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March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 General Membership meeting will be held at the **Lamplighter Inn**



Our host and Owner of **NLS Products, Eric Craig** will go into detail about engine coolant problems and how to use the proper coolant test strips for the right application. Eric will also give us important information on some of their industry leading products.

Meet and greet at 6:00 pm, followed by our general meeting at 7 pm  
Members please **RSVP** for all meetings, plan to attend and support our sponsors

### **Associate Committee**

We are happy to report that we have already secured sponsors, which also include some of our newest associates, for many of our monthly 2019 General Membership meetings. So if you are interested in sponsoring one of the few dates that remain open, please do not hesitate to contact Pat McKenzie our associate committee representative.

Just a little **reminder** to say we have sent out the **2019 association membership** invoices and ask that you please update any changes to your information and let us know if you have not received it. Thank you again for keeping our membership healthy and strong

### **THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH**

“It was one of those March days when the sun shines hot and the wind blows cold: when it is summer in the light, and winter in the shade”  
Charles Dickens



Our speakers for the February meeting were **Mario (Honorio Oliveira Jr)** and **John Adams** of **ULT Powertrain**. **ULT** is a Canadian vehicle component rebuilding company and Mario started the evening with some history of their business. **ULT** started out with 5 owner operators rebuilding steering boxes, transmissions and differentials at a 5000 sq/ft facility and has grown to have multiple **manufacturer** approved repair and warehouse locations nationwide with over 75 employees.

They have excelled because they believe that quality parts and exceptional service must be given to the customer at delivery and then followed up with ongoing support. **ULT** understands that if they share their knowledge of the component and installation tips, then the customer will be happy with many trouble free years of service. **Mario** and his team are happy to trouble shoot any issues because they have acquired a vast amount of experience over the years. As an example of how that knowledge is applied to their components, Mario went into detail about poppet valves and why steering boxes must be installed correctly to give long life. Mario and his team are there for you should you have any questions regarding their components and you are always welcome to give them a call or send an email. To finish off the evening Mario and John gave away fantastic seats to a **Leaf's Game** and **six \$50.00 gift cards!!**

Thank you **Mario, John and ULT** for a great evening full of important information.



### **Our History**

The executive team has been working with our records and senior members to detail our history back to 1947. They are compiling pictures and membership information to add to the historical data. If you have information to share then please contact Don Clarke and Harry Beukeboom

### **GOLF NEWS**

Tickets are on sale for the **2019 TMTA London Golf Tournament**. It will be held **September 11<sup>th</sup>, 11am** at **Pine Knot Golf and Country Club**. Ticket prices are still \$110 and that includes cart, green fees and a fantastic meal. We expect another fantastic golf day with all our friends of the TMTA. Just a friendly reminder, we sold out the last few years so please get your tickets early so as not to miss out on this wonderful tournament. Thank you to **Tubby's Truck, Trailer and Tire Service** for sponsoring the printing of our tickets.

### **New Member News**

Adam Hebden-Blue Water Recycling  
Bobby Devine- Gerry's Truck Centre  
Kevin Johnson- London Custom Truck

### **Transportation Employers**

Please contact Trevor today to share your knowledge about students in our trade  
[twilliams@fanshawec.ca](mailto:twilliams@fanshawec.ca)

### **Next Directors' Meeting**

March 26th, 2019

### **General Meeting Reminder**

Scheduled for 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month except for the summer months