

**August 2024
Edition**



**Du Fresne's
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Big News

August Observances

Admit You're Happy Month

Family Fun Month

Romance Awareness Month

1st: Mountain Climbing Day

3rd: Nat'l Clown Day

9th: Smokey the Bear Day

11th: The Bridge Pedal

13th: Left Handers Day

22nd: Nat'l Tooth Fairy Day

23rd-24th: Hood to Coast Relay

26th: Nat'l Dog Day

30th: Frankenstein Day

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There's plenty of fun to be had during the dog days of summer in Portland



Portland's annual Bridge Pedal is a community celebration of the city's iconic bridges and biking culture. Join your friends and neighbors for the one opportunity each year to bike or walk on Portland's car-free streets and bridges (including the upper decks of both the Marquam and Fremont bridges).

Portland's Bridge Pedal is one of the largest in the country.

Thank You For The Kind Words

Hiro Mitsumoto

My very old but highly reliable Toyota 4Runner had a microscopic radiator fluid leak around the cap, which was not surprising considering that it was the original radiator that came with the car many years back. Taking advantage of this opportunity, in addition to replacing the radiator system, I asked Marco, the mechanic, to replace all belts and hoses and recommend any replacements/fixes/adjustments that he thinks should be done this time to ensure continued reliability/performance of my car in the future. It cost some money for sure but was totally worth it. Now the ride is much smoother, quieter and much more responsive to acceleration and braking. Marco kept me

updated with the progress of the repair including the availability of some parts that had to be ordered. I did not look at any other repair shops for this fairly extensive work because DuFresne's has great reputation in our community, not to mention it is an AAA approved auto repair shop.

Jerry Palumbo

I appreciate Dufresne service and monthly publication with auto repair specials as well as local events in the surrounding community. I look forward to receiving this monthly publication in the mail and I have never been more satisfied with the car maintenance service I receive.



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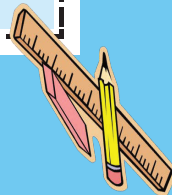
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No math is required to solve a Sudoku. You only need logic and patience. Simply make sure that each 3x3 square region has only one instance of the numbers 1-9. Similarly, each number can only appear once in a column or row in the larger grid. The difficulty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

	2			8			
3				4			9
8	1		2				4
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How Do Thieves Steal Keyless Cars?



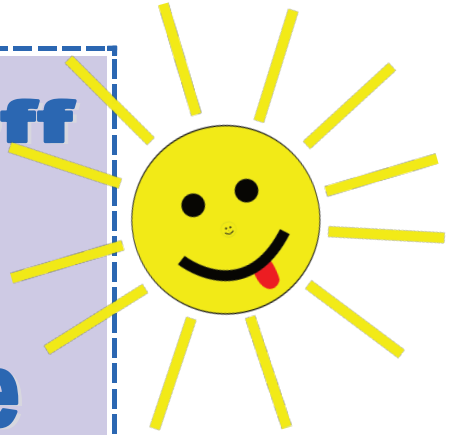
Thieves prowl neighborhoods at night looking for cars parked outside so they can carry out so-called relay attacks. **Using portable equipment that can pick up the faint signal from a fob inside the house or parking lot, they relay it back to a transmitter that can clone the signal.**

How can I protect my car?

To help keep your car secure and reduce the chance of being a victim of keyless entry theft, take a look at the tips below: **Be careful where you put your key fob:** keep it as far away from the vehicle as you can, as well as away from the windows and doors in your home. It can be a good idea to invest in a protective Faraday bag to prevent the fob from sending out digital signals, or alternatively store the fob in a metal container such as a biscuit tin.

