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ADDRESS CORRESPONDENCE TO: T.M.T.A. London Region P.O. Box 25002 London Ontario N6C 6A8 or mail@tmtalondon.ca The General Membership meeting will be held March 14th at the Fanshawe College, School of Transportation and our sponsor is Pana-Pacific. Guest speakers for the evening will be Denis Dion, Canadian National Sales Manager of Pana-Pacific, VDO Road Log representative Ralph DeGenova and Chris Fishbach of Maxwell Technologies. Topics will include electronic driver logs, Engine Start Modules and dash cameras.

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Meet and greet at 6:00 pm, followed by our meeting at 7 pm. Members please plan to attend and support our great sponsors and **RSVP as soon as possible.**

Fanshawe College is requesting transportation service leaders to offer industry support letters for CODA programs. The 16 week work placement for the period of May 2019 – August 2019. Support letters are required to run the CODA programs for the Fall 2018 start. Please contact Trevor Williams 519-452-4198 TWilliams@fanshawec.ca for more information.

Our Charity 2017

We are looking for suggestions as to who we should sponsor for our charity for 2017. If you have a suggestion then please forward all details and contact information to the executive

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

"Surround yourself with the dreamers and the doers, the believers and thinkers, but most of all, surround yourself with those who see the greatness within you, even when you don't see it yourself." — Edmund Lee



We need to say a special thank you **Steven** Daniels and Snap-On training for volunteering to give us a special information and diagnostics session for our February meeting. Steven has been in the industry for 30 years and seen an amazing amount of growth at Snap-On. He touched on many areas of diagnostics including their newest addition, Harley Davidson. Steven talked about how using a top of the line scan tool can dig deeper in diagnostics to show more codes than a standard code reader. He also talked about the difference between a relearn and a flash, as well as where to purchase flash codes from manufacturers. He stressed the importance of using a high end battery charger when you are performing a flash program and also showed us how high end diagnostic tools can graph data, show waveforms and solve problems in electronics. Another important item he mentioned was to always check to see if a "reset" is needed when you install new electronic parts. One of the newest tools to hit the market is Thermal Imaging. Thermal imaging is a wonderful new tool that can show you a picture like image of components to give advance warning of failing components before they have actually failed. Steven finished the evening with some updates of what is happening at Snap-On and some of the companies that they are buying.

Our History

The executive team has been working with our records and senior members to detail our history back to 1947. We will keep you updated as they progress with this important task and thank you to everyone involved.

Website News

We are always looking for ways to improve our website, so if you would like us to add or change something, then please don't hesitate to let us know. Jim is always updating our website and is happy to make changes for our membership.

MEMBER NEWS

Thank you to all the members that have paid the 2017 invoices. If you did not receive your membership invoice then let us know as soon as possible and **please update** your contact information. We could not be more proud of our growing membership

GOLF NEWS

We have confirmed the details on our 2017 TMTA London Golf Tournament and tickets are ready for sale. The date is September 13th at Pine Knot in Dorchester. We have been able to keep the price at \$110 which includes a great meal, green fees and a cart. Please reserve your tickets early and let us know if you would like to sponsor a hole.

Next Directors' Meeting

March 28th, 2017

General Meeting Reminder

Scheduled for 2nd Tuesday of each month except for the summer months