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Car Quiz

- 1. T or F—It takes at least a half inch of water to hydroplane at 70 mph.
- 2. T or F—Refiners have switched over from summer gas to winter gas.
- 3. T or F—Several times a year you should use the metal key to unlock your driver door.
- 4. T or F—If your TPMS (Tire Pressure) light comes on first thing in the morning and goes off after driving, the tires aren't that low.

Answers to Quiz

- 1. False. Tests done by Tire Rack.com were done with water that was only the thickness of a dime. Stopping distance at 70 mph on a tire worn to 4/32nds tread depth (new is 10/32nds) was almost double that of a new tire. Wheeee! This is the reason we recommend tires at 5/32nds.
- 2. True. This is not the same as winter air in your tires. There are two different blends of gas in our area. Don't put leftover summer lawn mower gas in the snow blower. Dump it in the car and buy fresh winter fuel for the snow blower.
- 3. True. If your battery goes dead, your fob won't get you into your car. So, you can't release the hood and use jumper cables. Your car only has one (1) lock cylinder and it's on the driver door. Using your key will keep the lock from seizing up from non use. A keyless car should still have a metal key inside the fob for emergency use. **See Page 2 for more.**
- 4. True. Tire pressure increases as the tires warm up. This is how you know they aren't that low. If the light *doesn't* go out, it's really time to air them up.

Hello Darkness Not My Friend

Plastic headlight covers turn cloudy over time. When that happens you really can't see to drive safely. You can polish them yourself with toothpaste, rubbing compound and elbow grease.

That works if they are only lightly glazed. For only 50 bucks, we might be able to polish them for better vision. Best money you will spend.



50 Wittbucks

Coupon

Good on Annual Maintenance

Getting a flat tire repaired once a year is not annual maintenance. Only labor operations that begin with the word "Annual Maintenance" qualify for this \$5 savings. Offer expires 12/31/2025 and can be used on any Honda, Toyota, Acura or Lexus that we will accept for service.

Check Yah Service Stickah

Appointments can be set up online. Go to: www.georgewitt.com/appointments

We monitor this information when we're closed and can set up your visit over the weekend. So make an appt.

Open Mon and Tues 6:30 to 5, Wed 6:30 to noon or later.

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Our Annual Maintenance for a small SUV or sedan is 6¢ a mile. This includes synthetic oil rated for extended service and a loaner car. It also includes a Vacation Inspection. Call ahead to get the Dog Car.

Our service is a great value. You bought a Honda or Toyota product because it holds up and you can depend on it. We help make it last. No car runs as good as it does when it leaves Witt's.

We provide outstanding quality for a very reasonable price.

Call us at 402-434-6961

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Tuna & crackers \$2.48

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Dead battery on keyless car?

There you are, returning to your fancy car in the airport parking garage after staying for a month at your timeshare in Aruba, only to find your car battery is dead. Fob won't unlock the door. Hood release is inside the car. Sucks to be you.

Never fear because you read the Newsletter!

There is a metal key inside your fob. Toyota still has an exposed lock cylinder on the driver door.

Honda has a lock cylinder concealed inside the driver door handle. Pull it out to see the key image and lock.



On a Lexus, the end cap on the front edge of the door handle slides off to expose the lock cylinder.

Reach under the handle to expose the hidden lever to enable the door to be unlatched manually.

It would be a great idea to take the fob apart to find the key. Then use it to unlock the door. This rates right up there with carrying a little jumper box for the ultimate in self sufficiency. While you have the fob open, copy the battery number and head to Walgreens to buy a spare fob battery. They can go dead, too.

Food Bank Ideas

Below is a list of ideas for donations to the Food Bank. Prices from Super Saver. Total for all was about \$32. Bring us a bag worth \$25. We'll match the first 10 bags that come in with cash to the Food Bank. We all need to pitch in. Thank you for your generosity. Becky and Laura, The Witt Team

Canned goods + opener	Dish soap \$3.68
Cooking oil \$4.88	Corn bread mix .68
Salt and Pepper set \$2.58	Pinto beans .88
Coffee \$6.48	Chef Boyardee \$1.28
Flour \$2.38	Spaghetti sauce \$2.48
Cake mix \$2.38	Spaghetti \$1.48

Frosting \$1.48

Check your oil, air your tires \$10

Can you do it yourself? Of course. Do you want to? Maybe not. Should you? By all means.

First quart of oil is free. Offer good for our customers. Expires 12/31/2025 Call to set appointment while you wait.

Coat Drive

This is our annual coat drive. Please drop off any clean coats, especially kids sizes. It's cold.

Safe and Secure Tips

Review your car's settings so when you shut off the engine, it only unlocks the driver's door.

Also set it so it locks all the doors as soon as possible. Remove all items in view when you park for the night and always lock your car. Duh.

Refill with gas at a half tank.