

SOMETHING IS A Little Buggy



Does summer bring more bugs? You betcha! That's because insects are poikilothermic, or (to put it simply) "cold-blooded." They need the heat of summer to really get them in the mood to join your next picnic! Here's a fun little word scramble to recognize these pesky little critters. And, if you get 'em all, you've got our OK to rollup your newsletter and start swatting!

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June Days and Dates

6/6: D-Day Remembrance
6/14: Flag Day
6/19: Father's Day
6/21: First Day of Summer

June Is...

- National Dairy Month
- National Rose Month
- National Camping Month
- National Candy Month
- National Safety Month



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**JONATHAN &
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Patrick S., Brian C., Susan Y., Amy N.,
Tim B., AAA, John C., and Vanessa P.

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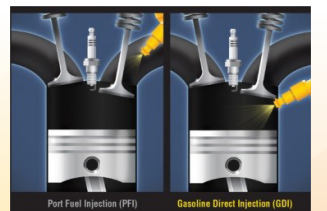
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JUNE 2022 Client Newsletter

Manager's Minute

More and more automotive manufactures are moving to Gasoline Direct Injection (GDI) engines in their vehicle line-ups. How does this impact you?

In a GDI engine, fuel is sprayed precisely within the combustion chamber, (instead of the air intake). This allows for a more complete and even burn. Ideally, this more complete combustion means better fuel economy and higher power. GDI engines can burn leaner than port fuel injection engines and a leaner mixture allows fuel to be burned much more conservatively.



GDI requires fundamentally higher fuel pressures than traditional port injection. This puts a lot of strain on every component in the fuel delivery system, and the fuel itself. The additional stress is not problematic when the system is new, but in as little 5,000 miles, carbon deposits can form inside the system robbing you of power and fuel economy. We are also seeing rough idle and hard starting issues, too.

In a nutshell, service the fuel delivery and air intake components of your GDI engine on a regular basis – we recommend every 20-30 thousand miles.

Thank you for your continued support and See You Soon! – Mark Lowe



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When it comes to vehicle safety, your brake system is at the top of the list.

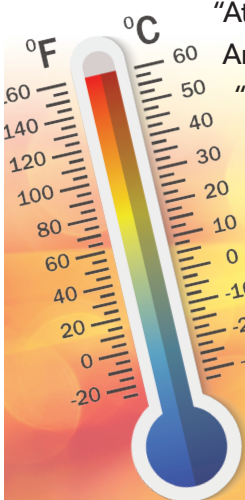
Brakes are a normal wear item for any car & eventually they're going to need to be replaced. For routine maintenance, check your vehicle's braking system at least once a year. A thorough inspection should include brake lining wear, brake fluid level, rotor thickness, condition of hoses & brake lines, brake & dash warning lights, as well as taking the car for a test drive to detect other potential brake system problems.

If your car is pulling to the left or right, or if you hear odd noises when you apply the brakes, you should inspect your brakes. Other warning signs include an illuminated brake warning light, brake grabbing, low pedal feel, vibration, hard pedal feel & squealing.

Several factors that affect brake wear include driving habits, operating conditions, vehicle type & the quality of the brake lining material. Never put off routine brake inspections or any needed repair, such as letting the brakes get to the "metal-to-metal" point, which can be potentially dangerous & lead to a more costly repair bill.

"A properly operating brake system helps ensure safe vehicle operation & control under a variety of driving conditions," said Rich White, Executive Director of the non-profit Car Care Council. "Motorists can put a stop to any potential brake system problems by recognizing the signs & symptoms that their brake system may need maintenance or repair." The Car Care Council offers tools to help you learn more about auto care & brake repair. Visit www.carcare.org to order a free copy of their popular 80-page Car Care Guide.

TOTALLY TRIFLING TRIVIA



"At what temperature will an egg fry on a sidewalk in summer?"

Answer: 158° F

"It's so hot you could fry an egg on the sidewalk!"

Sidewalks in summer can definitely heat up, but in order to cook the proteins in an egg, the temperature has to reach 158° F or higher.

