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We Appreciate Your Referrals

Pete Steiner

Jose Alvarez

Susan Brooks

Client of the Month

LARRY HAHN

Larry has been a long time dedicated client of Ponte's Auto Care. He has put his trust and confidence in us to keep his vehicles in top running condition. Thank you Larry for all the recommendations/referrals you have sent our way!

The Christmas Gift Everyone Will Want AND Use!

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Car Care Club Membership (Includes (4) FREE Oil Changes)

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The Perfect Christmas Gift!

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1st place - \$500 Club Card-LINDA THOMAS

2nd place \$50 Gas Card -JON URBANSKI

3rd place-\$25 Gift Card - Marilou Szymanski

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CHRISTMAS SEASON!



Read a new holiday book

Create nature gift tags



Make a bird feeder







Go sledding!



Go ice-skating with your family



Take a nature walk and scout out what animals are doing for winter







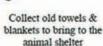
Deliver cookies to someone special or a community helper



Donate food items to your local pantry



Do some Random Acts of Kindness







Choose outgrown toys and donate to a local charity



Donate winter coats, hats or mittens to a shelter

How Many Cookies Does Santa Eat On Christmas Eve

According to Delish.com, approximately **one billion cookies are left** out around the world for



Santa, and since Santa needs something to help wash them down, about 500 million glasses of milk are set out. (If we're talking about just the U.S., it's approximated that of the 100 million households, about 1 million are serving sweets to St. Nick.) If Santa takes two bites of each cookie served around the world, he consumes roughly 336,150,386 cookies. As you probably know, Santa Claus doesn't always finish his glass of milk, so that means he drinks a little less than a million glasses, but the amount that's served would fill an Olympic pool nine times over.

The most popular cookies left out for Mr. Claus are chocolate chip. We all know Santa Claus has a jolly old belly, and that's likely because each Christmas Eve, it's estimated he consumes just under 40 billion calories!

What kind of cookies are you leaving out for Santa?

WINTER CAR CARE TIPS:

Don't let cold temperatures wreak havoc on your car!

Keep these five car-care tips in mind as the mercury plummets:

- Keep the Battery in Good Shape —Your vehicle's battery is especially hard hit when the mercury plummets. Cold temperatures reduce its cranking power.
- Replace Wiper Blades You have to replace wiper blades more often than you might think. Tests have found that even the best-performing wiper blades start to lose their effectiveness in as little as six months.
- Clear the Windows If you can't see out the windows, you're a danger
 to yourself and everyone around. Don't try to use those brand-new wiper
 blades to remove ice from the windshield.
- 4. Check the Oil Motor oil thickens when cold, making it harder for the engine to turn over. Whenever you have the oil changed, replace the oil filter as well to ensure the system has the maximum amount of flow.
- 5. Consider New Tires Spinning out in the snow and ending up in a ditch isn't the best way to discover your tires are worn out. Even if your tires are in good shape, make sure that you keep them properly inflated. Drops in temperature mean your tires will lose air, because tire pressure declines with the thermometer.

Stop in or call to set up a time and we'll check out all five of the above items at **NO CHARGE** to make sure your vehicle is ready for the winter season!



Merry Christmas, Happy New Year!

All of us at Ponte's Auto Care want to wish you and your family a Merry Christmas and prosperous New Year!

Thanks to you and your continued patronage our business continues to grow. we're looking forward to continuing to serve you and an even better 2020!

Can you believe we're entering a new decade?





Fascinating Facts About Those Born in December... They live for a long, long time. — A study published in the Journal of Aging Research reports that people born in December are more likely to live to 105 — or even longer. Their birthdays may be late in the year, but they have a lot of them!

<u>They are morning people</u> — Perhaps it has something to do with being born in a month where it gets dark at 4 p.m., but research has found that people born in December are more likely to enjoy going to bed early and waking up early. <u>They are less irritable</u> — Although December-born people are more prone to depression and pessimistic attitudes, they generally have fewer mood swings and temper tantrums.

<u>Your most important safety item on your far during the winter</u>

Your tires are **THE** only contact your car has with the road at any given time. They are even more **critical during rain and snow**. Be sure to inspect your tires at the beginning of the season and at least once a month. **It only takes about five minutes**. If you find yourself driving under less than optimal road conditions this winter, you'll be glad you took the time. Don't forget to check your spare tire.



If you're not sure if your tires are safe, stop in and we'll be happy to check them over for you.

A Great Christmas Gift Idea Everyone Can Use...

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Client Comments...

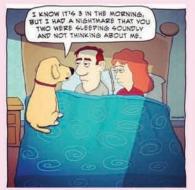
"Their performance is reliable and on time." **Jose A.**

"Ponte's is always attentive and skilled. A great combination." Pete S.

"I would recommend Ponte's to anyone who wants an excellent experience & great service." Susan B.

The Funny Bones

Smile It's Good For You!





7 THINGS EVERY CHILD NEEDS TO HEAR:

- 1. I love you.
- 2. I'm proud of you.
- 3. I'm sorry.
- 4. I forgive you.
- 5. I'm listening.
- 6. This is your responsibility.
- 7. You've got what it takes.



CHRISTMAS IN ODESSA

Christmas in Odessa is a self-guided walking tour of private homes and public buildings, dating from the 18th and 19th centuries, decorated for the holidays. The tour will take place on December 7, 2019 from 10am-5pm.

The Perfect Christmas Gift for Everyone on Your List Even Those Hard to Buy For BEFORE CHRISTMAS OVER SERON Martin Comments of the comments

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MERRY CHRISTMAS, HAPPY HOLIDAYS, GREETINGS FOR WHICHEVER HOLIDAY YOU CELEBRATE THIS MONTH!

From all of Us At Ponte's Auto Care

And...Thank YOU

We try to make sure we say thank you every time you come in, because without you we wouldn't be. In case we slipped up, THANKS to all of YOU, our clients.

This is our <u>39th</u> year in business, we know it's because so many of you trust us enough to refer your co-workers, friends, neighbors and family members. We truly are honored when you refer someone to us.

We'll continue to strive to be the best we can be and to offer you the best possible experience every time you visit our shop!

If ever we fall short of your expectations, PLEASE let us know!

We Know you have many choices when it comes to where you get your vehicle serviced! We appreciate you making us your choice.

We hope you continue to make us your choice.

Denise, Jack, Josh, Dave, Jon, Scott, Jim & Mark