

## From the President's Desk...



People become AMSOIL Dealers for different reasons. Some see being a Dealer as a way to get the best price on AMSOIL products. Others are interested in a Dealership as a way to earn a part-time income. Perhaps they need to supplement their full-time income to make ends meet or want to save up for something special, like college for the kids or a new home or just about anything they need extra money to pay for.

Then there are those who see this AMSOIL business as an opportunity to go into business for themselves, to be their own boss and be the master of their own destiny. Whatever your reasons for becoming an AMSOIL Dealer, if you are serious about making the most of this business opportunity my message this month is directed to you.

As an entrepreneur, you recognized the potential an AMSOIL business offers and decided to make it work for you. In my book, that means you know a good thing when you see it. There is another good thing you should take advantage of coming soon that goes hand-in-hand with your decision to become an AMSOIL Dealer. That is the special training available to you from AMSOIL to help you become more knowledgeable and more profitable in this business, namely, the AMSOIL University 2004 being held here in Superior at the Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College May 23 through 27.

Details for the AMSOIL University have been included in past issues of *Action News*. I'm sure you have seen the promotions, so I won't go into detail about the courses available to you except to say that they include technical training, mechanical training, sales and marketing training, financial training, commercial training, and

more. If you have never attended AMSOIL University, you will want to enroll in the Core Technology Course, which covers all aspects of automotive lubrication as well as sales and marketing strategies.

To give you an idea of how valuable these courses are, I can tell you that forty percent of the attendees registered to date have attended previous AMSOIL University courses. They are coming back because they found the training worthwhile and they are eager to learn more. That speaks well not only for the course curriculum but for the commitment of the Dealers and Direct Jobbers who are attending. These are people who realize that knowledge is key to being successful, and they are dedicated to accomplishing their goals in this business through personal education and hard work.

In this business, we can usually expect some help from our sponsors. Many sponsors help new Dealers get started and hold meetings for their downline and prospective Dealers, but that doesn't always happen. We can't rely on others to pave the way for us. Each individual Dealer should learn what they can from other Dealers and their sponsor, but assume personal responsibility for using the many resources available from AMSOIL to learn this business.

In addition to AMSOIL University 2004, we have other excellent educational tools to help you, beginning with the G-700 Business Kit. It includes a series of "how to" manuals covering virtually all aspects of running an AMSOIL business. It also includes a T-1 Certification Workbook which a Dealer can complete and submit to AMSOIL. The Dealer then becomes T-1 certified and eligible to receive leads and participate in the co-op programs.

Last year, our technical service staff and our sales promotion department began work on producing a Dealer Training Series that is the most comprehensive home study course ever offered to our Dealers. It will ultimately be comprised of seven in-depth study booklets covering lubrication, engine oils, drive train fluids, filtration, oil analysis, fuel additives and grease. Three of these training books have been completed, and the remaining study books will be completed soon. If you are unable to attend AMSOIL University 2004, our Dealer Training Series is your next best alternative for learning this business.

I don't know of any MLM company that offers the Dealer training opportunities that AMSOIL offers its Dealers. And as far as providing excellent sales tools, I believe AMSOIL is unsurpassed. Look at the high quality literature and sales aids you have at your disposal. Look at the many ways we make it possible for you to build your business; MLM sales, retail sales, commercial sales, Preferred Customer sales, catalog sales, Internet sales. There are plenty of opportunities to earn in this business.

If you are serious about building your business, it's up to you and you alone to make it happen. And one of the best ways to get started is to learn everything you can about the business you're in. That means making a personal commitment, getting off the couch and taking action to achieve your goals. It's up to you!

A. J. "Al" Amatuzio
President and CEO, AMSOIL INC.

# DEALERS IN ACTION!

## AMSOIL Gives Sprint Car Winning Edge

The deafening roar of engines and the smell of methanol fill the air as fans scream for their favorite drivers during a quarter-mile flat out sprint to the finish line.

That's what makes sprint car racing one of the most exciting sports out there.

JR Ray, of JR Ray Sprint Car Racing, has been running full-bore since 1975 racing one-quarter midgets on race tracks in the Pacific Northwest.

These cars are equipped with Chevy V-8 short block, 800-horsepower engines, revving at 6,000 rpms, flying around the track at speeds in excess of 150 mph. They're open-wheeled cars that battle every inch of the way around the track – sliding sideways around the turns, weaving in and out on the straightaways, searching for the fastest spot on the track. Sometimes, the lead changes two or three times in a single lap.

These are the conditions that put engine oils and lubes to the test and, according to Ray, AMSOIL synthetic motor oils are up to the task.

Since meeting AMSOIL Dealer Reginald Chavis of Bellevue, Wash. a couple of years ago, Ray has seen the results he and team owner Chuck Sherwood sought for the midget.

"With the will and determination to be the best, you have to use the best," Ray said.

In the past, oil was changed after every race using conventional motor oil. Now, the AMSOIL 10W-40 High Performance Motor Oil gets changed after every fourth race. And that's only because the methanol – a high octane fuel similar to jet fuel – mixes with the oil in this type of engine and could potentially dilute the oil too much. However, oil analysis after four races shows the AMSOIL synthetic is still good for continued use.

AMSOIL Synthetic Motor Oil resists oil breakdown better than any other oil Ray has ever seen. That alone has Ray sold on AMSOIL products.

Ray also uses AMSOIL Series 2000 Racing Grease on the suspension and AMSOIL Series 2000 75W-90 Gear Lube in the differentials.

In last year's race season, Ray brought victory home seven times. "The engine never even worked up a sweat," said Ray.

Crew Chief Brad Jensen, who was accustomed to routinely working on the car, now finds time on his hands.



**READY FOR THE TRACK** – Crew Chief Brad Jensen, left, and driver JR Ray, of JR Ray Sprint Car Racing with their AMSOIL-equipped midget car that wins races for them in the Pacific Northwest racing circuit.

"I don't know what to do with myself," Jensen said. "The car is performing remarkably. I have nothing to fix."

More than his years as a race car driver make it clear Ray is no rookie. He boasts more than 100 career wins, including the Furondy Grand Prix in Anchorage, Ala.; five Columbia River Sprint Car Association (CRSCA) wins; and seven wins in the Washington Econo Sprint Car Association (WESCA). He also has set four track records and taken third place in the West Coast nationals.

Chavis sponsors the race team with product for the racing season. He has a booth at the race track and has found the events to be a big help to growing his AMSOIL Dealership. "At the Western Washington Fair I signed up eight Dealers in one day," Chavis said.

The exposure he is able to get for AMSOIL at every event has helped increase his profitability through bringing in new Dealers and Preferred Customers, as well as giving him a unique opportunity to spread the news of the quality and performance of AMSOIL products.

"AMSOIL has really been an improvement by keeping expenses down and protection up," Ray said. "You just can't ask for a better product."

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Ray and Arlene Schmit
Minnesota
\*\*\*\*Regency Platinum
Direct Jobbers
FIRST—Total Organization
FIRST—Personal Group
Sales



Mark and Sherree Schell Idaho

★★Regency Platinum
Direct Jobbers
Second—Total
Organization
Third—Personal Group
Sales



Dave M. Mann
Michigan

★Regency Platinum Direct
Jobber
Third—Total Organization
Second—Personal Group
Sales
Second—New Qualified
Dealers and Accounts



Pearson
Washington
★Regency Platinum Direct
Jobbers
Fourth—Total Organization
Tenth—Personal Group
Sales



Michael H. Ellis
Michigan
Regency Gold Direct Jobber
Seventh—Total Organization
Fifth—Personal Group Sales
Second—Commercial and
Retail Marketing



Gerry and Patricia Reid Virginia Regency Platinum Direct Jobbers Eighth—Total Organization Seventh—Personal Group Sales Third—New Qualified Dealers and Accounts



David and Carol Bell
Texas

★★Regency Platinum Direct
Jobbers
Ninth—Total Organization
Ninth—Personal Group
Sales
Tenth—New Qualified
Dealers and Accounts



Daniel and Judy Watson Florida Regency Gold Direct Jobbers Tenth—Total Organization Sixth—Personal Group Sales Ninth—New Qualified Dealers and Accounts



Herschel L. Gates
Florida
Premiere Direct Jobber
Fourth—Commercial and
Retail Marketing



Robert and Jean Johnson New Hampshire Master Direct Jobbers Fifth—Commercial and Retail Marketing



Larry and Kathryn Chambless Georgia Regency Gold Direct Jobbers Fourth—New Qualified Dealers and Accounts



Cliff & Lorna Gasper Washington Master Direct Jobbers Fifth—New Qualified Dealers and Accounts



Michael J. Mathe Virginia Executive Direct Jobber Sixth—New Qualified Dealers and Accounts

# ADERS

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# HALL OF FAME

AMSOIL Hall of Fame members are recognized for their long-standing service, achievement and commitment to excellence.



