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Speed Wrench Inc. DBA: Speed-Tech Equipment



The "Tool Box"

We hear a lot about "bundling" these days. Bundle your TV, internet and phone. Well, we at the Speed Wrench Group have been "bundling" long before the term was popular. You ask, what do you mean? We have been bundling your different repair needs for years and we keep expanding on it!

1. Need your truck repaired? How about your wheelchair lift or boom crane mounted on the truck? Need alignment or body work? We can do that for you! We have technicians that specialize in all these different areas.

2. How about your compactor and baler needs? Need a new overhead door or loading dock repaired or replaced at the same time? We can do that! How about a short or long term service contract? Done!

3. Hydraulic cylinder leaking? No problem! We can repair it or make you a new one. Need your hydraulic pump or motor rebuilt? You guessed it. We can do that too!

So you see, bundling is not a new concept at all for Speed Wrench, we just call it, "doing business!"

~The Management



Light Duty Division

We continue to serve our West Michigan customers with a wide range of repairs in our light duty division, such as: * Automobile and light trucks! This includes fleet customers and the retail market.

* All classes of motor homes! In addition to helping out retail customers, we also have a great working relationship with most of the area RV dealers to assist with their RV chassis and engine repairs.

* Braun and Ricon wheelchair lifts! We have technicians that are certified in lift repair and are able to do factory authorized warranty work.

* School and church buses! We do full service repairs for school systems, and also assist school systems with our "Rent-A-Wrench" program.

Call 616-669-8700 for information, estimating or to schedule a repair!



New faces!

Jai Mahtani joined our parts delivery team in the light duty division recently. He has a very interesting background, having moved to the USA all the way from Singapore. He was a missionary pastor for

25 years and then an insurance agent for the last 4 years. He has traveled many places around the world such as Singapore, Malaysia, India, Thailand, Panama and many more. Jai and his wife Esther are the thankful parents of 8 children and have, so far, 7 grandchildren! For his workout, Jai enjoys walking to work in the beautiful outdoors since he only lives a couple miles away.

Branden Moelker, son of long time employee and manager of the light duty division Scott, joined our team this past spring. He is a 2014 graduate from Covenant Christian High School and Kent Career Technical Cen-



ter, where he attended the automotive program. Branden has been helping around the shop and learning from our technicians, with plans to attend GRCC this fall for the Automotive Certificate Program. In his spare time, Branden enjoys hanging out with friends at bonfires, riding their four wheelers around or going fishing!

Welcome to the team Jai & Brandenl

Heavy Duty Division

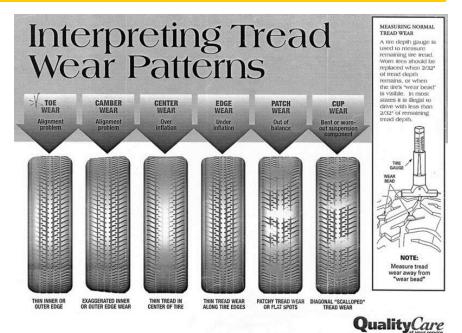
ightarrow Let's talk alignments and tire wear. Summer is the time of the year when the heat from the road really takes it's toll on tires if the alignment is not correct. It will shave 30% off the life off your tires if they are not properly aligned, not to say anything about the loss of fuel mileage.

⇒ On the right is a picture of some tire wear patterns that will tell you if you have an alignment problem. If you see any of these patterns, chances are you need an alignment.

➡ Take a few minutes and check out your vehicle's tires or stop in and we will check them out for you.

 \Rightarrow If you want to learn more about the effects of a poorly aligned vehicle please use the link below:

http://www.bridgestonetrucktires.com/us_eng/ real/magazines/98v3issue4/v3i4popu.asp



Body Shop Division

Introducing...

➡ Our fully enclosed 60' global finishing paint booth system! It is capable of handling any size job, whether just a front fender or an entire truck or trailer.

→ Our state-of-the-art system also features a baking oven for a more penetrating cure to the paint providing a perfect finish every time. This will help get your vehicle finished and back on the road sooner!







➡ We provide our customers with the area's finest quality in paint and body repair work. Whether you are looking to repair collision damages or customize your vehicle, we are your one-stop shop!

➡ We work on every make and model and will provide you with a free estimate for your job.

We also work with your insurance agency to provide you with no-hassle claims.

