

Epsom Automotive

'We guarantee to phone before we fix'

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It's Spring – at least we think so!

Well, we think it's safe to say that 'Spring' is definitely in the air, regardless of a couple of cool reminders of what we have just survived over the past four months! We're sure that, like us, you are more than ready for some warm sunny days with a LOT less rain!!

In our last issue we focussed on getting you ready for winter, safety wise, & it was encouraging to see many of you taking that seriously & making sure your **tyres** especially are up to standard. We can't stress enough how important it is to check your tyres regularly for tread depth (min 1.5mm or a match head's worth) & that no cords or splits are showing (see images). Don't wait for your next service or WOF to check as metal roads, hitting curbs, running over things & mileage will all take their toll on your tyres.



We've also had a number of vehicles in lately with coolant loss/overheating issues. **'Antifreeze'** means just that...it will stop your radiator water from freezing and while we rarely experience sub-zero temperatures in Auckland, it's also an important rust inhibitor for the cooling system components. Many people just top their radiator up with only water. Coolant concentration should be around 50/50. If you're unsure we can do a quick test to check the concentration for you. Keep an eye out for coolant leaks in the form of green or red puddles or drips under the vehicles.

And remember, our friendly team are happy to check issues like these for you FREE OF CHARGE without an appointment - so pop in and see us or [Contact Us](#) to make a time to have your [Car Serviced!](#)



Our Services Include:

- Warrants of Fitness (Cars & Trailers)
- Vehicle Servicing
 - Lube Only or Full Annual Service
- Cambelts
- Batteries / Brake Fluid Flush / Antifreeze
- Auto Transmission Servicing
- Tyres, fitting and rotation
- Pre-purchase Inspections
- Diagnostic Scanning
- AA Smartfuel Savings

Courtesy cars are available (booking required) or a local drop off can be arranged.

Visit our website www.epsomautomotive.co.nz for full details of all our service inclusions.

Christmas 2017!

Difficult to believe that Christmas, vacations and 2018 are only just around the corner! So make sure you're ready to make the most of it & get your cars serviced & any niggly issues seen to that you might have been putting off over winter. We'd hate to see anyone miss out on precious vacation time ☺

We will continue to send all our regular customers reminders by either email, SMS or post according to what details we have available. If you have not received one, check your 'junk' folder as the reminder may have found its way in there by accident.

Meanwhile we hope to see you soon & get one more issue out before Christmas!

Drive safe,

*Paul, Liz, Rhett, Graham, Kyle,
Maikel & Tess (The Dog!)*

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PS: If you received this newsletter in the post and would prefer to save some trees and receive your newsletter via email, drop us a line - newsletter@epsomautomotive.co.nz. Plus, don't forget our movie pass referral scheme. If you have referred someone and we haven't sent you any movie passes, please call or email Paul@epsomautomotive.co.nz.