”



“John Beaulieu is an incredible trainer! He is patient and helped me feel comfortable. He answered all my questions in great detail. I will always be grateful to John for everything he did and taught me.”

Michael McCormack: “I want to treat my students the way I want to be treated. I treat them fairly. I feed most of my students. I have a refrigerator, microwave and a coffee maker. I want them to get what they need to be successful. I show them the Roehl Way.”



“Michael is one of the best trainers! He made me feel comfortable in his truck. I am more confident in backing. He is very kind and considerate. He provided me meals when I was in his truck so that I was prepared to drive. I’ve learned so much from Mike.”

Gary Shepherd: “It’s a combination of things. I don’t put myself above anyone, including my students. We’re equal. The only thing they don’t have that I have is the truck driving experience. I teach them the trucking part. I let them do their thing and if it works, I applaud them. If something goes wrong, I don’t make them feel bad. I explain how they could have done it different. It’s a stressful job and I don’t need to add to their stress. I encourage them and provide them advice, as needed. When I get a new student, it’s also a chance for me to make a new friend.”



“Gary is a great trainer. The industry needs more guys like him. He’s patient. He didn’t over correct me. He let me do my thing and when a maneuver didn’t work out, we talked about it. Trial and error and then how to fix it.”

The most successful Driver Trainers express empathy, remain patient, and treat people with respect. They understand that students are individuals and are willing to adjust how they communicate and train, as needed.

Want to learn more about becoming a Driver Trainer?

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My Feedback