Thomas and Sheila Shalin Kansas
Regency Gold Direct
Jobbers
Fifth—Total Organization
Fourth—Personal Group
Sales
FIRST—New Qualified

Dealers and Accounts



George and Shirley Douglas Florida Regency Platinum Direct Jobbers Sixth—Total Organization Eighth—Personal Group Sales



Shirley Green, Regency Platinum



Bill and Donna Durand, ★★★★Regency Platinum



Danny and Joan Potter North Carolina Direct Jobbers FIRST—Commercial and Retail Marketing



**David B. Richardson**Ohio
Direct Jobber
Third—Commercial and Retail
Marketing



Harold and Marcile Hartman, Regency Platinum



Dorothy Hansen, Regency Platinum



Michael & Eileen Kaufman Michigan Master Direct Jobbers Seventh—New Qualified Dealers and Accounts



John and Jeanne Burke
California
Master Direct Jobbers
Eighth—New Qualified Dealers and
Accounts



Ora Mae Boardman, Regency Platinum



LaDonna Harrison and LaVel Rude, (Lingwall Organization) ★★★★Regency Platinum

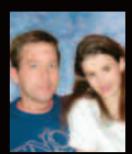
## HIGHER LEVELS OF

#### NEW MASTER DIRECT JOBBERS



Ken & Cindy Marland New York

### NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECT JOBBERS



David & Rebecca Reid
Virginia

#### **NEW PREMIERE DIRECT JOBBERS**



Ches H. Cain Texas



Richard, Jr. & Holly Guilz New York



Barry & Cathy Mugridge Michigan



Bruce A. Stache Wisconsin

#### NEW DIRECT JOBBERS



Chris & Barbara
Thompson
Texas
Sponsor: Doyle L. Ware
Direct Jobber: James M. Ball, Jr.

#### NEW DIRECT DEALERS



Larry & Karen Landry
Texas
Sponsor: James M. Ball, Jr.
Direct Jobber: James M. Ball, Jr.



Kristian E. & Melissa Swensson Minnesota Sponsor: Dave Roeder Direct Jobbers: Bud & Lorna Bourquin

## RECOGNITION

#### First Time 2500 Level Honor Achievers 1500 monthly commission credits 25 Dealers sponsored

Michael R. Funk, Virginia Sponsors: Raymond & Karen Peszko

Kevin J. Seeger, Wisconsin Sponsors: Lynn & Beth Pabst

#### First Time 1000 Level Honor Achievers 1000 monthly commission credits 10 Dealers sponsored

**Derrick Daniels,** *Texas* Sponsors: David & Linda Trekell **Roger A. Pogorelc,** *Montana* Sponsor: Jeff M. Provinzino

#### First Time 500 Level Honor Achievers 500 monthly commission credits 5 Dealers sponsored

Douglas J. Mertz, Ohio Sponsor: Raymond D. Yaeger

Robert E. Riley, Florida Sponsor: Dave M. Mann

Justin Sanborn, Connecticut Sponsor: Matthew G. Hoyt

Robert L. Schultz, Florida Sponsors: George & Shirley Douglas

#### First Time 300 Level Honor Achievers 300 monthly commission credits 3 Dealers sponsored

Jeffrey P. Botsford Delaware Sponsors: Gregory King

Peter A. Calabrese, New York Sponsors: Ronald & Lisa Vanderheyden

Allen & Karen Cornell, Michigan Sponsor: Leslie J. Arnold

Mark H. Durand, South Dakota Sponsors: Bill & Donna Durand

Bruce A. Girdler, Ohio Sponsors: Alvin & Magdelena Wengred

Alvin Haase, Montana Sponsors: Gene & Danae Fine

Jack Jones, West Virgina Sponsor: Wallace & Katherine Hillman

Dave K. Niles, Minnesota Sponsor: Mylo & Patty Twingstom

Charles & Monica Paddock, New York Sponsor: Esmeralda Paddock

Thomas & Sue Pautsch, Minnesota Sponsors: Ray & Arlene Schmit

Charles A. Pittman, North Carolina Sponsors: Charles & Iris Pittman

Sandra Pollock, Pennsylvania Sponsors: David & Rebecca Reid

Patrick Ponsonby, North Carolina Sponsors: Dave M. Mann

Gary & Linda Rajek, Wisconsin Sponsor: Mark E. Niemuth

Dale R. Schultz, Arizona Sponsor: Keith Shireman

Edward "Smokey" Strodtman, Montana Sponsor: Sherry Dirksen

# Advanced for Power

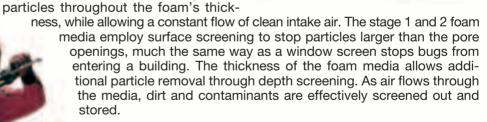
Power sports enthusiasts are meticulous when it comes to maintenance. If they're not spending the weekend tearing up the track or exploring back roads, they're in the garage working on their machines. AMSOIL offers a premium line of two-cycle and four-cycle synthetic lubricants that offer superior protection and performance in dirt bikes and ATVs. Now, AMSOIL is introducing a line of premium power sports air filters. Utilizing the same advanced two-stage foam technology as the automotive air filters, AMSOIL Power Sports Air Filters offer second-to-none protection and performance in hard driven dirt bikes and ATVs.

Proper air filtration is essential to keeping equipment running in top condition. It is especially important in power sports applications operating in dusty environments. Without proper air filtration, airborne dirt and dust greatly accelerate engine wear, shorten equipment life and increase fuel consumption.

An effective air filter must offer adequate performance in all three critical areas of filtration: efficiency (dirt-stopping), capacity (dirt-holding) and resistance (air flow). However, the "air flow vs. efficiency compromise" inhibits most air filters on the market. Smaller media openings ensure efficiency at removing wear-causing contaminants, but they reduce air flow. Larger media openings ensure adequate air flow, but they sacrifice filtration efficiency.

AMSOIL Power Sports Air Filters solve the "air flow vs. efficiency compromise" and provide superior efficiency, capacity and air flow by making use of surface screening, depth screening, diffusion and adsorption. Two layers of oilwetted polyurethane foam provide a network of inter-

locking cells that effectively trap and hold wear-causing



AMSOIL Power Sports Air Filters also remove airborne contaminants through diffusion and adsorption. Incoming air travelling through the foam filter media must navigate through a maze of open cell structures. As it moves from cell to cell, the air is continually changing directions, and contamination particles get diffused from the air and caught in the media. Adsorption to the "high tack" AMSOIL Super-Tack Foam Filter Oil that covers the foam media effectively traps and removes further contaminants.

AMSOIL Power Sports Air Filters are packaged dry and must be properly oiled with AMSOIL Foam Filter Oil (AFO) before installation, and they may be cleaned, re-

# Air Filtration Sports Applications

oiled and reused for miles of troublefree use. Frequent cleaning and oiling is necessary to achieve peak performance and maximum protection against engine wear. Local conditions and intended use dictate how frequently filters should be serviced. Many power sports enthusiasts maintain two or more filters for each piece or equipment.

#### Filter Cleaning

- 1) Carefully remove the air filter, being cautious not to knock any dust or dirt into the carburetor opening. Clean any dirt from the opening with a clean shop towel.
- Clean filter in a solution of warm water and mild detergent. Do not use strong solvents, gasoline or other fuels to clean the filter.
- 3) After washing, thoroughly rinse the filter with clean water and allow it to air dry. Note: Do not use highpressure shop air or heat to dry the filter. When the filter is completely dry, it may be re-oiled for further use.

#### **Applying Filter Oil**

For best performance, apply a generous amount of Foam Filter Oil and work it into the foam media. Squeeze out excess oil, leaving a uniformly oiled filter.

A properly oiled filter will feel oily or tacky to the touch

on both the outer and inner surfaces, but should not be dripping oil.

When reinstalling the air filter, apply a thin film of AMSOIL Multi-Purpose Grease on the foam base to insure a leak-free seal between the filter and housing.

Consult the newly updated G-1768 Motorcycle & ATV Filter Cross Reference Guide to find the correct filter for your application. The Referece Guide is also available in the Dealer's Zone at www.amsoil.com.

Stock #	U.S.	Can
G-1768	1.00	1.60





AMSOIL Power Sports Air Filter data bulletins (G-1991) are available for purchase.

Stock #	Pkg	U.S.	Can
G-1991	25	2.80	4.65

Stock #		Wt. Lbs.	Comm. Credits	U.S. Dealer	U.S. Sugg. Retail	Can. Dealer	Can. Sugg. Retail
Group 1	PSFA-23	0.3	3.00	6.00	9.95	9.65	16.00
Group 2	PSFA-46, 47	0.3	4.50	9.00	14.95	14.45	24.00
Group 3	PSFA-45	0.3	5.10	10.20	16.95	16.35	27.20
Group 4	PSFA-40	0.3	5.70	11.40	18.95	18.30	30.40
Group 5	PSFA-33, 35, 44	0.3	6.00	12.00	19.95	19.25	32.00
Group 6	PSFA-19, 21, 28, 42	0.3	6.30	12.60	20.95	20.25	33.55
Group 7	PSFA-22	0.3	6.60	13.20	21.95	21.20	35.15
Group 8	PSFA-15, 18, 20, 31, 32, 37, 38, 49	0.3	6.90	13.80	22.95	22.15	36.75
Group 9	PSFA-30, 34	0.3	7.20	14.40	23.95	23.10	38.35
Group 10	PSFA-26, 39, 41, 48	0.3	7.50	15.00	24.95	24.10	39.95
Group 11	PSFA-10, 11, 12, 14, 16, 17, 25, 27, 29, 43	0.3	8.10	16.20	26.95	26.00	43.15
Group 12	PSFA-13, 24, 36	0.3	8.70	17.40	28.95	27.95	46.35

# Issue Tracking Program Adds Efficiency at AMSOIL

Do you have a problem? How about a product question? Do you have a warranty question?