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Secrets From Nancy & Tee's Kitchen



Chicken Salad Sandwich

Salad Ingredients

12 oz Finely chopped
chicken
1/2 C Mayo
1/2 C Chopped celery
1/2 C Diced dill pickle

1/3 C Diced red onion
1 tsp Dijon mustard
1 Tbsp Dill
Salt & Pepper to taste
Dusting of paprika on top

Sandwich Ingredients

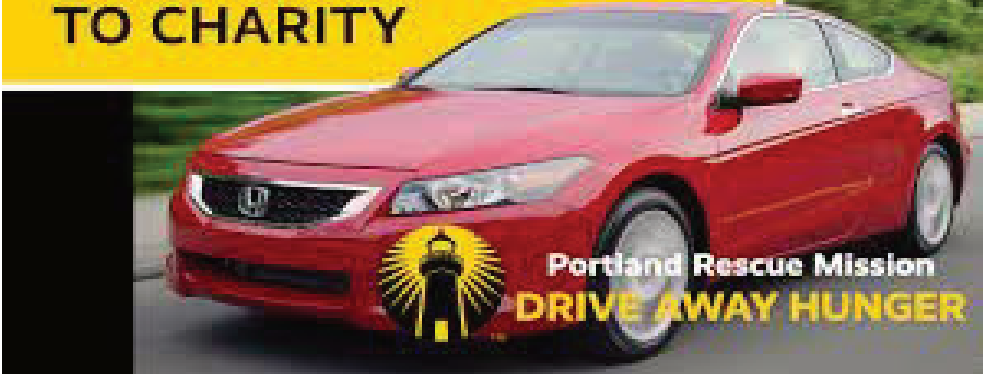
4 Slices Bread with Mayo
spread on each piece
2 Tomato slices

4 Avocado Slices
Lettuce-optional
Sliced Havarti Cheese or your
favorite

Combine all ingredients in a medium size bowl and mix well. Toast or not your favorite bread and spread a layer of mayo on both. Add a layer of chicken salad, sliced tomato and a couple avocado slices. I like to salt and pepper both the tomato and avocado slices to bring out the flavor.

Use any left overs on crackers for a snack.

DONATE YOUR CAR TO CHARITY



Why Donate Your Vehicle?

- ◆ Your donations helps hurting neighbors in your community.
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- ◆ Takes the stress out of trying to sell your vehicle.
- ◆ Most cars accepted no matter the condition.

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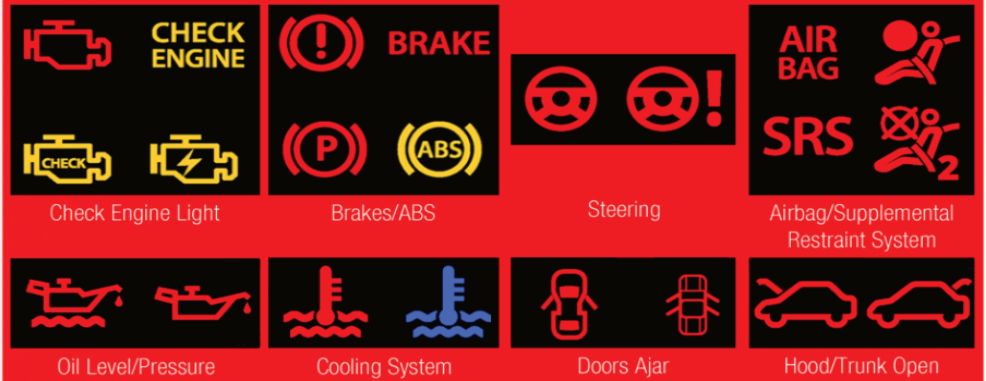
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URGENT ATTENTION!



Dashboard Warning Lights, What are they? What do they mean? Should I be worried?

There are over a 150 types of warning lights that can come up on any dashboard, obviously car and feature dependent. I will highlight the ones that I believe are critical and common on almost all the cars . Dashboard warning lights can be categorized into information warning lights and “immediate attention required” warning light. The information warning lights are typically YELLOW/AMBER and these might just be information or something you may need to monitor and take care of soon, while the “immediate attention required” warning lights are **RED** (red for danger).

When these **RED** warning lights appear, they usually already had previously produced symptoms, such as losing power and some are asymptomatic but when they come up, you should do something about it immediately.

The 42nd annual Hood To Coast & 33rd annual Portland To Coast Walk Relay Race Day!

August 23-24th

The Mother of All Relays!



7	2	4	9	3	8	6	1	5
3	5	6	1	4	7	8	9	2
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9	4	7	3	2	5	1	6	8
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1	8	3	6	9	4	5	2	7

Thank you for trusting us with your friends & family!

Customer of the Month

Wayne Simons, Tracy Kimbal, Dan Badescu

Joseph & Robyn Joseph

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