

**February 2020
Edition**

**Revving Your Mind
Not just Your Engine**



**Du Fresne's
AUTO
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Creative Romance Month

Feb 1: National Freedom Day

Feb 2: Ground Hog Day

Feb 2: Superbowl Sunday

Feb 4: Thank a Mailman Day

Feb 6: National Chopsticks Day

Feb 8: Kite Flying Day (In the middle of winter!?)

Feb 9: National Pizza Day

Feb 10: Umbrella Day

Feb 12: Abraham Lincoln's Birthday

Feb 14: Ferris Wheel Day

Feb 14: Happy Valentine's Day

Feb 16: Do a Grouch a Favor Day

Feb 17: President's Day

Feb 17: Random Acts of Kindness Day

Feb 18: National Battery Day

Feb 20: Love Your Pet Day

Feb 22: Washington's Birthday

Feb 25: Mardi Gras / Fat Tuesday

Feb 26: Ash Wednesday

Feb 28: National Chili Day

Feb 29: Leap Day - Yep, 2020 is Leap

Hours

Monday - Friday 6AM - 5:30PM

Saturday 8AM - 5PM

Hurry...

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Happy Leap Year!

A leap year is a year in which an extra day is added to the Gregorian calendar, which is used by most of the world. While an ordinary year has 365 days, a leap year has 366. A leap year comes every four years. 2020 is a leap year because a leap year can be evenly divided by four.

Think about those that were born on February 29 in a leap year. These Individuals maybe called a "leapling", "leaper", or "leap-year baby". They actually get the opportunity of celebrating their birthday on the actual day this year. How exciting to wait 4 years to be able to celebrate on February 29th. Happy Birthday to all you wonderful leap year babies!



Happy
Leap Day!

Happy
Valentine's
Day

*"Love doesn't make
the world go round.
Love is what makes
the ride worthwhile."
~ Franklin P. Jones*

WOW...What A Testimony!

Brittany Myall: "Everyone is always so nice and helpful!"

Greg Walsh: "This local, independent repair shop is a jewel. Service is very professional, prompt and fairly priced. I recommend them highly."

Kate: "Great service and friendly staff. Would definitely recommend!"

Maryann Cormack: "I brought my old Lexus in because of a noise that only happened on the first turn of the key. They could not get that to happen again. They spent a lot of time but the car would not cooperate. There

was no charge for all the time spent on my car. I appreciated that very much and would recommend them gladly. I will certainly bring my car there again."

Bruce & Penny Gardner: "So fortunate DuFresne was able to replace headlights the day after they went out. (Both went out in the same day!) Fortunately DuFresne great friendly service. They made my car safe to drive."

Jeff Scotto: "Great service always. My go to auto repair shop."

Don Spiegel: "It's so simple; you leave your vehicle, and you know when you go to pick it up, it will be done on time, properly, and with however much explanation you want. And they seem to appreciate their customers. Don't you wish it was that way everywhere?"

Alyssa Redinger: "Always personal and professional staff. In and out! Very easy shop to work with."

CS: "Great service and quick maintenance at a good price."

Fun, Weird & Normal Car Habits

Whatever kind of driver you are, sometimes you just want to get out of town and see something different for a change. A small road trip, even if your destination is only an hour away, can still feel like a mini-vacay.

Whatever the circumstances, couples seem to spend a whole lot of time in their cars and here's what could happen:

- **The Drive Away Gag** - Isn't it hilarious when you're about to get in the car and your partner drives forward a little, and each time you try to get in again, they drive out of your reach. Yeah, not that hilarious, actually more annoying than anything, and yet some people think it's car-comedy-gold.
- **Music Power Struggles** - Your partner claims that the driver is the one who should be in control of what tunes you're going to listen to in the car, but you think your taste in music is far superior to theirs, and that you should be permanently in charge. Anytime you're not fully focused on your music pick, your partner is going to switch to their own playlist making it less of an awesome road trip, and more of a way to drive you insane.
- **Epic Duets** - You sing when you're alone, or when you're with your partner and the two of you bust out some epic duets. The car can be a great place for a little spontaneous karaoke.
- **Dancing In Your Vehicle** - It's always a good idea when you are sitting for long periods of time, to stretch a little. Right? Dancing is a great way to loosen your body up. Also, if you hear some cool beats coming from your sound system and you want to do a quick dance for two in your car, why not? Don't worry about what others might think. Live a little and bust the moves.
- **Best Auto Air Instruments** - Where is there a better place to practice your awesome air guitar or air drum than in your own mobile sound studio. The acoustics might be better, but at least in your car with your significant other, you've got a captive audience..