A recently-instituted Tracking Program at AMSOIL allows corporate staff in nearly all departments to document every question, problem or comment Dealers call about. It also records who takes the call, the nature of the inquiry, who it is referred to and whether it is resolved. It remains "open" until the question or issue has been resolved.

"The Tracking Program is playing a bigger and bigger role as a customer service program that was developed to address a wide variety of concerns and situations," said Dave Anderson, Technical Director. "Whenever comments come in from Dealers we take them very seriously."

The program helps AMSOIL keep track of the number of times specific concerns or questions come up and how they are handled.

"It has the benefit of giving Dealers better service, more professional service and certainly in a more timely fashion." Anderson said.

It also can become a catalyst for change in the company, he said. "We can see what Dealers are asking for, it gives Dealers more of a voice and change occurs more readily."

The Tracking Program allows questions and concerns to be immediately routed to the proper department and person to handle specific topics.

"It's a way to get to the core problem quickly," Anderson said. "It keeps things from falling through the cracks. It brings more efficiency to the company and the end result is better customer service."

The system increases efficiency because a tracking number is assigned to each communication and Dealers can find out the status of their inquiry upon request, said Ed Kellerman, Technical Services man-



**Dave Anderson** Technical Director



**Ed Kellerman** Technical Services Manager



Ron Kolstad Technical Services Representative

ager. It means Dealers don't have to keep track of who they first talked to, or what was said. It's all documented and available to them via the tracking number, ZO number or customer number.

A change a Dealer may notice is that when he or she calls in with a problem or question he or she may be asked for a ZO number and verification of a residential address, phone number and email address. In addition, the employee will provide you with a tracking number for you to refer to for all unresolved issues.

The program went into full swing in November 2003, said Ron Kolstad, Technical Services representative. Because Tech Services often is the place Dealers and customers start when they have a question or problem, Kolstad uses the Tracking System extensively in his daily work.

Other people within Kolstad's department are using the program, as well. That means that if the Dealer contacts a different person regarding the same question, problem or product, that person can immediately access the transactions and determine the status of it and who is working on it. It saves time in that several people at the company are no longer working on the same issue. The Dealer or customer can be informed of any action that is taken and who is handling their request within the department.

Anderson, Kellerman and Kolstad agreed the program gives Dealers and customers confidence they are being heard and that their issues are important to the company and will be resolved as quickly as possible.

"It has proven itself over and over again to be a great aid in keeping track of transactions," Kolstad said. "From November to January we took 3,000 calls. The tracking system is an organizational godsend."

### **IMPROVING CUSTOMER SERVICE IN A DIGITAL AGE**

#### **AMSOIL Teams With UPS to Online Order Tracking**

The age of the Internet has truly changed the ways in which the world does business. Customers now have more options than ever before when searching for a product, selecting a supplier and even choosing how to place an order. Processes that once took the involvement of several individuals within an organization can now be automated and fine tuned to run in a fraction of the time with a simple prompt from the customer.

As part of the the AMSOIL commitment to providing the best possible customer service to our Dealers and customers, a new partnership has been formed with the United Parcel Service (UPS). This innovative order tracking system will automatically notify anyone an order is sold to that their order has shipped, provide a tracking number that can be used with UPS WebTracking and provide an estimated time to expect delivery.

This system is now in place, having been carefully integrated with the AMSOIL business software. By connecting the two systems, Dealers and all their registered customers will receive an electronic notification from UPS (see example) as soon as their order leaves an AMSOIL Distribution Center. There is only one requirement to start receiving these notifications: the customer must have a valid email address in the AMSOIL computer system.

All AMSOIL Dealers and their customers should register their email addresses in order to receive this valuable infor-

mation. Following are the best options for updating email addresses with AMSOIL INC.

#### **SEND AMSOIL AN EMAIL:**

Send an email to updateemail@amsoil.com. You must include a ZO/Account #. name and new email address for each customer record to be updated. This will be a convenient method for Dealers to update email addresses for several customers at one time. Example:

ZO# 9876543 John & Jane Doe iidoe@isp.com Acct# 142345 John's Trucking Co. jtrucking@isp.com

#### **SEND AMSOIL A FAX:**

Send a fax to "email address updates" at (715) 392-5225. You must include the ZO/Account #, name and new email address for each customer record that needs to be updated. Dealers may fax a list in order to update email addresses for several customers at one time.

#### **ENTER YOUR EMAIL ONLINE:**

By visiting the AMSOIL Website and following the "What's New" link and clicking the "New Email Address" button, customers can enter new email addresses or make changes to mailing addresses and phone/fax numbers.

The toll-free ordering lines are reserved for customers placing orders. In order to insure efficient telephone order processing, these toll-free lines cannot be used to update e-mail addresses only. If an order is being placed by telephone, however, an email address may be updated at that time to insure the customer receives electronic notification when their order ships from the AMSOIL Distribution Center.

#### **FUTURE NETWORK PROJECTS**

In addition to the UPS Worldship WebTracking system, AMSOIL also has other future projects in the works for our Dealer email database. Here are just a few more reasons to provide AMSOIL with your email address.

- EMAIL NEWSLETTERS Future newsletters and company updates as well as testimonials and promotional information will utilize the Dealer email database.
- **PRICING UPDATES** Pricing information on new products and services as well as updates to shipping and tax information can be selectively distributed via the Dealer email database.
- CORPORATE COMMUNICATION Convenient and reliable contact with business associates at AMSOIL and rapid response to your questions and queries.

#### **AMSOIL ONLINE PRIVACY POLICY**

AMSOIL INC. is sensitive to privacy issues on the Internet. We believe it is important for you to know how we treat the information that we receive about you and your businesses and customers.

Please feel free to view the AMSOIL Online Privacy Policy at www.amsoil.com/privacy.htm to address any of your concerns about information sharing and web security. AMSOIL will not share your information with anyone else.

#### **Sample UPS Notification**

QuantumViewNotify@ups.com Wednesday, March 17, 2004
Asbach, Dewey
UPS Ship Notification
Tracking #1Z5759060341425369

\*\*DO NOT REPLY TO THIS EMAIL. UPS AND AMSOIL WILL NOT RECEIVE YOUR REPLY

This message was sent to you at the request of AMSOIL to notify you that the package information below has been transmitted to UPS. The package(s) may not have actually been placed with UPS for shipment. To verify when and if the shipment is tendered to UPS and its actual transit status, click on the tracking link below or contact AMSOIL directly.

#### **Important Delivery Information**

Scheduled Delivery:

25-March-2004

**Shipment Detail** 

Ship To:

DASBACH 925 Tower Ave Superior 548801527 US

**Number of Packages:** 

**UPS Service: GROUND** Weight: 0.5 LBS

**Tracking Number:** 1Z5759060341425369 Reference Number 1: 9607165.0 (AMSOIL Order #) Reference Number 2: JB (AMSOIL Employee Initials)

## Superior Protection for Hot Operating Automatic Transmissions

Vehicle transmissions rely on automatic transmission fluid to perform many important functions. Automatic transmission fluid provides essential lubrication for gears, bearings and clutch packs; it acts as a fluid coupling inside the torque converter, transmitting drive torque from the engine to the transmission input shaft; it carries hydraulic pressure through the valve body in order to engage and disengage the clutch packs that change the gears and it serves as a coolant, carrying away heat generated through normal transmission operation.

Today's automatic transmissions generate more heat than in years past. Smaller oil sumps, decreased air flow due to improved body aerodynamics, increased fluid turnover and higher horsepower engines all contribute to hotter running transmis-

Automatic Transmission Life as it Relates to Thermal Oxidation of Automatic Transmission Fluid							
Fluid Operating Transmission Life Temperature (°F) Expectancy (miles) 175 100,000 195 50,000							
Varnishes form Seals harden Plates slip	212 235 255 275	25,000 12,000 6,250 3,000					
Oil forms carbon	295 315	1,500 750					

Above 300°F, severe component distortion occurs. Data courtesy of General Motors

sions, particularly in hot weather, towing and RV applications. As operating temperatures increase, the service lives of the

service life.

transmission and the transmission fluid decrease due to increased oxidation, viscosity breakdown and additive degradation. In fact, for every 20°F temperature increase above 175°F, transmission life is cut in half.

Conventional automatic transmission fluids are poorly suited for the high temperatures encountered in modern automatic transmissions, quickly oxidizing and sacrificing wear protection. Because synthetic automatic transmission fluids have significantly slower oxidation rates, they provide superior wear protection for longer drain intervals. In fact, AMSOIL Synthetic Automatic Transmission Fluid (ATF) resists breakdown in temperatures up to 100°F higher than conventional automatic transmission fluids, keeping wear to a minimum and increasing transmission

To ensure protection for hot operating transmissions, General Motors recently upgraded its DEXRON®-III automatic transmission fluid specification, requiring fluids to maintain performance in the THOT (turbo hydramatic oxidation test) for 450 hours, up from 300. AMSOIL Synthetic Automatic Transmission Fluid resists thermal and oxidative degradation and passes the new GM THOT test requirements even after 900 hours.

