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A monthly publication filled with industry news, maintenance and safety tips, upcoming events, special coupons, and more!



Major Recalls...

Here is a short list of some major recalls for 2025. Always check with your manufacturer for a full list of any recalls issued for your specific car.

1. Ford issued a recall for 2021-23 Bronco Sports and 2022-23 Maverick for a 12V battery defect. Over 270,000 vehicles are affected.

2. Kia issued a recall for 2023-25 Niro EV, Plug-in Hybrid and Hybrid vehicles for an airbag wiring defect. Over 80,000 vehicles are affected.



3. Honda issued a recall for 2023-25 Pilot, 2022-25 Acura MDX Type S, and 2021-25 Acura TLX Type S for a programming error in the fuel injection electronic control unit. Over 295,000 vehicles are affected.



St. Patrick's Day (Mar 17th) is just around the corner, and it falls on a Monday this year. That means that it will likely be a long weekend of shenanigans. Please join in the festivities responsibly and be safe!



"May you have all the happiness and luck that life can hold—and at the end of your rainbows may you find a pot of gold."

- An Old Irish Blessing



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See page 2 for this month's special deal!



Car Safety Tip of the Month!

Stuck in the Mud?

When stuck in mud, don't make the problem worse by damaging an expensive component. Gently rocking in an attempt to free your car is fine. But if it looks as though you're really stuck, don't keep at it.

Throwing your car from forward to reverse repeatedly, as well as spinning tires at high speeds, can generate lots of heat and spells trouble for transmissions, clutches, and differentials. It may be cheaper in the long run to call the tow truck rather than risk big repair bills down the road. It's a good idea to carry a traction aid in the trunk, such as sand, gravel, or cat litter.



Did You Know?

A full moon is 9 times brighter than a half moon.

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Ice skating rinks always go counter clockwise for the majority of people that are right-handed needing to hang onto the rail.

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The hydrochloric acid found in your stomach is strong enough to dissolve a nail.

In the Community...



Spring will finally be here on March 20th, and kids will be spending more time outdoors. Please drive with care and watch for kids playing near roadways everywhere!

Tire Sale March Madness **Over 500 Tires in Stock!**

BF Goodrich - Goodyear - Michelin - Uniroyal - General



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Print and bring this coupon with you to **Graeves Auto & Tire** at the time of purchase and receive \$20 off a set of 4 tires (minimum \$200 purchase) and free mounting.

(This coupon may not be used in conjunction with any other promotions or coupons.)

Coupon good for the month of March 2025

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