

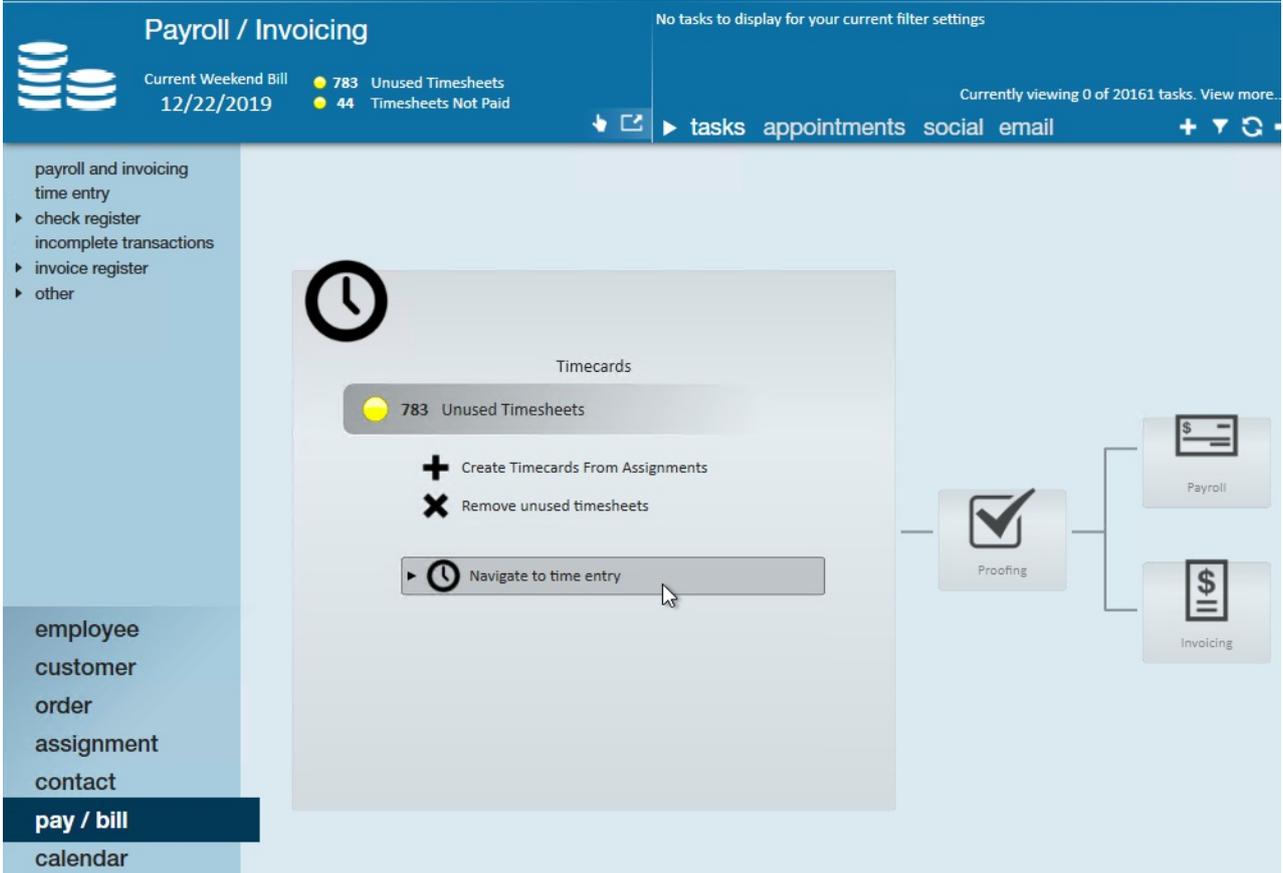
Enterprise - Time Entry Tricks

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Time Entry allows you to manually enter timecards or review timecards that have been already saved in your system. This article will cover a few tips and tricks to getting the most out of the Time Entry section.

Begin by selecting the timecards box to expand options and click "navigate to time entry" to access the time entry dashboard.

Don't forget to also check out our TempWorks University Video: [Time Entry Part 1: The Basics](#)



The screenshot displays the 'Payroll / Invoicing' dashboard. At the top, it shows 'Current Weekend Bill 12/22/2019' with 783 Unused Timesheets and 44 Timesheets Not Paid. A navigation bar includes 'tasks', 'appointments', 'social', and 'email'. The left sidebar lists 'payroll and invoicing', 'time entry', 'check register', 'incomplete transactions', 'invoice register', and 'other'. The main content area features a 'Timecards' section with a clock icon, '783 Unused Timesheets', and options: '+ Create Timecards From Assignments', 'X Remove unused timesheets', and a highlighted '▶ ⌚ Navigate to time entry' button. To the right, a 'Proofing' section leads to 'Payroll' and 'Invoicing' options.

Note Save clicks by using the hot key combination of Alt+I to access the time entry dashboard.

