

March 2023  
Edition



# Du Fresne's **AUTO REPAIR**

**Big News**

## March Observances

- March 3-4th: Seafood & Wine Festival
- March 3-5th: Portland Golf Show
- March 10th: Kells St Patrick Irish Festival
- March 12th: 45th Shamrock Run
- March 17th: Wooden Shoe Tulip Festival
- March 17th: St Patricks Day
- March 19th: Worst day of the year ride

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DuFresne's Auto Service Big News

March 12th, 2023



Showcasing the best of downtown Portland, the Shamrock Run will celebrate 45-years running in 2023. Portland's longest running tradition features multiple distances ranging from the one-mile Leprechaun Lap for kids 10 and under, to the half-marathon. All of the races start and finish at Tom McCall Waterfront Park, offering sweeping views of Portland's skyline, Willamette River waterfront, and at least seven unique bridges. The post-race 'Finish Line Festival' welcomes both runners and spectators, featuring a green beer garden and live music for a St. Patrick's Day party like no other.

## Thank You For The Kind Words

**Nina Luong** Amazing service - this is my second time I've brought my car here. I feel completely at ease when I talk to the staff, they know their stuff, and they are just overall so kind. I don't feel like Du Fresne's is a place that would ever try to upsell me on services that i don't need. I dropped my car off in morning, and it was done by the afternoon! They checked out my brakes for free, found where my leak was coming from, and even checked to see if a weird clicking sound from my AC was affecting my car. I will always recommend this shop to friends and family.

### **Barbara Gadawski**

I have taken my car to DuFresne's for service for more than 20 years. I trust their diagnostic evaluation to be accurate and honest - workmanship top notch. They are always friendly and welcoming when I come in - such a nice feeling in

today's world.

### **Richard Pamplona**

Great service and friendly people! My check engine light was on and I had my car serviced at three other shops but the problem was never properly diagnosed and fixed. As my car was due for DEQ, I found Du Fresne's after doing some research and went there as a last chance. Diagnosis was the worst case scenario but I was assured that the problem would be taken cared of. I was kept in constant communication and my car was not released until all codes were completely cleared and ready to pass DEQ. I went directly to the test station and passed. What a relief! I totally recommend Du Fresne's Auto Service! Thank you to Preston and crew



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# Headlight Restoration

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## Have you noticed it harder to see at night or when it's raining?

If you have cloudy or worn and yellow headlights you are taking a big and unnecessary risk when you drive at night. According to the AAA Foundation For

Traffic Safety: An average of 9 out of every 10 cars on the road today has dirty or yellowed headlights that greatly reduce vision and need to be replaced, repaired or restored.

Most people do not know that not only do worn or cloudy headlights look bad, but they also reduce light output by as much as 95 percent. That is a huge difference in whether you can effectively see or be seen when driving at night .

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# DuFresne's Auto Service Big News

We understand you want to keep your car for a long time. And the good news is, **YOU CAN!** All you have to do is take good care of it. Have you been putting off some car issues you need to get take care of?

## Get Lucky All Month Long W/These Specials

Check out these great deals **ALL OF THEM UNDER \$50.00**



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# March 2023 Special

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5 Quarts-most cars

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# Happy St. Patrick's Day

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No math is required to solve a Sudoku. You only need logic and patience. Simply make sure that each 3x3 square region has only one instance of the numbers 1-9. Similarly, each number can only appear once in a column or row in the larger grid. The difficulty on this puzzle is easy.



# Kah-Nee-Ta resort to reopen in 2023



By Megan Fisk January 21, 2023

Kah-Nee-Ta was once a thriving resort and tourist destination in Warm Springs. The resort featured an Olympic size swimming pool, lodge, spa, restaurants, golf course, and RV park. Living out most of its peak season in the summertime, adored by families for decades, quickly becoming an annual vacation destination for those near and far. Those days all came to a screeching halt in 2018 when the resort sadly shuttered its doors for good. Or so we thought.

The Confederate Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon (CTWS) Tribal Council, approved funding of 4.58 million dollars to reopen the resort. The Kah-Nee-Ta resort is also partnering with Mt. Hood Skibowl to help develop and manage the project with a planned opening for later this year. It is estimated that the reopening will create 50 full time, and over 80 part time positions during the 6 month busy season. Additionally supporting over 15 full time jobs, and more than 20 part time jobs throughout the year. Reopening is also projected to boost local economy in neighboring areas of Madras and other areas of Central Oregon.