AMSOIL Synthetic Automatic Transmission Fluid is recommended for virtually all domestic and foreign automatic transmission applications, including GM, Ford, Chrysler, Allison, Caterpillar, Voith, ZF, Honda and Toyota. It is ideal for hot weather towing and hot running RV transmissions, protecting equipment and keeping it running cool and trouble-free.

# BROAD TEMPERATURE PERFORMANCE (BORDERLINE PERFORMANCE IN RED) (BORDERLINE PERFORMANCE IN RED) PETROLEUM ATF AMSOIL SYNTHETIC ATF

#### HIGH TEMPERATURE FLUID LIFE TEST

Turbo Hydromatic Oxidation Test (THOT)



### **INTRODUCING NEW**

### **AMSOIL/BriteSide SCRUB with Pumice**



- SCRUB with Pumice is a totally new formula engineered with the added cleaning power of pumice to cut through grease, oil and dirt with normal wiping motions.
- SCRUB with Pumice comes in a specially designed container that is self-dispensing. By simply pressing on the top of the container SCRUB is dispensed upward and into your hands.
- The pumice formula effectively cleans hands without the need for water. However, it also works just as effectively with water as a rinsing agent.
- SCRUB With Pumice utilizes a gentle lemon fragrance, not a harsh chemical smell like many other pumice-based hand cleaners.
- The competitive pricing and large container size make SCRUB with Pumice an excellent choice for workshops, repair centers and garages where large quantities of hand cleaner are used.



SCRUB WITH PUMICE U.S. PRICING											
Stock No.	Stock No. Pkg/Size Wt. Lbs. Comm Credits Dealer Cost Min Sugg. Retail										
BHP-TB	(1) 48-oz. tub	3.0	7.30	10.95	14.20						
BHP-06	(6) 48-oz. tubs	18.0	43.80	62.70	84.60						
	SCRUB WITH PUMICE CANADA PRICING										
Stock No.	Stock No. Pkg/Size Wt. Lbs. Comm Credits Dealer Cost Min Sugg. Retail										
BHP-TB	(1) 1420-ml tub	3.0	7.30	17.70	22.40						
BHP-06	(6) 1420-ml tubs	18.0	43.80	101.10	133.80						



## You Can Still Clean Without the Pumice With BriteSide SCRUB

BriteSide SCRUB has been formulated for the toughest cleaning jobs. It has been chemically engineered to cut through grease, oil and dirt without the use of pumice and without the need for rinsing with water. SCRUB gently removes substances and cleans hands when a pumice cleaner could be too abrasive.

BRITESIDE SCRUB U.S. PRICING								
Stock No.	Pkg/Size	Wt. Lbs.	Comm Credits	<b>Dealer Cost</b>	Min Sugg. Retail			
BSH-BF	(1) 16-oz. bottle	1.0	3.85	5.80	7.55			
BSH-16	(6) 16-oz. bottles	6.0	23.10	33.00	44.70			
BSH-1G	(1) gallon bottle	9.0	13.95	20.95	27.35			
BSH-04	(4) 1 gallon bottles	36.0	55.80	79.80	107.80			
G-1788	(24) 10-ml single packs		-,-	11.25	-,-			
	BRITE	SIDE SCF	RUB CANADA PRI	CING				
Stock No.	Pkg/Size	Wt. Lbs.	Comm Credits	<b>Dealer Cost</b>	Min Sugg. Retail			
BSH-BF	(1) 473-ml bottle	1.0	3.85	9.30	11.85			
BSH-16	(6) 473-ml bottles	6.0	23.10	53.10	70.50			
BSH-1G	(1) 3.78-litre bottle	9.0	13.95	33.90	43.15			
BSH-04	(4) 3.78-litre bottles	36.0	55.80	129.20	171.00			
G-1788	(24) 10-ml single packs		-,-	18.75	-,-			

# AMSOIL Team Goes to Podium Early and Often in '03-'04



DJ Eckstrom had another strong season. Ten podium finishes in 10 events.



Justin Tate won the Pro Stock event at Green Bay.

Team AMSOIL is a bright star for Polaris snowmobiles. The team has the U.S. Air Force flying high. Riders DJ Eckstrom and Justin Tate are studs to Woody's, a traction and control products company. All sponsors of the AMSOIL/Scheuring Speed Sports snocross team are ecstatic with results of the season. And why shouldn't they be. AMSOIL has one of the most revered and successful snowmobile racing programs and proved it again this season.

DJ Eckstrom finished the season third overall in Pro Open of the World Snowmobile Association's Snowmobile Worldwide Championship. He also finished fourth by a slim four points in Pro Stock. Eckstrom stood on the podium 10 times in 10 events. Nice ratio. He finished in the top three seven times in Pro Open and three times in Pro Stock.

Justin Tate battled injuries and untimely breakdowns to end the year with very respectable seventh place Pro Open and eighth place Pro Stock overall finishes. Tate had two Pro Stock podiums including a remarkable victory at Green Bay, Wisc.

Eckstrom took home the championship in the Super Snocross Stadium Tour and Tate won a silver medal at the ESPN Winter X Games in Hillcross after taking several stitches below an eve.

Looking ahead, Polaris has agreed to be on board for another three years. Earlier this fall, AMSOIL and team owner Steve Scheuring agreed to a deal. A deal with the riders should come shortly after the season.

A microcosm of the WSA season was the year's final event, round 10, at Lake Geneva, Wis. There were promises of perfection, glimmers of gold and splintered spirits.

DJ Eckstrom entered the Pro Open final as top qualifier. On his prototype "Fusion" Polaris he dominated the field. By the final, late in the day, with cold temps and a howling wind, the track had deteriorated to ice pellets. The roost kicked up by the sleds was enormous. Eckstrom got the holeshot and led the pack. The overall title at this point wasn't mathematically out of reach. While caught in a "canyon" of loose snow Eckstrom was passed never to recover. Tate's fate was different, but the results similar.

It was a whole different story in Pro Stock. No holeshot this time, but Eckstrom was right on the snow flap of the leader. Lap after lap he stayed ready to strike. By midrace, though, the uphill chutes and monster downhill runs couldn't be overcome. Still, Eckstrom magnificently negotiated his sled to second place. That's the kind of racer he is and that's the level of determination expected from Team AMSOIL. It's reflective of the commitment and quality one can expect from AMSOIL.

### You Go Girl!

Ollie Ernstberger is a woman driver in a man's world. She doesn't expect any favors and if you give her an inch on the track she'll blow right by.

Ollie and husband Charles are AMSOIL Dealers from Salem, Ind. They're serious about their racing and the quality of AMSOIL products. They don't have a big-time budget so they make things last. Like their car's engine.

They ran 24 races last year and had zero, nada, ziltch, zip trouble with the motor. "Other teams want to run AMSOIL 20W-50 Racing Oil in their cars, but say it's too expensive. We explain it's less expensive than a blown engine," said Ollie.

Good luck to KCK Motorsports in 2004.



The hood says it all.



Richard Petty with Ollie



It takes more than luck for the number 13 car. It takes AMSOIL synthetic lubricants.

### LaRocco Rides Team AMSOIL Bike to Pinnacle of Supercross

Mike LaRocco isn't a big talker. He learned early in his career to let his riding speak for itself. After 17 years his accomplishments are deafening.

LaRocco reached an incredible milestone at the AMA/THQ Supercross at Daytona last March. When he lined up in the gate for the final, he set the bar at an unprecedented level. "The Rock" made his 200th supercross main event. No rider is even close ... and LaRocco, age 33, is still racing.

To reach this mark, a rider would have to avoid serious injury and make every main for more than 12 years. Most riders today can't physically or mentally take

the abuse week after week, year after year.

A week later at St. Louis. LaRocco was recognized for his achievement. Flanked by family, friends and sponsors, LaRocco stood on a podium in the middle of the track where he was presented with several gifts.

Included in the ceremony was AMSOIL, which along with the team's title sponsors Honda and Factory Connection, presented



LaRocco will get a lift from this CAT

#### skid steer presented by AMSOIL.

LaRocco with a Caterpillar Skid Steer. It's what you give a guy who has everything including his own practice tracks. A stunned LaRocco thanked AMSOIL, his sponsors and all the fans for their support. AMSOIL has been a proud sponsor since 1998.

LaRocco went on to make his 201st final

#### The Legend Grows: LaRocco by the Numbers

10 - Total Wins

74 - Total Podiums

128 - Top Five Finishes

174 - Top Ten Finishes

1989 - First 250cc Supercross Start

1991 - First 250cc Supercross Win

Noteworthy: LaRocco is the only rider to compete in three decades and have podium finishes on four different bike brands.

(Through April 2, 2004)

#### his own family (shown with wife Beth and son Ryder) and his extended racing family including AMSOIL.

LaRocco has support from two families,

### Encore, Encore...

So what does Mike LaRocco do as an encore to his career accomplishments? He adds another achievement. A win.

LaRocco went to Indianapolis to race for his fellow Hoosiers. The goal is always

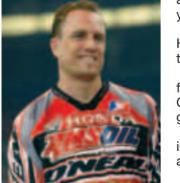
to win, but winning comes harder as you get older and the competitors become faster and vounger. But vou can't discount wisdom.

LaRocco is known as a slow starter from the gate. His trademark is his dogged determination to get to the front after beginning back in the pack.

