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Christmas Party

The Washington Cruisers will be having our Christmas Party Sunday, December 14th 2014 at 5:00 pm at Napoli's Restaurant, 2112 Park Place Plaza Dr. Washington, Pa. The Restaurant is at the intersections of Rt. 19 and Racetrack Rd. (Building behind the new Sunoco gas station, Tim Horton's, Little Caesars, DQ).

We will be having a Buffet Dinner at 5:30, consisting of Chicken Romano, Sliced Roast Beef in Au Jus, Penne with Creamy Tomato Sauce, Cheesy Potatoes, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Bread/Butter, Coffee, Ice Tea and Soft Drink. The cost is \$22.00 per person which includes Tax and Tip! Alcohol can be ordered at your table (this is an extra cost). Members are permitted to bring guests, they pay the same as members. We ask that each Family bring a Dessert.

Don't forget the Chinese Grab Bag! If you wish to participate, bring a wrapped gift with an actual value of NO LESS than \$20.00!

This means you spent at least \$20.00. Bring a gift you would not mind receiving if you ended up with it!! Please NO gag gifts!

Please return the form at the end of the newsletter NO later than Dec. 4th, 2014.

ANY QUESTIONS CALL JAMIE 724-263-3335

THANK-YOU

I would like to thank Rosalie and Don Dibert for volunteering to become new board members.

Annual Membership Meeting

The annual meeting is tentatively scheduled for Monday January 12th, 2015. I am trying to secure Panera in Washington as the location. More info to come in the next newsletter. We are still looking for a few board members to fill vacant positions.

Just for laughs

As a trucker stops for a red light, a blonde catches up. She jumps out of her car, runs up to his truck, and knocks on the door. The trucker lowers the window, and she says, "Hi, my name is Heather and you are losing some of your load."

The trucker ignores her and proceeds down the street. When the truck stops for another red light, the girl catches up again. She jumps out of her car, runs up and knocks on the window.

Again, the trucker lowers the window. As if they've never spoken, the blonde says brightly, "Hi my name is Heather, and you are losing some of your load!"

Shaking his head, the trucker ignores her again and continues down the street.

At the third red light, the same thing happens again. All out of breath, the blonde gets out of her car, runs up, knocks on the truck window.

The trucker lowers the window. Again she says, "Hi, my name is Heather, and you are losing some of your load!"

When the light turns green the trucker revs up and races to the next light. When he stops this time, he hurriedly gets out of the truck, and runs back to the blonde. He knocks on her window, and as she lowers it, he says... "Hi, my name is Kevin, it's winter in Minnesota and I'm driving the SALT TRUCK!"

Membership Dues

January is only a few months away. Now is the time to send in your 2015 dues. As always the dues are only \$ 20.00. Look for the form at the end of the newsletter. Dues MUST be paid by January 31st, 2015. After that they are \$25.00!!

Here's how to maintain your windshield wiper system:

Blades which hold the rubber "squeegees" or refills should be changed every one to two years. The rubber refills should be replaced about twice a year, in the spring and fall. If wipers receive greater than average use, or you leave your car outdoors, change blades and refills more frequently. Always replace in pairs.

Windshield wiper arms should be checked, too, for proper alignment. Insert a business card between the windshield and the rubber refill when the arm is at midarc. If at some point the windshield does not contact the refill, the wiper arm needs realigning.

The windshield washer fluid reservoir should be checked monthly and refilled as needed. In the winter, check it weekly. Don't get caught with an empty reservoir when the windshield gets splashed with dirt!

"Chattering" describes the noise and jerky motion that occurs when the windshield wipers fail to glide smoothly across the windshield.

Check the following possible causes:

- a) the rubber refills are worn
- b) the blades are installed improperly
- c) the arm tension needs adjusting
- d) worn linkage

Windshield wiper and washer systems need special care during the winter because snow and ice can damage the system. Lift wiper blades carefully from a frozen windshield before cleaning to prevent rubber refills from tearing or cracking.

Also, remove packed snow and ice from the windshield before turning off the wipers. If the blades cannot reach the bottom of their arc, the wiper's motor may still draw current after it's turned off – burning out a fuse or causing motor damage.

18 uses for WD-40

- 1. Clean those stainless steel appliances.**
- 2. Waterproof your boots and shoes.**
- 3. Remove Crayon Marks from Walls.**
- 4. Remove glue from Jam Jar Labels.**
- 5. Take off tape residue from a window.**
- 6. Get grease stains out of clothes.**
- 7. Lube a shovel, make that gardening a tad easier.**
- 8. Remove permanent marker from furniture.**
- 9. Clean those nasty stove drip pans.**
- 10. Preserve your Jack-o-Lantern. Keeps it from rotting for about 3 weeks.**
- 11. Restore your chalkboards, get rid of the ghost marks and make them look as good as new!**
- 12. Wash those sharpie marks away!**
- 13. Of course use it for your bike.**
- 14. Remove dried paint from carpet.**
- 15. Restore your whiteboards, great at home or in the classroom.**
- 16. Clean your floor tiles.**
- 17. Get rid of Carpenter bees with a spray of WD-40!**
- 18. Cleans Piano Keys.**

Here is the internet link for the how to's
<http://www.howdoesshe.com/18-brilliant-uses-for-wd-40/>

Sponsors

The car club relies on sponsors to help with the cost of putting on club events. If you know of a business that could help us with sponsorship for dash plaques or items we can use for Chinese Auction, let any of the board members know. As always any item you can donate to the Chinese Auctions or use as give a ways would be greatly appreciated.

Did You Know?

Your vehicle must have a horn that can be heard from a distance of 200 feet.

FUNNY

Yesterday, I had a flat tire on the interstate. So I eased my car over to the shoulder of the road, carefully got out of the car and opened the trunk.

I took out two cardboard men, unfolded them and stood them at the rear of my car facing on-coming traffic. They looked so life like you wouldn't believe it! They're dressed in open trench coats that exposed their nude bodies and private parts to the approaching drivers.

But to my surprise, cars started slowing down to look at my lifelike men. And, of course, traffic began backing up. Everybody tooted their horns and waved like crazy. It wasn't long before a state trooper pulled up behind me. He got out of his car and walked towards me. I could tell he was not a happy camper!

"What's going on here?"

"My car has a flat tire," I said calmly.

"Well, what the hell are those obscene cardboard men doing here by the road?"

I couldn't believe that he didn't know. So I told him, "Helloooooo, those are my emergency flashers!"

Merchandise

Club merchandise can be purchased during non cruising season by contacting Scott on his cell at 724-986-9713.

Calendar of Events
2014/ 2015 Cruises/Shows/Events

Dec.14th, 2014Christmas Party at Napoli's 5:00pm. Dinner at 5:30pm.
Jan. 12th, 2015....Tentative date for Annual Membership Meeting. 7pm Location (?)

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The Washington Cruisers
Christmas Party Dec. 14th , 2014

NAME _____

TOTAL # OF ADULTS AT \$ 22.00 EACH _____

Total amount enclosed \$ _____

Return this form by Dec. 4th , 2014

Make check payable to: Washington Cruisers

Send to: Jamie Leichty

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