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Inspection Report Shows Our Cars Need Attention

With more than 80% of gas now pumped by owners at self-serve pumps, fluids, tires and windshield wipers, among other things, too often are neglected.

The results of a 12,000 car inspection report by the Automotive Aftermarket Research Council shows better than one out of four of 12,000 vehicles checked during the National Car Care Month were low on oil or needed an oil change. Nearly half had less than minimum recommended antifreeze protection.

Summarizing the annual vehicle check lane results during the organizations' spring meeting Joe McCourt, of First Brands, Inc. He said four out of five vehicles failed one or more parts of the inspection; one out of five failed the emissions test.

The annual program, coordinated by the Car Care Council, is designed to heighten public awareness about the importance of proper vehicle maintenance. Information for the report, tabulated by Automotive Market Research Council, came from inspection lanes in 65 locations around the U.S.A.

Tires failed inspection last year more than any time since 1988. 29% of cars had tires with incorrect inflation pressure and/or unsatisfactory tread.

McCourt said, "Our 1991 survey of motorist reaction showed 83% of the people who took their vehicles through the inspection lane learned more about preventive maintenance, 99% thought the program should be repeated, and more than 40% took care of needed service as a result of the program."

Oregon's Own, Indy Car Driver, Mark Smith, To Appear At Nordstrom On Behalf Of Eye Safety

Mark Smith, one of Indy car racing's newest and fastest rising stars, will be appearing at the Nordstrom Lloyd Center store on Wednesday, June 23, at 1:00pm. Smith, a McMinnville native, will sign autographs, from 1:00pm in the No Fear clothing section of Nordstrom's Brass Rail.

A 1991 graduate of the University of Oregon, Smith has won seven (7) national championships and has a total of forty-six (46) career wins. He qualified 12th, ahead of many veteran drivers, in the Detroit Grand Prix this past week. Racing is not Mark Smith's

only interest, however. The young athlete has used his fame to do good work for various eye safety organizations. He was featured on the cover of Parade Magazine for this work with The Seeing Eye and The National Society to Prevent Blindness.

At the Nordstrom appearance he will be talking to customers about eye safety in sports and the work place and he will be giving away 30 pairs of safety glasses to Nordstrom customer. Smith will also make available for raffle a pair of tickets to the June 27 Budweiser/G.I. Joe's 200 race in Portland, in which he is entered.

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Entry brochures are available at all Nordstrom locations. The entry fee is \$15.00 per person and participants will receive, a souvenir Walk for Diversity T-shirt, button, and admission into our Celebration for Diversity barbecue. Children 10 and under may walk for free but still need to register. For Further information contact 299-4106.

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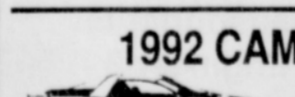
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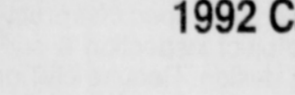
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