With 50,000 people on their feet, LaRocco leapt from the start on his AMSOIL/ Chaparral/ Factory Connection Honda and never looked back. He grabbed the holeshot and was gone.

The crowd was deafening. The AMSOIL bike was in front. Like a wave, fans roared with admiration and appreciation as LaRocco made lap after lap.

The sound never diminished and "The Rock" never slowed up. LaRocco called the win, "... up there with the greatest moments ... " of his illustrious career.



Who says LaRocco never smiles?



Mike LaRocco wins the Indianapolis Supercross in front of his hometown fans.



#### T-1 CERTIFICATION **MEETINGS**

#### **UTAH**

• May - Every Friday • June - Every Friday Meeting - after 4 p.m. GREENE RESIDENCE 11653 S. Patchwork Circle South Jordan, UT 84095 Hosted by Dealer Dorsey Greene (801) 253-2701 Pre-paid registration required

#### AMSOIL DEALER MEETINGS

#### **ALABAMA**

• May 20 - Thursday • June 17 - Thursday Meeting - 7 p.m. STANLEO'S SUB VILLA Governor's Drive Huntsville, AL Hosted by Direct Jobbers Cliff Goehring & Gerry Gotvald (256) 337-0376

• May 20 - Thursday • June 17 - Thursday Meeting - 7 p.m. BOWMAN RESIDENCE 1330 Frank Marshall Rd. Ozark, AL 36360 Hosted by Direct Jobbers E. E. "AI" & Mildred Bowman (334) 774-3344

ALASKA

• May 20 - Thursday
• June 17 - Thursday
Meeting - 7 p.m.
PHILLIPS INTERNATIONAL INN 5121 Arctic Blvd. Anchorage, AK 99507 Hosted by Dealer Don Nusbaum (907) 563-2274 Call for reservations

• May 4, 18 - Tuesday • June 1, 15 - Tuesday Meeting - 7 p.m. STATEN RESIDENCE 2949 Sunflower Street Anchorage, AK 99508 Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobber Melda Staten (907) 333-0124 Call for reservations

#### **ARIZONA**

• May 18 - Tuesday • June 15 - Tuesday Optional no-host dinner - 5:30 p.m. Meeting - 6:30 p.m. FIREHOUSE RESTAURANT 1639 E. Apache Boulevard Tempe, AZ 85281 Hosted by Executive Direct Jobber Dick Nudo and Dealer Jim Brewer RSVP (602) 996-7181 Dick (480) 968-4922 Jim

#### ARKANSAS • May 12 - 22

• May 13 - Thursday • June 10 - Thursday Meeting - 6:30 p.m. GARDNER RESIDENCE 280 York Chapel Road Nashville, AR 71852 Hosted by Dealer Jerry Gardner (870) 451-9152 jgard24@iocc.com

• May 12 - Wednesday • June 9 - Wednesday Meeting - 7 p.m. PASTERNIAK RESIDENCE 217 CR 472 217 CR 472 Jonesboro, AR 72404 Hosted by Direct Jobbers David and Brenda Pasterniak (870) 933-8376

#### **CALIFORNIA**

May - Every Thursday June - Every Thursday STRAWBERRY VILLAGE SHOPPING CENTER Mill Valley, CA Hosted by Dealer Doug Storms 800-793-5301

• May 5 - Wednesday • June 2 - Wednesday Meeting - 7 p.m. MCCOOL RESIDENCE 2210 Codding Drive Modesto, CA 95350 Hosted by Direct Dealer Bill McCool (209) 577-0174

• May 25 - Tuesday • June 22 - Tuesday Meeting - 7 p.m. EVANS RESIDENCE 40728 Sundale Drive Fremont, CA 94538 Hosted by Direct Jobbers Chuck and Linda Evans (510) 659-4078

• May 11 - Tuesday • June 8 - Tuesday Meeting - 6:30 p.m. DENNY'S RESTAURANT 740 W. 2nd St. San Bernardino, CA 94401 Hosted by Dealers Richard and Delores Nichol (909) 862-1252

• May 4 - Tuesday • June 1 - Tuesday Meeting - 7 p.m. CARROW'S RESTAURANT 19011 Bloomfield Avenue Cerritos, CA Dealer Dave Gumpertz (562) 212-3709 Dave@Lubes4U.com

• May 18 - Tuesday • June 15 - Tuesday Meeting - 7 p.m. Downline and Guests FREE, Out of line - \$5 LUDWICK RESIDENCE 6015 Hughes Street San Diego, CA 92115 Hosted by Direct Dealer Craig Ludwick R.S.V.P. (619) 583-5218

#### **COLORADO**

May 20 - Thursday
June 17 - Thursday
Meeting - 7:30 p.m. AMSÖIL HÖUSE 4316 Ridgecrest Drive Colorado Springs, CO 80918 Hosted by Executive Direct Jobber Ida Gray (719) 598-5115

#### CONNECTICUT

None Scheduled

#### **DELAWARE**

 May 8 - Saturday
 June 12 - Saturday
 Meetings at Noon
 Call for reservations **BLUE DIAMOND PARK** 765 Hamburg Road New Castle, DE 19720 Hosted by Direct Dealer Greg King (302) 345-4350 Guests Welcome

#### DISTRICT OF **COLUMBIA** None Scheduled

#### **FLORIDA**

• May 4 - Tuesday • June 1 - Tuesday Meeting - 7 p.m. Call in advance DOUGLAS RESIDENCE 3207 Margaret Oaks Lane Orlando, FL 32806 Hosted by Regency Platinum Direct Jobbers George & Shirley Douglas (407) 856-1564 Call ahead for details, directions and RSVP

• May 4 - Tuesday • June 1 - Tuesday Dinner/Social - 6 p.m. order from menu Meeting - 7 p.m. SAFFRON'S RESTAURANT SAFRON'S RESTAURANT 1700 Park Street North St. Petersburg, FL, 33710 Hosted by Executive Direct Jobbers John and Skirley Alquist (227) 545-8547 alquistproducts@hotmail.com www.tell-it-well.com All are welcome. Emphasis on doing AMSOIL as a business.

#### **GEORGIA**

• May 6 - Thursday • June 3 - Thursday Meeting - 7 p.m.
DIRKSEN RESIDENCE 1905 Queens Road Albany, GA 31707 Hosted by Master Direct Jobber Sherry Dirksen (229) 436-5532 Potluck, everyone brings a dish

#### **HAWAII**

None Scheduled

#### **IDAHO**

• May 1 - Saturday • June 5 - Saturday Meeting - 12 - 3 p.m. SCHELL RESIDENCE 2000 W. Broadway Idaho Falls, ID Hosted by \*\*Regency Platinum Direct Jobbers Mark & Sherree Schell Reservations: (208) 524-0322 RSVP

• May 12 - Wednesday • June 9 - Wednesday Meeting - 7:30-9:30 p.m. MCGUFFEY RESIDENCE 23446 Freezeout Road Caldwell, ID, 83605 Hosted by Executive Direct Jobbers Charles and Connie McGuffey RSVP: (208) 455-2581

• May 11 - Tuesday
• June 8 - Tuesday
Meeting - 7:30 p.m.
BAUER RESIDENCE 111 Woodland Trail Anna, IL 62906-3904 Hosted by Direct Dealers Norm and Barb Bauer (618) 833-3228

• May 15 - Saturday • June 19 - Saturday Meeting - 10 a.m. LINDLAND SALES OFFICE 1421 Winnemac Avenue Unit I Chicago, IL 60640 Hosted by Direct Jobbers Rienert and Diana Lindland RSVP (773) 271-5678

INDIANA

• May 5, 19 - Wednesday
• June 2, 16 - Wednesday
Meeting - 7:30 p.m.
RENTOWN SHOP 1533 Rentown Rd. Hosted by Direct Jobbers
LeRoy and Malinda Hochstetler and
Direct Jobbers Willis and
Rolene Gingerich (219) 831-2839

#### **IOWA**

• May 4 - Tuesday • June 1S - Tuesday Meeting - 7 p.m. SORTER RESIDENCE 2629 340th Avenue Terril, Iowa 51364 Hosted by Dealers David and Melissa Sorter (712) 853-6293

#### **KANSAS**

• May 6 - Thursday • June 3 - Thursday Meeting - 6:30 - 8 p.m WICHITA PRODUCT **CENTER** 3800 West 29TH St. South, Sto. 5 Wichita, KS 67217 Hosted by Regency Gold Direct Jobbers Tom and Sheila Shalin (316)-733-0002

#### **KENTUCKY**

May 6 - Thursday June 3 - Thursday \*June 3 - Inursuay Meeting 7:30 p.m. Hosted by Premier Direct Jobbers Al and Ann Kelty (859) 879-0728 or e-mail: bestoil@alltel.net Call for location, directions and RSVP

#### **LOUISIANA**

• May 4 - Tuesday • June 1 - Tuesday Meeting - 6 p.m. AUTTONBERRY RESIDENCE 2520 Swiss Street W. Monroe, LA 71291 Hosted by Dealer Ellis Auttonberry (318) 396-4348

#### MAINE

None Scheduled

#### MARYLAND

 May 26 - Wednesday
 June 23 - Wednesday
 Meeting - 7 p.m. HYNES RESIDENCE 291 Chestnut Springs Road Chesapeake City, MD 21915 Hosted by Dealer William Hynes (302) 540-2525 or 877-885-3111

