



Hotline Guide

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The Nutz & Boltz weekly *Auto Motive Hotline* brings new car-care and lasting vehicle tips, the latest safety & travel info, answers to automotive questions, and helpful info about other vehicular concerns.

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Rob Wilson (Admiral Tire)> How we can save lots of money on purchasing tires, and the differences between different brands of tires.

Bump— Various

BREAK :15 International Auto Repair 410-944-6850; CNR Insurance of Annapolis 410-897-9890; Walt Eger's Service 410-519-8445

Bump— Various

Roy (Grand Marais Minnesota): Wants to know how he can make is 1985 Toyota Tercel, 93 Chevy Suburban and 93 Suzuki Samurai keep going for another 150K miles.

Bump— Various

BREAK :30 Admiral Tire & Auto 410-741-0400; Hillmuth Automotive 410-381-1124

Bump— Various

Roy (Continued): If he only puts 8,000 miles a year on the, what about oil change intervals using a synthetic blend.

Bump— Various

BREAK :45 British American Auto Care 410-381-2700; Redline Oil 800-624-7958

Bump— Various

Safety Minute> Baltimore tourists and residents have been the victims of random, unprovoked assaults in the downtown waterfront area.

Motor Minute[®]> Tiger Truck Stop in Gross Tete, LA., has stirred quite a controversy. It has been the home of a caged tiger, Tony, who has been there for many years as a mascot and a tourist draw.

Car Care Tip> When replacing the fuel filter, examine the contents of the old fuel filter to predict impending fuel pump failure.

Know It All> "The four most prominent signs indicating a vehicle is in need of a tune-up are: 1) Poor gas mileage. 2) Rough idle. 3) Poor throttle response. 4) Pinging." *True or False?*

Mailbag letter from David (Stamford CT)> "I wanted to ask if you knew anything about a car issue about buying replacement tires for your car. Some say that you can buy tires with a lower speed rating it won't void your warranty or influence your car insurance just as long as the tires meet the minimum load, heat and traction requirements."

Motoring Musical Memory> "Cat In The Hat"

Nutz & Boltz Theme Closing Music

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