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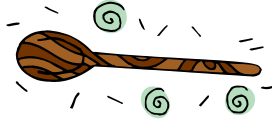
Includes 2 units of brake fluid

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Expires March 31st, 2023

# Secrets From Nancy & Tee's Kitchen



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## Slow Cooker Corned Beef & Cabbage with BEER!

### Ingredients:

- 3lb Corned Beef Brisket
- 1 onion
- 4 Yukon gold potatoes
- 1 small head of cabbage
- 2 cups of baby or chopped carrots
- 1 bay leaf
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 1 12oz beer



Place the carrots, quartered potatoes, and chopped onions in the bottom of a slower cooker. Cut the brisket in half and place on top of the veggies with chopped cabbage, pepper and spice packet that comes with the brisket. Pour the beer over the meat and veggies, and then fill the empty beer bottle with water twice and add that in as well until the mixture is mostly covered in liquid. As the ingredients cook, they will shrink and be more submerged. Place one bay leaf on the top. Turn the slow cooker on low, and cook for 8-9 hours or until the meat and veggies are tender. Or turn on high and cook half the time. Remove the bay leaf before eating. I like to dip mine in mustard. Enjoy!



## Check Your Own Oil: Make Sure You're Doing It The Right Way

Here are the steps to follow to check your car's oil: **1.** Check the oil when the engine is warm. Oil expands when it's hot and contracts when it's cold; different temperatures will give you different readings. Park the car on a level surface. **2.** Turn off the engine. It's best to wait at least 10 minutes to give the oil a chance to drain down into the crankcase. Otherwise, you might think you're as much as a quart low when you're not. **3.** Open your hood. **4.** Find the dipstick - a long piece of metal sticking out of the engine usually located near the spark plugs with a loop at one end . Many dipsticks now have a "T" handle or are incorporated into the fill cap. If you don't find the loop, look for these. **5.** Pull on the loop and draw the dipstick all the way out. **6.** Wipe the oil off the dipstick with a paper towel or shop rag. **7.** Replace the clean dipstick, making sure to push it all the way in; then pull it back out and hold it horizontally in front of you. **8.** Look at the pointed end of the dipstick. If the oil on the dipstick is below the line marked "full", add a small amount of oil (less than a quarter of a quart) with a funnel. Many dipsticks simply have two lines with a cross hatch design in between. The oil level should be halfway between these two lines. **9.** Add oil by unscrewing the oil filler cap, which is about 3 inches in diameter and is located on the very top of the engine. **10.** Check the oil level with the dipstick after adding oil. Add more if necessary. It's easy to add more oil but difficult to remove oil if you add too much so add slowly and continue rechecking. **11.** Put the oil filler cap back on and secure it tightly. The oil lubricating system is a closed system. This means that the oil does not get "used up" or go anywhere. If it's consistently low, there may be an oil leak. Leaks always get worse, and losing all the engine oil will require expensive repairs and/ or replacing the engine. Make sure to bring it in if your car seems to have an oil leak.

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## Portland Saturday Market



On any given Saturday from the beginning of March to the day before Christmas, shoppers can wind their way through the rows of tents of this large outdoor market featuring local makers, artisans, and chefs. A full sensory experience, the sights, and sounds will have shoppers and on-lookers tapping their heels to bluegrass pickers and jazz trios with weekly sets of local musicians performing for market-goers and passersby in [Tom McCall Waterfront Park](#). Even before Portland was known for its [food carts](#), the Saturday Market had vendors serving up hot food. If you've worked up an appetite, sample the Northeast African cuisine of [Horn of Africa](#) which has been a Portland Saturday Market staple since 1994. [PDX Empanadas](#) can supply you with the perfect handheld treat, with savory and sweet-filled empanadas. With gluten-free and vegan options, [Angelina's Greek Gyros](#) serves up tasty wraps on freshly made pita. With such a variety of goods, the Saturday Market is naturally a great place to score gifts and souvenirs any time of year, including [holiday shopping](#). Though, browsing wares handcrafted by more than 250 vendors can seem a little daunting, here are some top finds. For Portland souvenirs: [Closed Loop Woodworks'](#) Oregon-shaped cutting boards made from reclaimed wood, silverware art by [Spoonman Creations](#), twee illustrations from [A Little Sun](#), and Love from the Hood apparel and greeting cards from [ARTJADEN](#). For fine jewelry and wares: delicate metal-and-gemstone jewelry handcrafted with guitar string from [Bluce Designs](#), gorgeous stone settings in silver by [Forest Lily Designs](#), and [Queen of Cup](#), crafting bowls and cups in clay and porcelain. The [list goes on](#) with more locally themed apparel, ceramics, body care products, home décor and photography. Explore the Portland Saturday Market and experience an old Portland tradition.





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