When you spend a lot of time in your vehicle, the journey is as fun as you want to make it. The point is to enjoy the ride no matter where or what it leads to.

Happy Driving!



Courtesy of Bustle.com

Of Course, Your Love Can Keep You Warm, But Wouldn't It Be Great To Have Heat In Your Car Too???

The  Issue Isn't Just About You and Your Sweetie ... It's because WE LOVE YOU!

Here are 2 great specials that get even greater when you combine them...

MY HEAT'S JUST NOT WARM ENOUGH SPECIAL

Includes:

- ♥ Check Radiator
- ♥ Flush w/ New Coolant
- ♥ Check Thermostat
- ♥ Check All Heater & Coolant Hoses
- ♥ Pressure Check Heating System
- ♥ Check Fan Clutch
- ♥ Clean Radiator Fins

**A \$175.98 Value for
most vehicles
NOW \$99.99!**

FEBRUARY DELUXE LUBE, OIL & FILTER

Includes:

- ♥ 5 quarts of 5W30 Valvoline Conventional Oil
- ♥ 70 point Courtesy Check
- ♥ Chassis Lube
- ♥ FREE Tire Rotation
- ♥ FREE Brake Inspection

**NOW ONLY
\$49.95 Conventional
\$99.99 Synthetic**

OR COMBINE THEM
CONVENTIONAL FOR ONLY \$129.99!!!
SYNTHETIC FOR ONLY \$169.99!!!

Call now to make your appointment to get your combined specials! These specials will expire on February 29th!!



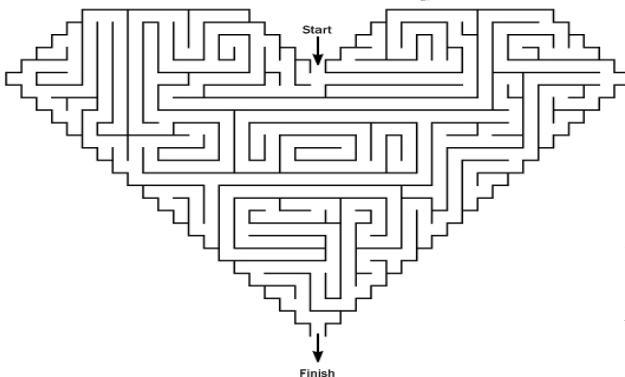
The Stumpers

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FEBRUARY



MAZE:

You must find your way out in one line.

Now... No cheating or erasing. :)

We Referrals!

OK, I don't want this to go to your head or anything, but the fact is We Love You! And only people like you!

Yep, you're special and we want more clients just like you!

Want to help us by helping someone else?

*Who do you know who would benefit from
our honest and reliable service?*

Give this flyer to a neighbor, friend,
co-worker or family member!

If they use it:

- ♥ THEY GET – a great deal from a mechanic you ALREADY know will treat them well
- ♥ YOU GET 2 MOVIE TICKETS for the referral

Make as many copies as you like!

Bring this flyer in for **50% OFF**
your first oil change plus **10% OFF**
any additional services

Referred by: _____

Good for first time customers only
Expires February 29, 2020



\$51.00 OFF

\$51.00 OFF ANY REPAIR OVER \$500.00

Join in with our year long celebrations of
51 years serving our community.

Expires 02/29/2020

Coupon must be present - Cannot be
combined with another offer.



**Check Out
These
Incredible Deals!**



**\$20.00
OFF
Any**



**30,60,90,120
Factory
Service**

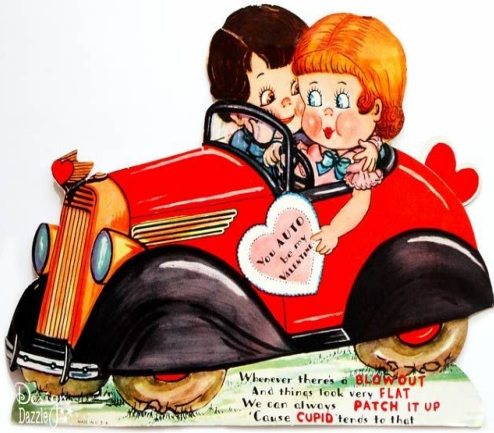
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Thank You Napa



**Thank you Andrew and
Frankie at Beaverton Auto
Parts for all the help with
our Free Brake Month. We
could never collect all the
Donations for the Oregon
Food Bank with
out your help!**





When you buy a set of 4 tires from DuFresne's Auto Service you receive FREE Tire Rotations and FREE Flat Repair for the life of the tires.