• May 21 - Friday • June 18 - Friday Meeting - 7:30 p.m. Downline and Guests FREE, Out of line - \$5 MARTIN RESIDENCE 3994 Trace Hollow Run Salisbury, MD 21801 Hosted by Master Direct Jobbers Les & Linda Martin (410) 548-LUBE

• May 21 - Friday • June 18 - Friday Meeting - 7 p.m. GRONER RESIDENCE 9208 Todd Avenue Fort Howard, MD 21052 Hosted by Account Direct Harvey Groner (410) 477-8255

• May 6 - Thursday • June 3 - Thursday Meeting - 7 p.m. DEACOSTA RESIDENCE H942 S. Upper Ferry Road Eden, MD 21822 Hosted by Dealers Chris & Barb DeAcosta (410) 742-0637 Reservations Required

• May 21 - Friday • June 18 - Friday Meeting - 7:30 p.m. AL SMITH AUTOMOTIVE AL SWITTI ACTOMICTIVE 3228 E Joppa Road Baltimore, MD 21234 Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobber Al Smith (410) 882-9696 Al@SynLubes.com Reservations Required

#### **MASSACHUSETTS**

None Scheduled

#### **MICHIGAN**

• May 19 - Wednesday
• June 16 - Wednesday
Meeting - 7 p.m. (Opportunity)
Meeting - 7:30 p.m. (Dealer training)
MUGRIDGE RESIDENCE 6640 State Road Lakeport, MI 48059 Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobbers Barry and Cathy Mugridge (877) 446-2671 Call for information and scheduling or visit the web at www.pro-oil-1.com

• May 17 - Monday • June 21 - Monday Meeting - 7 p.m. (info) Meeting - 8 p.m. (opportur KIRBY RESIDENCE ortunity) NAME I RESIDENCE
644 Shady Maple Drive
Wixom, MI 48393
Hosted by Regency Platinum Direct
Jobber Tom Kirby (248) 669-9093
Refreshments served, RSVP Required

• May 3 - Monday • June 7 - Monday Meeting - 7 p.m. (info) Meeting - 8 p.m. (opportunity) ELLIS RESIDENCE 61653 Miriam Drive Washington, MI 48094 Hosted by Regency Gold Direct Jobber Mike Ellis RSVP at (810) 781-5092 or (810) 918-1578

• May 3 - Monday • June 7 - Monday Meeting - 7 p.m. (info) Meeting - 8 p.m. (opportunity) RABE RESIDENCE 9338 Rawsonville Road Belleville, MI 48111 Hosted by Dealer Dale Rabe RSVP at (734) 461-9577 or 355-9747

#### **MINNESOTA**

• May 20 - Thursday • June 17 - Thursday Meeting - 7 p.m. SCHMIT RESIDENCE 932 38th Ave. No. St. Cloud, MN 56301 Hosted by \*\*\*\*Regency Platinum Direct Jobbers Ray & Arlene Schmit (320) 251-4861

• May 20 - Thursday • June 17 - Thursday Meeting 7 p.m. MEYER RESIDENCE 800 2nd Street Cleveland, MN 56017 Hosted by Executive Direct Jobbers Charles & Donna Meyer (507) 931-3875

• May 13 - Thursday • June 10 - Thursday Meeting - 7:30 p.m. STAVE RESIDENCE 44 Crow River Drive Elk River, MN 55330 Hosted by Dealer Ordell Stave (612) 241-5267

#### MISSISSIPPI

None Scheduled

#### **MISSOURI**

• May 25 - Tuesday • June 22 - Tuesday Meeting - 7p.m. Meeting - 7p.m.
REPUBLIC PARKS AND
RECREATION ACTIVITIES CENTER 711 East Miller Road

Republic, MO
Hosted by Dealer Jim Barnes
Call for directions.
(417) 732-2553

May 11 - Tuesday
• June 15 - Tuesday
Meeting - 7p.m.
LUCZAK RESIDENCE 4810 Mattis Street St. Louis, MO 63128 Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobbers Connie and John Luczak (314) 892-6018 (417) 732-2553

#### MONTANA NEBRASKA None Scheduled

#### **NEVADA**

• May 13 - Thursday • June 10 - Thursday Meeting - 6:30 - 8 p.m. AMSOIL PRODUCT CENTER 4545 N. Lamb Blvd., Suite. D Las Vegas, NV Hosted by Executive Direct Jobber Bob Kaytes and Regency Platinum Direct Jobber Shirley Green (702) 362-4492

#### NEW HAMPSHIRE

None Scheduled

#### **NEW JERSEY**

• May 11, 25 - Tuesday • June 8, 22 - Tuesday Meeting - 7 p.m. SEDA-MORALES RESIDENCE SEIDA-MORALES RESIDENCE 54 Woodland Ave. Mullica Hill, New Jersey 08062 Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobber Ben Seda-Morales (856) 478-6732, cell; (856) 371-1880, home. Please RSV.

NEW MEXICO

• May 18 - Tuesday
• June 22 - Tuesday
Meeting - 7:30 p.m.
GREENBERG WAREHOUSE 2415 Princeton Drive NE, Suite C Sutte C Albuquerque, NM 87107 Hosted by Regency Direct Jobbers Paul and Naincy Greenberg (505) 881-1693 warehouse; (595) 255-2137, home fax (505) 232-8330 NMOilman@aol.com

- NEW YORK

   May 19 Wednesday

   June 16 Wednesday
  Meeting 7 p.m. O'BRIEN RESIDENCE 436 Mosely Road Fairport, NY 14450 Hosted by Dealer Gerry O'Brien (716) 223-8016 Call ahead to reserve a seat
- May 4 Tuesday June 1 Tuesday Meeting 7 p.m. LOTITO RESIDENCE 89 Owl Creek Road 89 UWI CIECK NOAU
  Spencer, NY 14883
  Hosted by Regency Direct Jobber
  Peter Lotito
  (607) 589-4148
  Call ahead to reserve space and
  confirm location or
  e-mail lubedealerny@aol.com
- May 13 Thursday June 10 Thursday Meeting 7:30 p.m. fRITTITTA RESIDENCE 16 LaForge Avenue Staten Island, NY 10302 Hosted by Direct Jobbers Vinny and Germaine Frittitta (718) 442-4774
- May 19 Wednesday June 16 Wednesday Meeting 7:30 p.m. Syracuse AREA Call ahead for specific location Hosted by Direct Jobber Peter Finnerty (315) 682-9791
- May 19 Wednesday June 16 Wednesday Meeting 7:30 p.m. NEWARK, NY LOCATIÓN Call ahead for location Hosted by Dealer Brad Timerson (315) 331-7110

- NORTH CAROLINA

   May 13 Thursday

   June 10 Thursday
  Meeting 7 p.m.
  KAZAN RESIDENCE 9200 Lake Wheeler Road Fuquay-Varina, NC 27526 Hosted by Account Directs Eric & Donna Kazan (919) 772-9569 Guests welcome Non-downline \$2.00
- May 13 Thursday June 10 Thursday Meeting 7:30 p.m. MALLONEE RESIDENCE 3009 5th Street NW Hickory, NC 28601 Hosted by Account Direct Larry Mallonee and Dealer Jack Hoskins (828) 327-3655 All Dealers welcome.
- May 13 Thursday June 10 Thursday Meeting 7 p.m. BURNELL RESIDENCE 9424 Springdale Drive Raleigh, NC 27613 Hosted by Executive Direct Jobbers Chuck and Judi Burnell (919) 870-9633 Call first
- May 11 Tuesday June 8 Tuesday Meeting - 7 p.m.
  CLEVELAND RESIDENCE 224 Campbell Place Jacksonville, NC 28546 Hosted by Dealers George & Nancy Cleveland (910) 346-3866 Call first - All Dealers welcome

#### **NORTH DAKOTA**

• May 4 - Tuesday • June 1 - Tuesday Meeting - 7:30 p.m. EVANSON RESIDENCE 725 10th Ave. W. West Fargo, ND 58078 Hosted by Direct Jobbers Skip and Anna Evanson (701) 281-1906 skipsuperlube@msn.com

#### OHIO

May - Every Wednesday
 June - Every Wednesday
Meeting - 6 p.m. (training)
Meeting - 8 p.m. (opportunity)

- FABIJANIC RESIDENCE 561 Loomis Avenue Cuyahoga Fall, OH 44221 Hosted by Dealers Paul & Coralle Fabijanic (216) 928-8863 or 800-874-4827 RSVP
- May 2 Sunday June 6 Sunday Meeting 1 p.m. MERRITT RESIDENCE MERRITT RESIDENCE 650 State Route 131 Fayetteville, OH 45118 Hosted by Dealers Gordon and Sara Merritt (937) 288-2568
- May 8 Saturday June 12 Saturday Meeting 1 4 p.m. BREDA RESIDENCE 850 Remsen Road Medina, OH 44256 Hosted by Dealer Dennis Breda (330) 239-3146
- May 24 Monday June 28 Monday Meeting 11 a.m. PENA RESIDENCE 2933 West U.S. 20 Gibsonburg, OH 43431 Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobbers Luis and Sharon Pena Please RSVP to: (419) 349-3451 or (419) 297-3451

