



SENIOR NUGGET – OCTOBER 2022

WINTER TIPS

Keep headlights clear with car wax!

Just wipe ordinary car wax on your headlights – wax lasts six weeks since it contains special water repellents that prevents messy mixture from accumulating on lights.

Squeak-proof your wipers with rubbing alcohol!

Wipe the wipers with a cloth saturated with rubbing alcohol and ammonia. This one trick keeps wiper noise to near perfect silence.

Ice-proof your windows with vinegar!

Just fill spray bottle with three parts vinegar to one part water & spritz it on all your car windows at night. Vinegar contains acetic acid, which raises the melting point of water ... preventing water from freezing.

Prevent car doors from freezing shut with cooking spray!

Spritz cooking oil on the rubber seal around car doors and rub it in with paper towels. The cooking oil prevents water from melting into the rubber.

Use hand sanitizer gel on the car key, door lock and problem is solved.

Fog-proof your windshield with shaving cream!

Spray some shaving cream on the inside of your windshield and wipe it off with paper towels.

Keep an old pair of gloves in the car to wear while pumping gas.

Have an emergency blanket in each car, along with flares, large trash bags, and a flashlight.

Trash bags help keep you warm if no blankets are available.

For Stress-Free Winter and Holidays

- **Take advantage of sales, begin holiday shopping early**
- **Begin addressing holiday cards in October**
- **Begin composing yearly letter; add final months before printing**
- **Purchase holiday stamps end of October**
- **Avoid January sticker shock – make a budget and stick to it**
- **Gift wrap and tag as you purchase each item**
- **Make a list of items you purchased and for whom**
- **Bake and freeze holiday treats**
- **Keep assorted batteries on hand**
- **Change your smoke detector batteries when time changes (Nov)**
- **Winterize your vehicles**
- **Have furnace check-up, assure filters are on hand for season**
- **Have snow removal items on hand**
- **Stock up on non-perishables**
- **Decorate outside while temperatures are mild**
- **Check all holiday lights and replace non-working lights**
- **Check all extension cords for fraying, replace if in doubt**
- **Make your holiday menu; look for sales on items you will need**
- **Spray snow shovel with WD40 for snow to slide off easily**
- **NEVER use a generator in garage or inside the house!!!**

Best wishes to all having a October birthday.

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