



Dorchester Insurance Brokers Ltd.

“Big enough to serve you, small enough to care”

DIB NEWSLETTER September 2010

We hope everyone enjoyed the summer months! As always, we welcome your feedback regarding this newsletter and its content. Feel free to provide your comments by sending an e-mail to info@dorchesterinsurance.ca.

WE ARE MOVING!



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We're excited to announce that effective September 14, 2010 we will be located at:

4101 Hamilton Road

Dorchester, ON

N0L 1G2

(on the corner of Hamilton Rd & Ann St, across from Village Ford)

NEW REGULATIONS FOR AUTO INSURANCE

The new regulations for auto insurance in Ontario are now in effect. As of September 1st, some of the features under the Standard Auto Insurance Policy have changed. If you are either buying a new auto insurance policy or renewing an existing one, you will have more options to purchase a level of coverage that is right for you. We will send all the information to you before your auto policy renewal date. If you have any questions, please call us at 519-268-3535. We would be pleased to review the information with you.

For further information, please visit the website below:

<http://www.understandingmyinsurance.ca/>

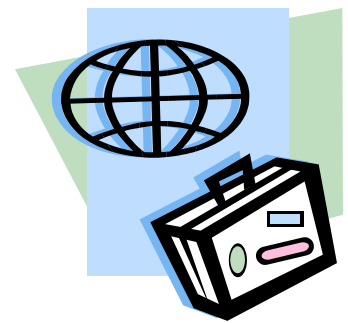
Did you know that we offer **Travel Insurance**?

- Out of province emergency medical coverage up to \$5,000,000
- Trip cancellation coverage
- Baggage coverage
- Emergency medical coverage for visitors to Canada

Travel Insurance Coverage Features Available:

- Family and individual rates
- Worldwide coverage
- Competitive pre-existing conditions coverage
- Zero deductible option

Call us today for a quote!



School Bus Safety – for motorists



Important: Vehicle owners can be charged if their vehicle illegally passes a stopped school bus.

Fines range from \$400 to \$2,000.

Drivers - always stop for the bus

Whether on a city street, highway or county road, and regardless of the speed limit and the number of lanes, **motorists travelling in both directions must stop when approaching a stopped school bus with its upper red lights flashing.** A flashing stop arm will swing out while passengers are boarding or leaving the bus. (The only exception: on highways separated by a median, traffic coming from the opposite direction is not required to stop). Once all passengers have boarded, the STOP arm will fold away. Do not start moving until the red lights have stopped flashing and the bus begins to move.

PENALTIES FOR NOT STOPPING

First offence: \$400 to \$2,000 and six demerit points

Each subsequent offence: \$1,000 to \$4,000, six demerit points and possible jail time up to six months



***Attention Westminster Mutual
Insurance Co. policy holders . . .***

Westminster will recharge your home fire extinguisher at no cost! Just drop off your fire extinguisher at our office, Dorchester Insurance Brokers. We will send it away to be recharged and contact you when it's ready to be picked up.

Recipe of the Month

Appetizer: Tomato and Mozzarella Bites

This is a great way to serve tomato mozzarella salad. Great presentation, always a hit and best of all – quick and easy to make! This is one of my 'go to' recipes.

Ingredients

- 20 grape or cherry tomatoes
- 20 fresh basil leaves
- 20 small balls fresh mozzarella cheese (bocconcini)
- salt and pepper to taste
- 1/2 cup balsamic vinegar
- 1/4 cup extra virgin olive oil
- 20 toothpicks

Directions

Using a toothpick, spear a tomato, a piece of basil and a mozzarella ball. Repeat with remaining ingredients. Place on a serving dish and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Mix the vinegar and oil together in a small bowl to serve as a dipping sauce.

Option: marinate the bocconcini in the vinegar & olive oil mixture before assembling the appetizers. Use the rest of the marinade for dipping sauce. Also, if the tomatoes are big, cut them in half and spear the cheese and basil between 2 pieces of tomato.

Notes:

- Remember to visit us at our new location at 4101 Hamilton Road as of September 14th!
- Continue to check out our Facebook page! Just click on the link below:



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