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Gerard



Gerard VanDijk comes to Speed-Tech Equipment with experience as a service technician and a degree in Agricultural Mechanics. He was born and raised in the Netherlands, graduated from college there, and then moved to Canada to work as a mechanic at a Massey Ferguson and Challenger dealership. After working 3 years in Canada, Gerard returned to the Netherlands for a year, then moved to the States and re-

ceived permanent residency at the end of 2013. Gerard was married in May 2014 to his beautiful wife, Rachel, and they reside in the Grand Rapids area.

Jeremy Huizenga has been married to his wife, Jennifer, for 15 years. He started his working career for his father in the building in-

dustry back in 1988 and has been involved in some aspect of this trade ever since. Building and fixing things has always been a passion and hobby of Jeremy's. In his spare time, Jeremy enjoys tinkering in the garage with a car or creating a mini-bike.





"The Wrench"

Recent Project for Schupan Recycling

We recently replaced a steel belt on a large conveyor for one of our customers, Schupan Recycling. We teamed up with them to remove the old belt and then install a new 115' long steel belt that we provided. In the process, we replaced the sprockets and bearings. Our crew worked hard and put in some long hours and had the customer up and running in three days. Schupan Recylcing was pleased and happy with the quality of product and work efficiency.





Michigan Recycling Coalition Conference:

The MRC held another excellent Conference at the Ann Arbor Marriott, April 29-May 1, 2014. The event was attended by more than 300 recycling professionals across the state. With the Governor's Recycling Initiative announced just a week prior to the Conference, there was more energy and excitement around the possibilities for recycling in Michigan than there has been for a long time. The generation of more markets and jobs created through increasing recycling efforts in our state promises to be a big hit to our recently





growing economy.

➡ Keynote speakers discussed the elements of good materials management systems design for packaging products and organics waste. Concurrent sessions provided beginner, intermediate and advanced topics on establishing and operating good and sustainable programs that serve communities and companies well. → Thanks to all of our existing customers and prospective clients who stopped by our booth at the Exhibit Hall. The Exhibit Hall, as always, showcased service providers ready to help communities and companies accomplish their waste reduction and recycling goals. The conference always works in time for fun and networking, which keeps people coming back.

Next year's venue, in Kalamazoo, is definitely one you won't want to miss. Mark your calendars already for May 5-7, 2015.



Congratulations to Goodwill of Greater Grand Rapids for winning the 2014 Award of Recycling Program Excellence, accepted by Nick Carlson (above); and to Nancy Stone who earned the 2014 Award of Individual Excellence in Recycling (below).





All Phase Hydraulics & Machine

Nine months ago, All Phase began a new division focused on manufacturing welded hydraulic cylinders. Each month sales have increased gradually and the orders continue to come in. It appears we entered the marketplace at an excellent time. Later this year, in order to aid the efficiency of both All Phase divisions, the manufacturing group will move into new space to the west of the current All Phase building.

Steve Gaffin, who has done territory sales for All Phase for about a year and a half, has been charged with developing the new division's customer base, overseeing product design and material acquisition.

We are excited about the progress we've made and look forward to, Lord willing, a continuous growth in our division!

Who are the new faces?

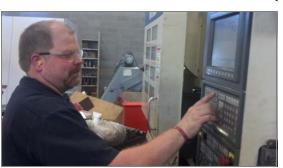
5 new employees joined the manufacturing group, all with experience in this specific industry!





Our Production Manager, Tony Feliciano, oversees the manufacturing process at all stages and has insured that quality products are being shipped every time. Tony is hands-on all day too, doing machining, testing, assembling, painting and packaging.

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Rob Uecker. our machinist, programs and runs two lathes and one machining center. Rob's attention to detail is invaluable. Assisting Rob is Brian Fe*liciano*, Tony's son, who keeps parts moving in and out of the machines.







Dan Preist, a certified welder, does all of our welding. Dan's welds not only consistently pass our hydraulic test requirements; they are cosmetically exceptional as well. Dan also helps where needed in the assembly and packaging process.

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Rick Feliciano, Tony's brother, does all of the cutting of tube, rod and parts material. He also helps where needed in the assembly and packaging process.



Welcome to the team everyone!



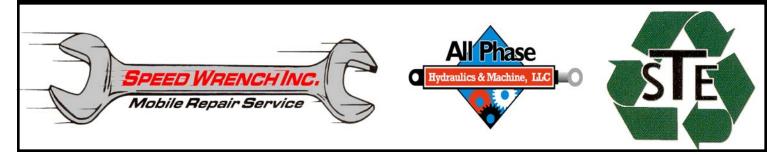
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