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THE WELCOME LETTER



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You're probably reading this because you're about to start your training journey with us...

Thank you for registering for a training class with Tandem Truck Centers! We are excited to be your host and have you begin training classes with us at our brand-new training center this year!

While we are sure you are excited to advance your career and work together in tandem with our world-class trainers in a state-of-the-art facility, we do realize this is Orlando after all. And this city is definitely not all work and no play - and neither are we here at Tandem.

Below are some helpful tips to make your stay more worthwhile. If there are any questions or concerns, please contact us at tcadmin@orlandofreightliner.com.

When directing your maps to find our facility from either the OIA or the Sanford airport, please enter **2565 Pemberton Dr. Apopka, FL 32703** into your maps application of choice (we recommend using Google Maps). See you soon and travel safely!







THE INTRO.



WHERE TO STAY:

If you're looking to get a good night's sleep in the Apopka area and you're traveling from out of state, we have an excellent option in mind for you. The Hilton Garden Inn located at **580 E.**Main Street is a great option. With complimentary breakfast, hot showers with great water pressure, soft white linens, an outdoor pool, and FREE parking - you are sure to be more than comfortable without breaking the bank!

Not to mention - you get a special discount when you book just with us and *complimentary shuttle service to and from our Training Center!* Refer to the login instructions to the bottom right or talk to your Training Instructor for more details.

Give 'em a call at (407) 703-4493 and book the night for an awesome discounted rate. You deserve to be comfortable.

THE HILTON GARDEN INN



Login Instructions for Our Corporate Discount:

- To get the Discounted Corporate Rate for Orlando Freightliner go to: www.apopkacitycenter.hgi.com
- 2. Click on the Special Rates Icon
- 3. Go the Corporate Account box and enter in Freightliner's Corporate ID #: 1087520
- 4. Hit close and then select your room type. It's that simple.

WHAT TO DO:

If you're staying for the full week (and I would too if I was staying at The Hilton Garden Inn), you have to hit up some of the best things to do in the Apopka area. As an Orlando local for the last 24 years, I know this city pretty well almost like the back of my hand - so I've included some Orlando staples as well. But if you're just staying local, you have to go to Wekiva Springs or King's Landing in Apopka. Rent an innertube, kayak or a paddle-board for just \$25.00 until 5:00 p.m. and experience a true outdoor nature experience like no other. Choose a hot, sunny day (and there will be plenty) and float on! It's one of my favorite summer or fall activities and I love to suggest it to those traveling down to Florida. Not to mention, Wekiva Springs has a bar that you can directly kayak to! Not into the springs? No problem. Consider other options in Apopka like visiting the Hutchinson Farm Winery or renting a bike and heading over to the West Orange Bike Trail. Or - you can just drive 30 minutes west and experience some of those great Orlando staples I have listed below! Have fun and let us know which attraction was your favorite!

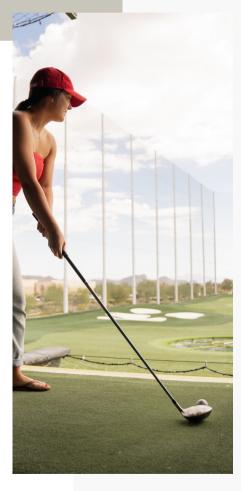


WEKIVA SPRINGS

Other Orlando attractions include things like:

- Visiting innovatory theme parks like Universal's Islands of Adventure, Seaworld, Epcot or Disney's Magic Kingdom
- Becoming a tourist at ICON
 Park and flying around the City
 Beautiful in the Orlando
 Starflyer
- For a true Florida experience that won't break the bank, head to Gatorland for a taste of Florida wildlife!
- Go-karting at Andretti Indoor Karting & Games
- Hitting some balls at Topgolf with delicious food, good drinks and great company from your training class (Located on IDrive and in Lake Mary - Lake Mary would be your closest location from our facility)
- Touring the launch pad at the Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex in Titusville, Florida
- Experiencing the best shopping the south-east has to offer at The Mall at Millenia
- Heading to New Smyrna
 Beach for the day and
 grabbing a drink at Chase's on
 the Beach







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WHAT TO DO:

For some great food after hours, you have to check out some of Apopka's local staples. Some of our favorite restaurants in the area include Caffe Positano for authentic Italian food, Grills Lakeside Orlando for seafood, Hurricane Grill & Wings for burgers and wings, Garibaldi's for authentic Mexican cuisine, and Tibby's New Orleans's Kitchen for soul food! To read up more on these great options, head to our website at tandemtruck.com!

Other notable restaurants that deserve praise as well from past trainee's from out of state include Twin Peaks on International Drive - located in Orlando's tourist district!







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WHAT TO EAT:

THANKS FOR TUNING IN:



We hope you enjoyed our write-ups of the top hotels, things to do and restaurants in the Apopka/Greater Orlando area. We hope you learned a lot with our world-class trainers and we'd love to see your friendly face back at our Training Center again sometime real soon for your next class. In the mean-time, if you wouldn't mind leaving us a 5-star Google Review with the QR code below, we'd appreciate your help in spreading the word. Thanks for traveling down to train with us and helping us continue our mission to keep America moving!

