Frontier Looking for Bus Drivers

If you're looking for an important and needed job with good pay and benefits, the Frontier Central School District may have just the right career for you.

We are looking for bus drivers.

Ed Strasser Jr., the Director of Transportation for the District, has worked together with the Frontier Board of Education, to create the type of workplace you can thrive in.

A big selling point for drivers is a seven-hour per school day guarantee and excellent health benefits the Board has implemented.

"With the seven-hour guarantee, paid rate based off of experience, and the health care insurance that we offer, no other district is able to compete with us," Strasser said. "The sevenhour guarantee and the health care benefits are what allows us to get the younger generation interested in what has traditionally been a very typical older-generation industry."

"Without doing field trips and sport trips for extra hours, to find a district that is offering 35 hours right out of the gate, we're the only ones out there doing that," Strasser added. "And I think that plays a part in why we're able to retain and recruit bus drivers."

There is also an all-hands-on-deck attitude in the Frontier Transportation Department. All office staffers – including Strasser – are able to drive buses when needed.

"Everybody in my office staff is able to just jump in a bus and go. If we're short staffed, the kids still have to get home," said Strasser, who spoke shortly after getting back from driving a route last week. "Everybody is able to pitch in and do some aspect of school bus driving."

"We are always hiring for bus drivers. We are always looking. If you are interested, come in and fill out an application. Once you get comfortable and you know you can do it, it can be a very rewarding career," Strasser added.

If you are interested in being a bus driver, contact Edward Strasser Jr. by phone at 716-926-1705, or email him at <u>estrasser@frontiercsd.org</u>.

What are you waiting for!