

Topical Information

Senior Citizen's Club

We at MENDEM MOTORS have found that a fair percentage of our customers are shall we say in their "golden years". They drive cars that are in reasonable to very good condition and are particular that they should remain so, are more safety conscious and in many cases are running on a pension meaning a tighter budget for repair and servicing. Some might not be as able to check the simpler routine items, that they once did with ease, especially with cars becoming more complex.

With all this in mind we have established A Senior Citizen Discount Club.

Application form and conditions available on request, please phone or email

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Tooth Decay

In most modern car engines there is a part so vital that to forget its timely replacement can be fatal, not only for the engine, but your pocket! This is the camshaft timing belt.

A rubber toothed belt that keeps the rotating engine parts in perfect harmony. When so frequently they do break, this balance is upset with the inevitable happening, bent valves at worst costing from a few hundred pounds to possibly nearer a thousand, or even a new engine.

The odds of belt failure can be greatly reduced by changing the cambelt according to the manufactures 36 and 80,000 miles or 3 to 6 years on low mileage.

Flood Warning

With all the flooding that has occurred recently, we have recovered many vehicles with blown engines.

Some of these vehicles had driven through less than 12 inches of water, but their air intake was still low enough to suck water in the engine with the resulting engine damage. Many required new engines, costing upward of £1500.

IF THE WATER LEVEL IS ANY WHERE NEAR SILL HEIGHT JUST DON'T RISK IT