Organizing Your Space

Every company and every payroll processor is going to have different needs in the time entry section. To make it easier, we have a lot of different options to help you organize the time entry section to work best for your processes.

Adding & Removing Columns

Need to see what shift this employee is working on? Don't want to see what department every timecard is tied to? You have options for that!

Right click anywhere on the column headers to see a full list of every option available. Click on a check-marked item to remove the column and click on any item without a checkmark to add the column.

The screenshot shows a software interface for managing timecards. On the left, a list of 913 timecards is displayed with columns for 'W.', 'S...', 'Name', and 'Customer'. A 'Generate Timecard' button is visible. In the center, a context menu is open, listing various columns that can be added or removed. On the right, a detailed view of a timecard entry is shown, including a 'Bill' column and monetary values.

W.	S...	Name	Customer	P	OT Bill	Bill
		Mouse, Minnie	DisneyWorldOrl...			\$30.00
		Mueller, Abby	Burger Bonanza			\$19.20
		Mulligan, Jamie	Dell Welding Sp...			\$28.00
		Munsent, Jeremy	Javy's Awesome...			\$28.90
		Myers, Christopher	Crate & Barrel			\$31.20
		Nelson, Tori	Upside Down Inc			\$21.00
		Noble, Donna	Sabre			\$21.68
		nojob, Jon M	The Citadel			\$28.90
		Nuhn, Cheryl	Buy N Large			\$20.00
		Nulty, Ryan	Fake Co.			\$76.00
		Oliver, John C	Wood Sculpting...			\$70.00

We recommend you only have the columns you need to see most or all of the time up here. More information can always be found on the detailed timecard by double clicking on a single transaction.

Looking for Recommendations?

We always recommend you keep:

- Name & Customer to identify and sort transactions
- RT & OT or Days 1-7 depending on if you entering each day or just total hours

- Bill & Pay rates to triple check you aren't paying someone \$1500 an hour instead of \$15.00
- WE Date for denoting the week those late timecards belong to

Moving Around Columns

Want customer before employee name? need pay rates before bill rates? Drag and drop the columns to reorganize.

The screenshot shows a software interface for managing timecards. At the top, there's a search bar and a user profile for 'Smith, Carlos'. Below that, a navigation menu includes 'payroll and invoicing', 'time entry', 'employee', 'customer', 'order', 'assignment', 'contact', 'pay / bill', 'calendar', and 'all options'. The main area displays a list of 913 timecards. A 'Generate Timecard' dialog box is open, showing a table of columns: W., S., Name, Customer, Pay Co..., RT..., OT Hrs, Bill, Pay, OT P..., DT Pay, and WE D... The dialog box has a white area above the column headers for grouping columns.

W.	S.	Name	Customer	Pay Co...	RT...	OT Hrs	Bill	Pay	OT P...	DT Pay	WE D...
		Bond, James	Weston's Bakery	Reg2	-40	0	\$34.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	11/24/20...
		Bowen, Troy	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-40	0	\$19.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Burgandy, Tedd	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-40	0	\$27.30	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	12/8/201...
		Smith, Amanda	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-40	0	\$21.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Smith, Andrew S	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-40	0	\$21.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Smith, Tommy	Weston's Bakery	Reg2	-40	0	\$24.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	11/24/20...
		Dempsey, Taylor	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-39.25	0	\$26.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Smith , Abigail	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-38.75	0	\$21.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Burgandy, Tedd	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-38	0	\$26.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Dahl , Taylor	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-38	0	\$27.30	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	12/8/201...
		Smith, Brandon	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-38	0	\$21.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Smith, Carlos	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-37.22	0.00	\$21.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		carpenter, terri	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-37	0	\$26.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Smith, Bob	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-37	0	\$21.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Smith, Angie	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-36.25	0	\$21.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		Dahl , Taylor	Hartford Party R...	Reg	-36	0	\$26.60	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...
		SMITH . BOB	Hartford Partv R...	Reg	-36	0	\$21.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	9/22/201...

Grouping

Drag a Column to the white area above the column headers to group. This creates visual separation and sub totals.

Customer									
W.	S...	Name	Customer	Pay Co...	RT Hrs	OT Hrs	Bill	Pay	OT P...
Customer: 123 Company (6 items)									
		Aardson, Steve	123 Company	Reg	20	0	\$47.00	\$33.33	\$50.00
		Aardson, Steve	123 Company	Reg	0	0	\$47.00	\$33.33	\$50.00
		Aaskon, Masters F	123 Company	Reg	0	0	\$47.00	\$33.33	\$50.00
		Binks, JarJar	123 Company	Reg	40	0	\$25.00	\$17.73	\$26.60
		Campbell, Jazmine	123 Company	Reg	40	0	\$25.00	\$17.73	\$26.60
		Cato, Mikey	123 Company	Reg	40	0	\$25.50	\$18.09	\$27.14
					140.00	0.00			
Customer: 123 Medical Company (6 items)									
		Aaron, Jocelyn	123 Medical Co...	Reg	40	0	\$15.60	\$11.50	\$17.25
		Abinteh, Mary	123 Medical Co...	Reg	0	0	\$19.80	\$13.00	\$19.50
		Abnotorahi, Deho	123 Medical Co...	Reg	0	0	\$19.80	\$13.00	\$19.50

Filtering

Use the filter options at the top to change which timecards you are viewing. This can be helpful if you are looking for one employee or all the timecards for one customer.

