

# SIMMONDS TYRES

BRIDGESTONE Firestone

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## We turned 25!

On 3 June we had our 25th anniversary. To celebrate we made a photo book which you can see when you come into Reception. It was loads of fun going through all the old photos and remembering what we've done since 1997. JP (our very first customer) came in to say happy birthday so we had to recreate the photo from our 10th birthday.



We'd like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your custom over the years, our wonderful staff (past and present) who've worked so hard for you and all of our families who have been part of this journey as well.

Cheers! Andrew & Anita, Georgia & Drew Simmonds, James, Will, Justin & Te Hira



## August special!

We've got some awesome specials this month. Either call us on 073490034 or pop in with your car and we can get tyres sussed for you quick smart. With the winter driving (can be icy/slippery/wet conditions) you want to make sure that your tyres are in good nick.

Remember to visually inspect your tyres regularly and if you're not so great at remembering to check your tyre pressures, we recommend filling your tyres with nitrogen. That will keep the pressures up to spec for a lot longer and all you have to do is rock in to see us and we'll do the rest for you!



## Staff News



L-R Will, Justin, Simmo, Anita, James & Te Hira

We had our team photo taken by James' wife, Janelle, recently. She always does an amazing job and makes us all look so good. Te Hira has been with us for a few months now and has just become a dad to a beautiful baby girl. Will's wife is also pregnant and due later in the year. Babies everywhere! Anita's going to have to crank out the baby knitting...

We had our first brush with Covid which was a shock to the system and with a couple of them away at the same time it meant Simmo was back on the tools. A couple of former staff members who happened to call in got roped in to help out. Thanks Dallas and Courtney!

## Simmo's Tyre Tips Paragraph

### Office revamp

We're about to start revamping our Reception area. The front desk has done admirable service for the last 25 years but it's time to "retire" it. We're firm believers in using local suppliers who use us. Adlam Painters are giving us a fresh new look shortly on all the interior spaces. Vandyks are installing new carpet and Lee Bros are building us a custom desk. It will mean that James and the guys will have their own space to sit down with customers and work out mag and tyre deals, show them images and make it a whole lot more comfortable for everyone. We can't wait! (Anita may or may not have put her foot down that it was now her turn to keep up to date with equipment...!) Stand by for photos in the summer newsletter!

### Recipe

#### Baileys Chocolate Cheesecake

When Anita was a teenager, her mum, Alison, used to make the most delish Baileys Chocolate cheesecake for a special dessert. It was a typical 70's dessert and she hasn't been able to find the same recipe again, but this one is pretty darn close. Super easy and all you need to do make it gluten free is swap out the digestive biscuits for a GF option. Unfortunately for all you vegans out there, cheesecake is still cheesecake!

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