



WEEKLY CHECKS!

How often should I check my oil level?

Having had a word with our lovely mechanic Kevin, he says we should check our oil level every week, and definitely before a long journey. And hand on heart he does check his every week. Having heard him say that I thought it was about time I checked mine as I can't remember the last time I did! My excuse was it has just been serviced 😊. The reason for checking it every week is because if you have an oil leak you should pick it up before the engine runs dry and that could lead to a rather expensive repair bill.

The other levels you should check weekly are:

- **Tyre pressures** – we do free tyre pressure checks
- **Washer fluid level** – nothing worse than running out on a muddy day.
- **Windscreen wipers** – check for splits and other damage, new wipers cost less than a new screen!
- **Lights** – best done with the help of another person, otherwise you can check them next time you're parked in front of a window or reflective surface.
- And don't forget your **spare tyre**. There is nothing worse than getting a puncture and having a flat spare.

We occasionally hold introductory evenings, so that you can cover all the basic aspects of car maintenance in a friendly atmosphere. They are open to anyone and if you are interested. Give us a call. We hold them when there is sufficient demand.

Yet again please be aware that this is only our opinion. Please write in with your questions to T.W. Tyres, 11 Paynes Lane, Rugby, CV21 2UH, or email us on info@twtyres.com. We are open Monday to Friday 8am till 5.30pm and Saturday is 8am till 3pm. For tyres, exhausts, batteries and motorbike enquiries please call us on 542292. For servicing, repairs and car MOTs you can contact us on 544339.