#### **OKLAHOMA**

- May 1 Saturday June 5 Saturday Meeting 9 11 a.m. GOLDEN CORRAL 9711 E. 71 Street Tulsa, OK Hosted by Regency Gold Direct Jobber Patrick Grady (918) 258-6979 \*Pat
- May 13 Thursday June 10 Thursday Meeting 7 8:30 p.m. Please call for location and reservations for you and Your guests. Hosted by Dealers Richard and Brenda Coats (918) 225-5722
- May 13 Thursday June 10 Thursday Meeting 7 8:30 p.m. GOLDIE'S 2005 E. 21st Street Tulsa, OK 74114
  Hosted by Direct Jobber
  Kevin Alexander (918) 342-9537
  Call first to confirm space for you
  and your guests
- May 13- Thursday June 10 Thursday Meeting 10 a.m. GRADY RESIDENCE 2612 W. Galveston Road 2012 W. Galvestoli Rodu Broken Arrow, OK 74012 Hosted by Regency Gold Direct Jobber Patrick Grady and Direct Jobber Kevin Alexander (918) 288-6979 SVV kevina@nordam.com

#### **OREGON**

- OREGON

   May 20 Thursday
   June 17 Thursday
  optional Dinner 6 p.m.
  Meeting 7 9 p.m.
  SWEETBRIER INN
  7125 SW Nyberg Road
  Tualatin, OR 97062
  Hosted by Master Direct Jobber
  Ed Greenwood (800) 722-1092
  Call first to confirm space for you
  and your guests
- May 6 Thursday June 3 Thursday Meeting 7 p.m. HOFFMAN RESIDENCE 7025 SE 22nd Avenue Portland, OR 97202 Hosted by Dealer Dan Hoffman (503) 236-2579 All are welcome

**PENNSYLVANIA** • May 17 - Monday • June 21 - Monday Meeting - 7 p.m. HALLOCK ENTERPRISE STORE 5 Main Street Bradford, PA Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobber Joseph M. Hallock (814) 368-8625 T-1 training also available.

#### RHODE ISLAND

None Scheduled

#### SOUTH CAROLINA

- May Every Tuesday June Every Tuesday Meeting 7:30 p.m. GEORGE KERR and ASSOCIATES Northgate Building 5861 Rivers Avenue, Suite 107 N. Charleston, SC 29406 Hosted by Dealer George Kerr (843) 747-8200
- May Variable Meetings June Variable Meetings Call for meeting time, date SPRADLEY RESIDENCE 117 Winston Circle Pelion, SC 29123 Hosted by Direct Jobbers Jim & Vicki Spradley (803) 894-4618
- May First Tuesday June First Tuesday Meeting 7 p.m. DENNY'S RESTAURANT 2521 Wade Hampton Boulevard Greenville, SC 29615 Hosted by Direct Jobber Loel D. Handley R.S.V.P (864) 989-0753 amsoildealerloel@aol.com

#### SOUTH DAKOTA

None Scheduled

#### **TENNESSEE**

• May 18 - Tuesday • June 15 - Tuesday Meeting 7 p.m. (info) 8 p.m. (opportunity) DW WILSON CENTER Tullahona, TN Hosted by Dealer Nelson Gill (931) 393-2601

#### **TEXAS**

• May 18 - Tuesday • June 15 - Tuesday Meeting - 7 p.m. Meeting - 7 p.m. WARD RESIDENCE WARD RESIDENCE
310 S. Grove Road
Richardson, TX 75081
Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobbers
Ronald & Sandra Ward
(972) 231-0773
e-mail: oilmandj@comcast.com

#### UTAH

- May Every Tuesday June Every Tuesday Meeting 7:30 p.m. CHRISTENSEN RESIDENCE STAGE RESIDENCES RESIDENCES SANDY UT 84070
  Hosted by Master Direct Jobber Rodney Haskins and Dealer Doug Blackhurst (801) 942-3881/(801) 942-8641
- May Every Friday June Every Friday Meeting After 4 p.m. GREENE RESIDENCE 11653 S. Patchwork Circle South Jordan, UT 84095 Hosted by Dealer Dorsey Greene (801) 253-2701 T-1 Certification classes every Friday, pre-paid registration required Everyone welcome; RSVP

#### VERMONT

None Scheduled

#### **VIRGINIA**

• May - First Tuesday Introduction to AMSOIL, History, Demonstrations, Products - June - First Tuesday Introduction to AMSOIL, History, Demonstrations, Products Meeting 7 p.m. REID RESIDENCE REID RESIDENCE.
14600 Cornwall Lane
Chester, VA 23836
Hosted by Regency Platinum Direct
Jobbers Gerry & Patricia Reid and
Executive Direct Jobbers
David and Rebecca Reid
Please call (804) 530-1400 to reserve
space; (804) 530-0179 Fax
synthoils@comcast.net

• May 3 -Monday • June 7 -Monday Meeting - 7 p.m.

ISRA-UL TRAINING MEETINGS P.O. Box 2734

F.O. BOX 2/34 Chesterfield, VA 23832 Hosted by Dealers M. and S. Isra-Ul Call in advance to RSVP, and get directions. Limited seating available. (804) 640-3402

- May 10, 24 -Monday June 14, 28 -Monday Meeting 7:30 p.m. STANCIL RESIDENCE 240 N. Oceana Boulevard Virginia Beach, VA 23454 Hosted by Regency Direct Jobbers Bill & Barbara Stancil (804) 428-6049
- May 10 Monday June 14 Monday Meeting 7 p.m. GRAVITTE RESIDENCE 1042 Merganser Circle Gloucester, VA Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobbers Cliff & Dee Gravitte (804) 694-0221
- May 4 Tuesday June 1 Tuesday Meeting 7:30 p.m. PESZKO RESIDENCE 152RO RESIDENCE 4503 Southampton Arch Portsmouth, VA 23703 Hosted by Regency Silver Direct Jobbers Raymond & Karen Peszko (757) 484-9491
- May 11 Tuesday June 8 Tuesday Optional dinmer 6 p.m. Meeting 7 p.m. DAYS INN RESTAURANT 5500 Williamsburg Road Sandston, VA Hosted by Account Directs Roger Rigele and Mel Pipgras (804) 737-4874 or (804) 737-9231

#### WASHINGTON

- May 17 Monday June 21 Monday Meeting 6:30 p.m GASPER'S LUBE SERVICE CENTER & WAREHOUSE CENTER & WAREHOUSE 3325 Meridian Avenue East Edgewood, WA 98371 Hosted by Master Direct Jobbers Cliff and Lorna Gasper (253) 864-7618, or (877) 633-7618 Everyone Welcome
- May 11 Tuesday June 8 Tuesday Meeting 7:30 p.m. STOUGARD RESIDENCE 22907 Prairie Road Sedro Woolley, WA 98284 Hosted by Executive Direct Jobbers Mary & Charlotte Stougard (360) 856-1641 Guests Welcome
- May 13 Thursday June 10 Thursday Meeting 7 p.m. WALSH RESIDENCE WALSH RESIDENCE 2220 South Castle Way Lynnwood, WA 98036 Hosted by Master Direct Jobbers Tom and Shirley Walsh (425) 483-2582 T-1 certification classes available by appointment with pre-paid registration.
- May 13 Thursday June 10 Thursday Meeting 7 p.m. POODLE DOG RESTAURANT 1522 54th Avenue East Fife, WA 98424 Hosted by \*Regency Platinum Direct Jobbers Leonard & Eunice Pearson (253) 939-8401 Guests Welcome!
- May 11 Tuesday June 8 Tuesday Meeting 7 p.m. PRUKOP RESIDENCE 10306 86th Avenue East Puyallup, WA 98373 Hosted by Direct Jobbers Raymond & Patsy Prukop (223) 845-9755 / 800-267-6450 Everyone Welcome!
- May 8 Saturday June 12 Saturday Meeting 9 a.m. noon AMSOIL (SYNLUBE) STORE AMJOH (1914) 310 Ave. Spokane, WA 99205 Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobber Jack Whitehill and Training Dealer Tom Bennett (509) 324-3588 Everyone Welcome. No charge

• May 25 - Tuesday • June 22 - Tuesday Meeting - 7:30 p.m. SAMUELSON RESIDENCE SAMUELSON RESIDENCE 610 E. 20th Street Vancouver, WA 98663 Hosted by Direct Jobber Sammy Samuelson (360) 699-3257 1-UP3-5W30-0II (1-877-593-0645) Discussion on product application and oil analysis All are welcome! Please RSVP

#### WEST VIRGINIA

None Scheduled

#### WISCONSIN

- May 20 Thursday June 17 Thursday Meeting 7:30 p.m. SEL-AMSOIL Academy 1201 Clough Avenue Superior, WI 54880 Hosted by \*\*\*\*\*Regency Platinum Direct folbers Bill & Donna Durand Refreshments Served (715) 392-4006 Guests Welcome
- May 13 Thursday June 10 Thursday Meeting 7 p.m. MITMOEN SERVICE GARAGE GARAGE 6017 65th Street Kenosha, WI 53142 Hosted by Executive Direct Jobbers Victor and Lynn Mitmoen (262) 652-3399
- May 6 Thursday June 3 Thursday Meeting - 7 p.m. PABST RESIDENCE 650 Larcom Street Hammond, WI 54015 Hosted by Regency Direct Jobber Lynn Pabst (715) 796-5441 Guests welcome.