WOW—Over 100 Customers brought a Grocery Bag of Food or more. Can't wait till we find out how many tons of food we collected this year. Pictures to come in next newsletter.



Watch your mail boxes for this years rebates.



Once again Marie brought us our favorite Pizza from Flying Pie over the holidays. She is such a sweet heart.



Chocolate-Strawberry Waffle Ball on a Stick



Ingredients

12 large strawberries, hulled

6 ounces semisweet chocolate, finely chopped

Vegetable oil, for deep-frying

2 cups dry pancake and waffle mix (plus additional ingredients as directed on package)

Confectioners' sugar, for dusting

Directions

1. Thread each strawberry onto a wooden skewer; place on a baking sheet lined with parchment paper and freeze for about 30 minutes.
2. Put the chocolate in a microwave-safe bowl. Microwave on high at 15-second intervals, stirring after each interval, until the chocolate is almost melted; remove and stir until smooth. Dip the strawberries in the melted chocolate; return to the parchment-lined baking sheet and freeze until the chocolate hardens, about 15 minutes.
3. Heat 4 to 6 inches of vegetable oil in a deep pot until a deep-fry thermometer registers 330 degrees. While the oil heats, prepare the pancake and waffle mix as the label directs.
4. Dip the chocolate-covered strawberries in the batter, turning to coat; let any excess drip off. (If the batter is too thin, add 1 to 3 more tablespoons dry mix.) Carefully place the berries in the hot oil (skewers and all); fry, turning as needed, until the batter is golden and just cooked through, 1 1/2 to 2 minutes. Remove with tongs and drain on paper towels or a rack. Let sit for 5 to 10 minutes to allow the chocolate to re-harden. Dust with confectioners' sugar.

**Thank you for
trusting us and
helping us grow.**

**THANK YOU To Our
Referral Customers
of the Month**

**Jame Reuther, Laura
Dytewski, Richard
Dressler, Walter Young**

**Thank you for
brightening our day
and being an
awesome customer.**

**Customer
of the Month**

Sue Martinez

Pick A Perfect Bouquet

Sure, roses are the flower of love, but they're not the only variety of flowers that can show your love and appreciation. With various meanings and beautiful blooms, the one you choose will have a great impact upon that special person. Knowing the meaning behind the bouquet, you'll have your recipient gleaming with adoration for weeks to come.



Peonies are fluffy blooms most commonly associated with romance, prosperity and bashfulness. Some even believe they are a good luck charm of sorts, bringing good fortune to whomever receives them.



How about a lovely delicate bouquet that has a spicy cinnamon and clove scent?

The Matthiola Incana symbolizes beauty that doesn't fade with age and a lifetime of happiness.



Did you know tulips stand for perfect love? They are elegant and identified as one of the most popular flowers in the world. They convey comfort and warmth plus they are classic and affordable.



Like the sun they are named for, sunflowers represent warmth, happiness and loyalty. These spirit-lifting flowers are available year round and are pleasant to receive.

Secrets From Nancy & Tee's Kitchen



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CRISPY COCONUT CHICKEN STRIPS

Ingredients

1/2 cup Flour
1 t salt
1/4 cup milk or half n half
2 eggs
1 cup panko
1 cup coconut flakes
Pepper flakes optional
1 LB chicken breasts cut in strips
Oil for frying
Sweet red Chili Sauce for dipping



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Directions:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Line a baking sheet with aluminum foil .
Need 3 bowls 1st flour & salt, 2nd beat eggs and milk, 3rd panko & coconut flakes . Dip each strip in 1,2, 3 and fry until golden. Transfer to Oven pan. Bake 15-20 minutes

PS ... Husband John said this is a keeper. He asked the next night if I was going to make it again.

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