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Copper State Spotlight

Tonto Natural Bridge State Park



The view from the top at Tonto Natural Bridge State Park is pleasant enough.

When you first enter the park nestled in Pine Creek Canyon north of Payson, AZ, you're engulfed by tree-covered mountains and a peaceful setting that would be perfect for a picnic or family gathering.

If you stopped there you could have a pretty good day, but boy would you be missing out.

The park is named for Tonto Natural Bridge, believed to be the largest natural travertine formation in the world. Over the course of eons, geological forces have carved out the bridge, which towers 183 feet over the water coursing below it in Pine Creek.

Four trails lead down into the canyon, offering views of fascinating rock formations and incredible textures carved out of stone by time. The park is one of the few areas where pine trees and cactus grow

alongside one another.

Once you make it to the bottom – the trails are steep and strenuous but worth the effort – you'll be awed by what you see. The main attraction is the 400-foot-long tunnel created by the bridge. The tunnel is 150 feet across at its widest.

While you're down there, take a while to enjoy the view. It's a great spot for photos. A waterfall adds to the peaceful setting.

There are four view points in the parking lot above the bridge that are easily accessible and offer nice sight lines of the formation for those who cannot make the trip down. But the best way to experience the wonder of Tonto Natural Bridge is to make your way to the bottom of the canyon if you're able.

After that, enjoy that picnic lunch. You'll have earned it.

JANET'S JABBERINGS

This month brings the next installment of our "Getting to Know Accurate Auto Care" feature. This month we introduce you to Technician Scott Porter. Many of you already know Scott, and reading his answers to our interview are quite entertaining. This month we also begin saying Goodbye to all our Winter Visitors. Remember...if you would like to receive the newsletter electronically or have it sent to your Summer address or just have it placed on hold while you are gone, drop me a quick email at accurateautocare@yahoo.com, or give me a call. Happy April to all of you!



TIP OF THE MONTH



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Causes

When a vehicle's tires are aligned correctly, they rotate in a straight line, making it easy for drivers to steer their car. A car owner can accidentally knock his or her tires out of alignment by hitting a curb, driving over a pothole or unexpectedly striking something on the road. Sometimes minor fender benders can result in wheels coming out of alignment.

Wheel misalignment causes the vehicle to become off-center, making it more difficult to steer. Vehicles that vibrate for no apparent reason or tend to veer to the side when driving could be suffering from misalignment. Drivers will notice that it takes more effort to steer their vehicles in a straight line when wheels are not aligned properly.

Effects

Driving a vehicle with improper wheel alignment can cause uneven wear on the tires. If the problem is not corrected soon enough, a vehicle's tires could suffer premature wear and tear, making them ineffective for safe driving. An alignment problem should be corrected immediately to avoid unnecessary tire damage.

Misalignment can put undue stress on a vehicle's suspension, posing a risk of damaging suspension components which could result in costly vehicle repairs.

When driving at high speeds, wheel misalignment can cause difficulty in steering, increasing the risk of an accident. Tires that are out of alignment tend to drag to the side, forcing the driver to keep a hard grip on his or her steering to keep the vehicle under control. Misalignment can adversely affect how a vehicle brakes and handles, compromising safety on the road.

Do you notice any of the symptoms of a misaligned car? Call us to schedule an alignment check today!



Lemon Bread

A Bright and Delicious Addition to Easter Brunch



INGREDIENTS

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| 1 c sugar | 1/2 c milk |
| 6 tbsp butter, room temperature | 1-1/2 c all-purpose flour |
| 2 eggs | 1/2 tsp salt |
| 1/4 c lemon juice | 1 tsp baking powder |
| 1 tsp grated lemon peel | 3/4 c chopped pecans (optional) |

DIRECTIONS

1. Preheat oven to 325 degrees
2. Mix together the sugar, butter, eggs, lemon juice, lemon peel and milk.
3. Stir in the flour, salt and baking powder and mix until smooth.
4. Add pecans (if using) and spoon mixture into a greased and floured 9" loaf pan.
5. Bake for 50 minutes to 1 hour or until a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean.

GETTING TO KNOW ACCURATE AUTO CARE

Joined Accurate Auto Care: January 2, 2017

Best part of the job: I enjoy the challenge of the off-the-wall jobs. My co-workers are some of the best people in Havasu. And then there are Chuck and Oni...they are the best to work for.

Hobbies: Haha, living in Havasu! Offroading/Jeeping, boating, fishing and we also stock car race

Favorite color: Orange - I love the way it pops

Favorite food: I love to BBQ everything!



SCOTT PORTER

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FRAME GAMES



The answer to last month's Puzzle:



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