

## GENERAL INFORMATION PACKET

#### INCLUDED IN THIS PACKET:

- 1. General Information
- 2. Answers to some frequently asked questions
- 3. Hotel information
- 4. Directions to the Alameda County Fairgrounds

#### GOT QUESTIONS?

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# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### THE PURPOSE OF THIS EVENT IS:

- To promote safety so employees can become aware of the laws and precautions of driving on the road in relationship to the solid waste industry.
- To promote professionalism on the part of the drivers in the solid waste field.
- To create a spirit of competition and goodwill throughout participating companies.

In general, the following events will make up the driving course:

- Backing into Stall
- Straight Line
- Left Turn
- **Diminishing Clearance**
- Offset Alley
- Serpentine
- Stop Line

The Road-e-o Chairman reserves the right to drop or add events, or change their order, if it is deemed necessary.

#### **RULES**\*

- Each driver will be required to take either a verbal examination concerning safety rules and regulations, or perform a pre-trip inspection as part of the competition.
- Each contestant will drive the course ONLY one time.
- The top three scores in each class will determine the winners for the individual classes (1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place awards). See below for driver classes.
- Each driver can enter ONLY one class.
- Drivers in the Automated competition MUST drive from the right-hand drive.
- Team competition will consist of three drivers driving DIFFERENT equipment, and one mechanic. Reminder! A forklift qualifies as one of the driver classes!
- Drivers that are unsafe or abusive to equipment will be subject to disqualification.

#### **DRIVER CLASSES**

- Front-End Loader
- Roll-Off
- Fully Automated (right hand drive)
- Forklift Operators

\* RULES AND OBSTACLE COURSE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

\*\* NO ON-SITE CHANGES OF EQUIPMENT TYPE WILL BE ALLOWED!

#### NO ON-SITE REGISTRATIONS AFTER 8:30 AM. PARTICIPANTS MUST COMPETE WITH THEIR COMPANY.

# **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

#### Who was Louie Pellegrini IV?

Louie worked at his family business, Peninsula Sanitary Service, Inc., at Stanford University for 15 years. On June 26, 2010 Louie lost his battle with Synovial Sarcoma. He fought the disease with courage and dignity, much in the same way he lived his life. He was 30 years old. Also fondly known as "#4," Louie was a frequent participant in the Road-e-o event and we are proud to rename this event in his honor.

#### What is the cost of attending this event?

There is a minimum fee for individual and team participants, per the registration packet. These fees increase if your registration forms are received after September 8, 2023. However, there is no charge for family members, non-participants and volunteers to attend. And breakfast and lunch are always served at no charge.

#### What is the schedule for the day?

7:00 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
7:30 am	Drivers Judges Training
8:00 am	Welcome by R2C2 President Dave Sikich
8:00 am	LPIV Fun & Safety Carnival Begins
8:10 am	Drivers Orientation and Course Demonstration
8:15 am	Forklift Judges Training
8:30 am	Driver, Owner, Mechanic and Forklift Competitions Begin
Noon	Lunch, Raffle Prizes and Awards Ceremony

#### Is there a limit to the number of contestants a company can register for the competition, or the number of guests allowed?

While there is no limit to the number of contestants by R2C2 Member Companies, however non-R2C2 Member Companies are limited to a total of 16 contestants. The number of guests and family members allowed is unlimited. The more the merrier! **NO ON-SITE CHANGES OF EQUIPMENT TYPE WILL BE ALLOWED!** 

## What are the criteria for competing as a company team?

The Team Competition consists of three drivers (from four different classes) and one mechanic.

### Can a driver compete in more than one class?

Sorry, no.

#### When do the owners compete?

Owners who wish to participate in the Owners Competition will drive with their company.

#### What if I would like to attend, but do not wish to compete in any of the events? Can my family attend also?

No problem. This is a great opportunity to spend the day outdoors with friends and family, and plenty of spectators will be needed to cheer on those who are competing in the various activities. Simply register on the Non-Participant and Non-Volunteer Registration Form that is included in the Registration Packet so that we may include you in the breakfast and lunch headcount.

#### What are the age restrictions for the LPIV Fun & Safety Carnival?

All children under 7 should be accompanied by a parent in the Carnival. Some of the stations in the Carnival have age and height restrictions.

#### Do I need to be present to win a raffle prize?

Drivers, mechanics and forklift operators must be present to win a raffle prize.

# **HOTEL INFORMATION**



7050 Johnson Drive, Pleasanton, CA 94588

Room Rate Includes:

- \* Complimentary WIFI in all guest rooms
- \* Access to Bay Club Fitness Center (adjacent to the hotel)
- \* Complimentary Parking





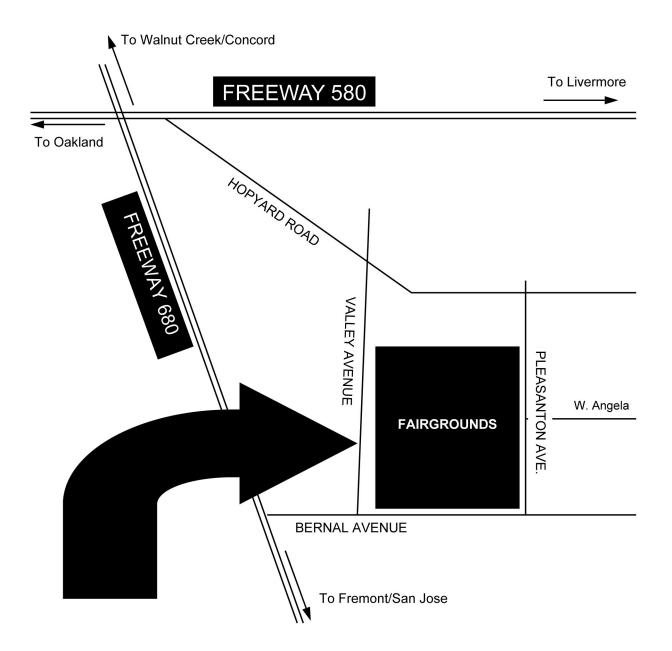
# **R2C2 RATES** \$129

Reservations can be made by calling the hotel directly at 925-463-8000, or <u>online using this link</u>.

Be sure to reference the Group Name "Resource Recovery Coalition of California" to obtain the special rate.

Reservations must be made by September 15, 2023, to receive the special room rate.

## DIRECTIONS TO THE ALAMEDA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS PLEASANTON, CA



ENTER THE FAIRGROUNDS FROM VALLEY AVENUE GATE 12.

PROCEED RIGHT TO ROAD 6 AND THEN TO THE WALNUT GROVE PARKING AREA.

THE ROAD-E-O IS BEING HELD AT THE FESTIVAL PAVED LOT.