

# Monthly Newsletter

February is often associated with love – not only romantic love, but the quieter, everyday care we show one another. In this month's edition, we reflect on what love truly means, how it shows up in our daily lives, and how that same care extends to the vehicles that carry us through every journey.

- Charmaine Kriel | Editor



## Love the Journey

**February** is a time to pause and appreciate the people who matter most to us. **Love** shows itself not only in grand gestures, but in consistency, responsibility, and the small **acts of care** that happen day after day.

At its heart, love is attention - listening closely, noticing change, and responding before problems grow. It's how we show up for our families, support our friends, and contribute to our communities.

In many ways, this same principle applies to the vehicles we rely on every day.

Our cars form part of our shared journeys. They take us to work, school, family gatherings, and moments of celebration. They're there for early mornings, late nights, and long-distance travels – quietly supporting our lives in the background.

Loving your vehicle doesn't require perfection. It requires care, awareness, and consistency. It means paying attention when something sounds, smells, or feels different. It means responding to warning lights instead of ignoring them. And it means choosing preventative maintenance over emergency repairs.

Just as with relationships, small acts of care build reliability and trust over time.

Regular servicing, timely inspections, and addressing small concerns early all help ensure that your vehicle remains safe, dependable, and ready for the road ahead.

Neglect, on the other hand, often leads to bigger problems – in relationships and in vehicle ownership. Attention today prevents unnecessary stress tomorrow.

This February, as we celebrate the love we share with one another, we encourage you to extend that same care to your vehicle. A well-maintained car offers peace of mind, safety, and confidence – so you can focus on what truly matters.

**Thank you** for trusting us with your journeys. We're proud to be part of the road you travel.



### How to Love Your Vehicle – Simple Habits That Matter

**A few small habits can make a big difference to safety, reliability, and peace of mind:**

- Service your vehicle at recommended intervals
- Pay attention to warning lights, unusual sounds, or smells
- Check fluid levels and tyre condition regularly
- Address small issues before they develop into major repairs

### Continue the Journey With Us

Book your service, share your story, or simply pop in – we're always here to help.

## Who we are – Meet the owner

Behind every business is a story – one built on commitment, persistence, and a willingness to start small and grow steadily over time.

This month, we'd like to introduce the owner of our workshop, **Paul Kriel**, whose journey began with a simple goal: to provide honest, reliable service and build something meaningful through hard work and consistency.

What started as a small operation has grown into a trusted local business, serving customers who value quality workmanship and integrity. Paul has a passion not only for vehicles, but also his family, his team, and the customers who support the business. Some even call him the “car whisperer”.

One thing is for sure – he will look after your car.



## Share the Journey – R1000 Voucher Giveaway

Every road trip carries a story – a moment, a memory, a place that stays with us long after the journey ends. This February, we'd love to hear your favourite road trip memory. Whether it's a family holiday, a spontaneous weekend away, a childhood trip, or a meaningful drive with someone special, your story matters.

### How to Enter

Simply share your favourite road trip memory by commenting on our Facebook post by clicking on the Facebook icon below or visit our page:

- Where you went
- Who you were with (feel free to tag them!)
- What made the journey memorable

### The Prize

One entry will win a R1000 service voucher, redeemable at our workshop. The winning road trip memory will also be featured in our next newsletter, so your story can be shared with our wider community.



## February: Share the Love

To celebrate Valentine's Month, we're spreading a little extra love. Stand a chance to **WIN a Valentine's Picnic Basket** – perfect for sharing a special moment with someone you care about.

### How to enter:

- Service your vehicle with us between 1 - 28 February and you will automatically be entered.

The winner will be announced on Facebook and contacted on 2 March 2026.