June 2022

Edition



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June Observances

Alzheimer's & Brain Awareness Month

Firework Safety Month

Perennial Gardening Month

Rose Festival Month

10: Alcoholics Anonymous Founded Anniversary

14: Flag Day

16-19: Us Open Championship

19: Fathers Day

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June is Fireworks Safety Month!

June is the perfect month to spread awareness of the dangerous of fireworks. With the Fourth of July nearby, it's important to know the potential risks and the precautions one should take. The cause is sponsored by the American Academy of Ophthalmology and it is observed all the way till early July. The National Safety Council advices to avoid consumer fireworks and only attend public displays conducted by professionals. In the most recent study conducted in 2017, it showed that 13,000 injuries and 8 deaths were caused by fireworks, and even the simplest, as the sparklers caused 1,200 injuries. Fireworks not



only cause burn and eye injuries, but they're the cause of thousands of structure and vehicles fires, and deaths. The best thing to do is to be an advocate for the safe use of fireworks in your community and let the professionals handle the work, to avoid the consequences of malfunctioning and careless use. Be safe this summer and enjoy the local fireworks show at a safe distance!

Thank You For The Kind Words

Kollin Wadsack

I've been going to Du Fresne's for years and they never disappoint! Discovered a leak in my brake line and took my Mazda in for servicing. After diagnostics, Preston gave me a call and gave me a detailed overview of the things wrong, listing them in the categories of "must fix now," "important, but can wait," and "things to note, but you dont need to fix them anytime soon." I really appreciated the transparency in how he communicated the problems he found. I ended up having Preston and the team do full brake service, replace my waterpump (there was a decent leak), and an oil change as well. The work was top notch and I had my car back within 2 days of dropping it off. Not only that but the price was very fair. I have to say I'm absolutely pleased with the work Preston and the crew did. I started going here about 10 years ago and I will continue to go here for the next 10 years and never stop recommending this shop to my friends and family. Thank you again Du Fresne's!

JT

Absolutely phenomenal service. Made a next day appointment, and dropped my car off after chatting with the friendly mechanics. Within an hour or two they had diagnosed the problem my car was having and quoted me at a fraction of the price the dealer had. They fixed it the same day and had it right back to me! Will definitely be coming back for all my future car issues. A+ job. If you're looking for a reliable local place to fix your car look no further.

Gary Mclaughlin

A totally professional and efficient operation from start to finish. The staff at DuFresne make the experience of car repair as pleasant as possible. I know "car repair and pleasant" may sound contradictory but at DuFresne's it is actual. Thanks again for your exceptional customer service and quality work.



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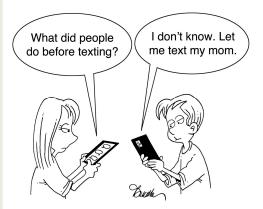
No math is required to solve a Sudoku. You only need logic and patience. Simply make sure that each 3x3 square region has only one instance of the numbers 1-9. Similarly, each number can only appear once in a column or row in the larger grid. The difficulty on this puzzle is easy.

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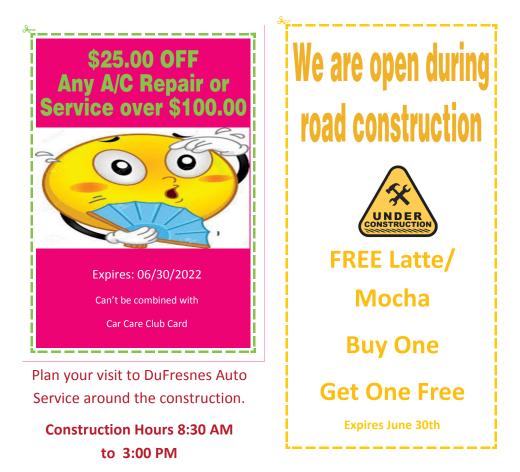


