

During this time of Covid-19, while you may not be using your vehicle much, or at all, it is important to keep your vehicle healthy and ready for when you do need it.

Here are some tips on how to do this:

## ENGINE & MECHANICAL PARTS

### Option One:

If possible, take your car for a 10-20 minute drive, twice a week.

This will keep your battery/batteries charged, as well as exercise all the mechanical and electrical components. It will remove moisture from your engine oil and exhaust system, as well as prevent your brakes from binding.

(NOTE: moisture promotes rust)

Drive with the Air Conditioner on to keep all of its components moving and working well.

### Option Two:

If taking your vehicle for a drive is not possible, perform the following in a well-ventilated area. NOT in an enclosed garage.

Start your engine and let it idle for 20 minutes and run with the Air Conditioner on. Also move your vehicle back and forth to keep the brakes from binding and to change the contact point of your tyres to the ground.

Do this several times a week.

**NOTE:** The above will also prevent pests, (especially rodents) from making a home in your engine room. When pests nest, they also bite wires, and defecate on your engine and related components which can be dangerous for both you and your family and technicians servicing your vehicle.



## OTHER TIPS

### FLUIDS

Check your fluids weekly, (more often if you have leaks). Observe the ground under your vehicle for leaks. The only liquid you should see is the condensate discharge from your A/C.

### TYRES

Check your tyre pressure monthly. Tyres naturally lose pressure over time. Soft tyres can compromise the vehicles handling and could lead to an accident.

### SERVICING

Changing the Oil and Filter is very important for the life of your engine. (If you have not changed the oil within the last six months, you should arrange to have it done, after this "CLOSURE PERIOD")



## OFFICE CLOSED UNTIL – 30TH APRIL 2020

Contact Numbers during this CLOSURE are:

### Sales Department:

Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm

Brendon on 722-6686

[salesteam@crism.com](mailto:salesteam@crism.com)

### Service Department:

Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm

Anthony on 773-0310

[service@crism.com](mailto:service@crism.com)

## CRISM COMPANIES

[www.crism.com](http://www.crism.com) | [www.crismtech.com](http://www.crismtech.com) | [www.autowatchonline.com](http://www.autowatchonline.com) | [www.incansol.com](http://www.incansol.com)



\*\*\* Your Next Car Is Waiting \*\*\*

12 Diego Martin Main Road, Diego Martin  
Ph: 632-7111 | Email: [contact@crism.com](mailto:contact@crism.com)