913 timecards

Filter **Employee Name** Starts With

- Filter By Field
- Assignment Id
- Branch
- Business Code
- Customer Id
- Customer Name
- Department Name
- Employee Id
- Employee Name

Customer	Pay Co...	RT Hrs	OT Hrs
123 Company	Reg	20	0
123 Company	Reg	0	0
123 Company	Reg	0	0
123 Company	Reg	40	0

Tab Stops

Utilize tab stops to key in time efficiently and effectively. A tab stop is where your cursor will stop when you hit the tab key on your keyboard. This makes entering time faster and more accurate when you only need to stop at the columns you are entering time for.

Tab stops are columns in your time entry dashboard that are selected with a check box:

Name	Customer	Pay Co...	RT Hrs	OT Hrs
Frodowald, Eric	ABC Broom co	Reg	0	0
Hill, Howard	ABC Broom co	Reg	0	0
Keith, Toby	ABC Broom co	Reg	0	0
Wilson, Terrence	ABC Broom co	Reg	0	0
Abbot, Allie	Cotton Candy	Reg	0	0
Accrue, Jackie L	Cotton Candy	Reg	0	0
Alaska, Joe	Cotton Candy	Reg	0	0

By default, all users have "RT Hrs" and "OT Hrs" marked as tab stops.

To key in time using tab stops, select your mouse into the first RT Hrs field you are ready to key in time for, enter the hours and hit tab. In the picture above, you will stop at RT hours first and then OT hours before moving to the next lines.

Tab stops are just one tool for keying in time efficiently in Enterprise.

Keyboard Shortcuts in Time Entry

Below is a listing of popular time saving tricks that can be applied specifically in the time entry dashboard.

Keyboard Key(s)	What it Does
Key Combination: Alt + 1	Brings users directly to the time entry dashboard.
Key Combination: Alt + A	Opens a new "timecard adjustment" window (for the transaction that is highlighted):

timecard adjustment

Adjustment  |

Adjustment Amount  \$0.00 Bill Amount  \$0.00

Invoice Text

  Save

Key Combination:
Alt + C

Creates a new duplicate timesheet (for the transaction that is highlighted).

10 Key Pad: +

Changes the filter dropdown to "Employee Name" and jumps users to the "filter text" field:

Filter Starts With 

10 Key Pad: *

Changes the filter dropdown to "Customer Name" and jumps users to the "filter text" field:

Filter Starts With 

10 Key Pad: /

Opens the detailed timecard. Selecting / a second time will close the detailed timecard.

Holding down the shift key and selecting a column header will sort that column in an ascending or descending order.

- Ascending: Sorts A-Z, 1-10, etc. Noted with the triangle icon.
- Descending: Sorts Z-A, 10-1, etc. Noted with the upside down triangle icon.

In this example, two columns are sorting - the (1.) customer column and the (2.) name column.

Shift Key

2.

Customer ▲						
Name ▲	Branch 1.	Customer ▲	Pay C...	RT Hrs	OT Hrs	
Customer: Sasquatch Steel (4 items)						
Bailey, Brian John	Memphis SE	Sasquatch Steel	Reg	40	1	
Peterson, Fran	Memphis SE	Sasquatch Steel	Reg	40	2	
Sanders, James L	Memphis SE	Sasquatch Steel	Reg	39.5	0	
Wood, Alison S	Memphis SE	Sasquatch Steel	Reg	40	5	
				159.5	8.00	
Customer: Seattle Fishery (4 items)						
Griffey, Ken	Memphis SE	Seattle Fishery	Reg	40	1	
Ingtton, Wash	Memphis SE	Seattle Fishery	Reg	39.5	0	
Nia, Cal	Memphis SE	Seattle Fishery	Reg	37	0	
Ryan, Nolan	Memphis SE	Seattle Fishery	Reg	29	0	
				145.5	1.00	
Customer: Solo Cups (3 items)						
Accrue, Jackie L	Memphis SE	Solo Cups	Reg	40	1	
Nalikh, Ossa P	Memphis SE	Solo Cups	Reg	4	2	
Nelson, Paul	Memphis SE	Solo Cups	Reg	40	1	
				84.00	4	

Note The customer column is also currently dropped into the column header bar, so results are being *grouped* by this column as well.

For a full list of keyboard shortcuts in Enterprise, check out [Keyboard Shortcuts](#).

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