#### WYOMING

None Scheduled

#### INTERNATIONAL

#### ALBERTA BRITISH COLUMBIA MANITOBA

None Scheduled

#### **NEW BRUNSWICK**

• May 17 - Monday • June 21 - Monday Meeting - 7:30 p.m McLÅUGHLIN RESIDENCE 9 Pinder Road 9 FINGER ROAD Riverview, NB E1B 3Z2 Hosted by Direct Jobber Wayne McLaughlin and Dealer Wendell Steeves (506) 386-2896/(506) 387-3197 Everyone Welcome

#### NEWFOUNDLAND NOVA SCOTIA None Scheduled

#### **ONTARIO**

• May 27 - Thursday • June 24 - Thursday Meeting - 6 - 8 p.m. AMSOIL DISTRIBUTION CENTER 6625 Tomken Road Units 12-14 Mississauga, ON L5T-2C2 Hosted by Premiere Direct Jobber Rob Hilditch and local Dealers (905) 564-7770

#### PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND PUERTO RICO **QUEBEC** SASKATCHEWAN NEW ZEALAND None Scheduled



#### **NEW AMSOIL PAO CAP**

New blue and white six-panel AMSOIL PAO Cap boasts embroidered AMSOIL logo on the front and "Genuine PAO Formulated Synthetic" badge on the visor. Velcro closure for the perfect fit.

Stock #	U.S.	Can
G-1984	12.00	19.25



#### **NEW AMSOIL LICENSE PLATE FRAME**

New durable steel AMSOIL license plate frame is a great advertisement for your business. Includes four holes for attachment.

Stock #	U.S.	Can
G-1970	6.00	9.65



#### **NEW AMSOIL REVERSIBLE SCREWDRIVER**

New AMSOIL Reversible Screwdriver is a handy tool for chores around the house and is a great promotional giveaway. Features both flat head and Phillips head on the same screwdriver. To change heads, simply pull metal piece out and flip.



#### **COLUMBUS PHONE AND FAX**

The phone number for the new distribution center in Columbus, Ohio is 614-274-9851. The fax number is 614-274-9852.

#### **AMSOIL CONTENDER JACKET**

The lightweight AMSOIL Contender Jacket is ideal for spring weather. Constructed from a soft micro-sanded water resistant twill fabric with mesh lining. Features a

full zippered front with wind flap panel, slash pockets and secure inside zippered pocket. Includes embroidered AMSOIL logo showcased on the left chest, elastic waistband, adjustable wrist snaps and back loop with a reflective "contender" patch. Sizes S-XXL.

Stock #	Title	U.S.	Can
G-1856	S	55.00	89.00
G-1857	M	55.00	89.00
G-1858	L	55.00	89.00
G-1859	XL	55.00	89.00
G-1860	XXL	55.00	89.00



#### **SDF-20 FILTER RECOMMENDATIONS**

Reports indicate that the engine oil systems of certain Mitsubishi applications may produce abnormally high oil pressure, exceeding the structural capacity of standard spin-on oil filters, including the AMSOIL SDF-20. Improper operation of the pressure-regulating valve in the engine causes the high oil pressure, resulting in over-pressurization of the lubricating system and damage to the oil filter.

AMSOIL has decided to withdraw recommendation of the SDF-20 in place of the Mitsubishi part number MZ690116 oil filter. The AMSOIL SDF-20 continues to be the recommended filter for many other applications not associated with this problem.

#### Affected Mitsubishi Models

Year	Model	Engine
2001-03	Montero Sport	V6-213 (3.5 L) SFI 24 Valve
2001-03	Montero Sport	V6-181 (3.0 L) SFI 24 Valve
2001-02	Montero	V6-213 (3.5 L) MFI 14 Valve
1999-00	Montero Sport	V6-213 (3.5 L) SFI or MFI
1997-00	Montero	V6-213 (3.5 L) MFI
1994-96	Montero	V6-214 (3.5 L) MFI

#### **MAY CLOSE OUT**

The last day to process May orders in the U.S. and Canada is the close of business on Friday, May 28. The last day to process May orders in Alaska, Puerto Rico and New Zealand is the close of business on Tuesday, May 25. Volume transfers for May business will be accepted until 3 p.m. CDT on Friday, June 4.

#### **HOLIDAY CLOSINGS**

The Edmonton and Toronto distribution centers will be closed Monday, May 17 for Victoria Day. The AMSOIL corporate headquarters and U.S. distribution centers will be closed Monday, May 31 for Memorial Day.

#### **POLICY CHANGES**

#### Marketing Plan "Policies" (G-47A)

Part II: Your AMSOIL Dealership

Section D: Dealer Status

4. (addition) No Dealer shall register an individual as an AMSOI Dealer, Preferred Customer, account or catalog customer without the individual's knowledge and consent

Purpose: To preserve the integrity of the AMSOIL image and avoid alienating individuals and organizations who may, in the future, become AMSOIL Dealers, Preferred Customers, catalog customers or accounts.

Part III: Your Promotional Activities

Section C: Advertising

4. (revision) Dealer pricing is not restricted. Use of the AMSOIL name in national promotions is restricted. No Dealer shall promote or advertise AMSOIL products, Dealership opportunities or Preferred Customer memberships, if prices are stated, in any national medium, including broadcast, print and electronic formats.

Purpose: To ensure a level playing field among all Dealers regardless of business volume or discount levels.

5. (addition) AMSOIL Dealers may only make presentations to audiences of more than 50 individuals if approved in writing by AMSOIL INC. Requests must be submitted in writing at least 30 days prior to the presentation date and must contain a copy of the proposed presentation material, as well as details regarding time, location and nature of the audience. AMSOIL INC. reserves the right to approve or deny presentations, require changes or provide corporate assistance developing, editing or presenting materials. AMSOIL Dealers making presentations to fewer than 50 individuals may only present information that has been published by AMSOIL INC. All Dealers making presentations must identify themselves as independent Dealers, Account Directs, Direct Dealers or Direct Jobbers.

Purpose: To prevent the dissemination of inaccurate information which can compromise the integrity of AMSOIL INC, AMSOIL products and AMSOIL Dealers.

6. (addition) Articles, letters or editorial comment which are created by Dealers and include the

AMSOIL registered trade name must be approved by AMSOIL INC. prior to submission to publications or posting in electronic format. All submissions for publication or posting in electronic format which are created by Dealers and include the AMSOIL registered trade name must also include the independent Dealer, Account Direct, Direct Dealer or Direct Jobber identifier.

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### Commercial and Retail Marketing Procedures (G-1097)

Paragraph 5

Addition to Retail On-the-Shelf Account definition

AMSOIL reserves the right to accept or reject account applications and to terminate accounts that do not meet account qualifications or are considered not in the best interest of AMSOIL INC. and the multi-level marketing opportunity.

Purpose: Protect the multi-level marketing opportunity.

#### **Regulation section**

(addition) AMSOIL Dealers are not authorized to enter into agreements that commit AMSOIL INC. or other AMSOIL Dealers to any obligations beyond those specifically laid out in the AMSOIL Marketing Plan, Commercial and Retail Marketing Procedures, price lists and how-to manuals and other AMSOIL publications without written authorization from AMSOIL INC. AMSOIL reserves the right to approve, modify, negotiate or deny requests for special assistance and to modify commissions and commission credits accordingly.

Purpose: Allows AMSOIL INC. to consider requests for special services that may open new opportunities for AMSOIL Dealers.

(addition) Exceptions to protected status policy will be considered for organizations with multiple locations, outlets or departments. AMSOIL INC. reserves the right to determine exceptions and may determine Servicing Dealer status, responsibilities and compensation.

Purpose: To ensure fairness among AMSOIL Dealers and to provide optional service and arrangements to accounts with special requirements.



European automakers generally recommend 5W-40 viscosity oils in their vehicles to ensure maximum protection in all operating conditions. New AMSOIL Synthetic 5W-40 European Engine Oil (AFL) is specially formulated for the lubrication needs of European gasoline and diesel cars and light trucks. It is blended with advanced AMSOIL synthetic base stocks, premium additives and a broad 5W-40 viscosity rating, allowing motorists to take advantage of the maximum extended drain intervals recommended by European automakers while providing ultimate protection and performance.

- Formulated for turbocharged and nonturbocharged gasoline and diesel engines
- Provides all season protection and performance
- Provides unsurpassed wear protection
- Effectively improves fuel efficiency
- Recommended for manufacturers' maximum extended drain intervals
- For use in Saab, Audi, Volkswagen, Mercedes-Benz, Volvo, Land Rover, Opel, Mini Cooper, BMW, Peugeot, and Porsche vehicles and any others that call for a 5W-40 oil

Stock #	Pkg./Size	Wt. Lbs.	Comm Credits	U.S. Dir./P.C.	U.S. Sugg. Retail	CAN Dir./P.C.	CAN Sugg. Retail
AFL-QT	(1) quart bottle	2.1	3.40	4.80	6.30	7.70	9.85
AFL-01	(12) quart bottles	24.8	40.80	54.60	74.40	88.20	117.00
AFL-30	30-gallon drum	244.1	295.00	491.00	595.00	794.00	953.00
AFL-55	55-gallon drum	437.9	465.00	845.00	1005.00	1367.00	1600.00

#### To order AMSOIL products call 1-800-777-7094



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