After two summers without a <u>Rose Festival</u> in Portland, summer 2022 will see the return of all three of the festival's parades and more, the festival announced Thursday. "The Rose Festival is back this year for the Rose City Reunion," said Jeff Curtis, Portland Rose Festival CEO, in a press release. "The Rose Festival is happy to be part of Portland's comeback story." The festival will begin on May 27, with opening night ceremonies and fireworks and the return of the City Fair. The Starlight Parade will take to Portland's streets on June 4.Curtis noted that that parade will now be sponsored by Oregon Health Plan insurance provider <u>CareOregon</u>, a newly-minted "premier sponsor" of the event. The Junior Parade is scheduled for June 8 and the Grand Floral Parade is set for June 11.The festival's 2022 theme, Rose City Reunion, "is meant to capture the spirit of Oregonians coming back together to celebrate and reinvigorate our

sense of community pride and togetherness," according to the release. Though most of the in-person celebrations have been dormant for two years, the Rose Festival has crowned two queens during the coronavirus pandemic. In 2021, the festival named its first queen who was the daughter of a previous queen in front of an audience of about 200 people.







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Grilled Garlic Artichokes

Ingredients:

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2 Jumbo Artichokes 6 Cloves Garlic 1/2 Cup Butter Salt, Pepper and Italian seasoning to taste

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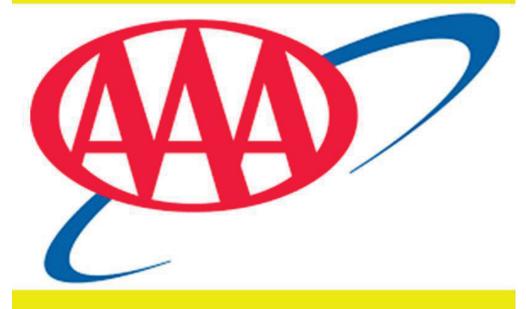
Preheat Grill/Oven to 375 degrees. Cut very top off then cut in half lengthwise. Remove the fuzzy stuff in the center and remove the purple inner leaves by pulling them all together, discard. Rinse the half's under cold water, turn over and drain out water. Melt butter with garlic. Place artichokes on individual foil pieces. Drizzle garlic butter in center and over the



leaves. Season to taste with salt, pepper and Italian seasoning. Wrap tight with foil, Place foil packets on grill. Cook 45-60 minutes depending on size. Take out of foil packet and put face down on grill, just long enough to make the lines. Plate and squeeze fresh lemon on each half. <u>Dip leaves in your favorite dipping sauces. My favorite is drawn butter. Another popular dipping sauce is a mayo and herbs.</u>

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To have a safe road trip: Prepare yourself, your passengers, your vehicle You may have taken any number of long road trips before and think you know just how to do it right. When you make your plan, however, consider these points.

About your car: Obviously, you will want to make sure that

your tires have plenty of tread and there are no operational problems that should be corrected. Make sure all fluids are at the right levels and there are no leaks. Once on the road, keep an eye on warning lights so you know if your engine is overheating.

About yourself: While you're busy with packing, calling to have your newspapers held and planning rest and fuel stops in

advance, remember to think about yourself. Don't leave things to do that will take you into late the night before you leave. Get a good night's rest before you start. And remember that hunger and lack of exercise can contribute to the fatigue caused by driving for long periods of time. Before you leave, find out where you can stop, eat, exercise and nap.

About your passengers: It's a good idea to have one of your passengers be a licensed driver so you can alternate. Be sure to take any medications those in the car might need. If you are taking kids, then games, videos, and snacks will keep them entertained so they don't hassle you while you are at the wheel.

About other drivers: Know how you will react when another driver cuts you off or makes a rude gesture. There are thousands of roadway aggression incidents each year. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration estimates that about one-third of all motor-vehicle collisions could be traced to aggressive driving.



Give that mower a new lease on life

If your lawn mower is a few years old and not running as it did when it was new, don't give up on it yet. The average life span of a mower in the U.S. is just three years. If an owner takes care of a mower, however, it can last far longer. Here's how to start: Change the spark plug. Plugs can erode, but replacing one will ensure a quick start. Then get the blade sharpened. To remove it, always start by removing the spark plug. Usually the blade is held by only one bolt. Sharp blades make grass look nice and reduce engine strain. Lubricate all the moving parts with a silicone spray. Spread a little oil on the wheels where they turn at the axle and on any moving parts on the handle. If the mower has carburetor problems, take it to a repair shop. For about \$100, they will take it apart and clean it out so it will last you another season or three.



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Customer of the Month

Emily Veenstra, Mary Beth Graham, Richard Maslen

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