Sidewalk temperatures in summer can vary greatly, depending on the sidewalk's composition. Whether or not the sidewalk is receiving direct sunlight & the temperature of the air also play a part in the temperature a sidewalk achieves. Most sidewalks are concrete, which tends to peak at a max temperature of 145° F. Conditions resembling a frying pan would more likely be on the hood of a car that sits in direct summer sunlight than on a typical sidewalk.

Source: LOC.gov

JUNE 18TH IS "GO FISHING DAY"

Here's a few angler jokes to set your hook into. Bait you can't keep from laughing!

Q: What kind of music should you listen to while fishing? A: Something catchy!

Q: Why is it so easy to weigh fish? A: Because they have their own scales!

Q: Why do fish swim in schools? A: Because they can't walk!

Mother to daughter advice... "Cook a man a fish and you feed him for a day. But teach a man to fish and you get rid of him for the whole weekend."

**MY DAD, MY
hero**



JUNE 19TH IS FATHER'S DAY!

The nation's first Father's Day was celebrated on June 19, 1910, in the state of Washington. However, it wasn't until 1972 that the day honoring fathers became a nationwide holiday in the United States. In the middle of a hard-fought presidential re-election campaign, Richard Nixon signed a proclamation making Father's Day a federal holiday at last.

Did you know? There are more than 70 million fathers in the United States and economists estimate that Americans spend more than \$1 billion each year on Father's Day gifts. That's a lot of neckties! www.history.com

**Thanks for the
Kind Words**

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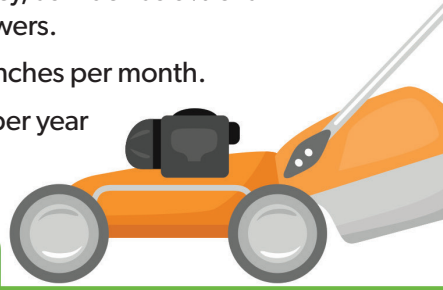
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– Trinity S., Omaha, NE.

LAWN CARE FUN FACTS

Here's some interesting facts about America's favorite pastime — lawn care. And when you're done reading this, get out there and start mowing!

- An average lawn has six grass plants per square inch. That's 850 per square foot, which can contain as many as 3,000 individual blades of grass.
- About 65% of all water used in American households goes to watering lawns. In summer, that's about 238 gallons per person per day!
- A lawn absorbs 10 times more water on a hot day than it does on a cloudy day.
- According to the Environmental Protection Agency, as much as 5% of all exhaust pollution in urban areas is from lawn mowers.
- The average lawn grows at a rate of about three inches per month.
- A recent study found that about 65,000 people per year are hospitalized with mower related injuries.



JUNE 6TH IS NATIONAL APPLESAUCE CAKE DAY!

Applesauce Spice Cake

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| • 2 cups all purpose flour | • 1/2 teaspoon salt |
| • 2 cups sugar | • 1/4 teaspoon ground allspice |
| • 1 1/2 cups applesauce | • 3/4 cup golden raisins or raisins |
| • 1/2 cup butter, softened | • 1/2 cup chopped pecans |
| • 2 large eggs | FROSTING- |
| • 1 1/2 teaspoons baking soda | • 1/3 cup butter |
| • 1 1/2 teaspoons ground cinnamon | • 3 cups powdered sugar |
| • 1 teaspoon vanilla | • 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla |
| • 1/2 teaspoon baking powder | • 2-3 tablespoons milk |
| | • 1/4 cup chopped pecans |



- 1) Heat oven to 350°F. Grease & flour 13x9 inch baking pan; set aside.
- 2) Combine all cake ingredients except raisins & pecans in bowl. Beat at low speed, scraping bowl often, until ingredients are moistened. Beat at high speed, until smooth. Stir in raisins & 1/2 cup pecans.
- 3) Pour into prepared pan. Bake 35-40 minutes or until center is firm to the touch. Cool completely.
- 4) Melt 1/3 cup butter in 1-quart saucepan over medium heat. Continue cooking, stirring constantly for 4-6 minutes or until butter just starts to turn golden & bubble. Remove from heat. Combine browned butter, powdered sugar & 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla in bowl. Beat at medium speed, gradually adding milk & scraping bowl often, until frosting is smooth. Frost cooled cake. Sprinkle with pecans.

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