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The BUZZ from BEEson

This issue is geared to resolve some of your reservations about problems with your air conditioner or heat pump. There is a ton of information related to summerspecific issues.

Recipe: "Simple Summer Smoothie"

- 1 banana
- 1 cup frozen strawberries
- 1 cup frozen blueberries
- 1 cup frozen cherries
- 4 ice cubes
- 1/2 cup orange juice
- 3/4 cup vanilla yogurt
- 1/2 teaspoon honey (optional)



- Place the banana, strawberries, blueberries, cherries, and ice cubes into a blender.
- 2. Pour in the orange juice, vanilla yogurt, and honey.
- 3. Puree until smooth.

(This recipe may be found at http://allrecipes.com/Recipe/Simple-Summer-Smoothie/Detail.aspx?src=rss.)

*If you have a recipe you'd like to share, please mail or email it to us at the information on the back of this page. A coupon will be sent to you shortly after.

Refriger-what???

Freon, Puron, R-22, R410A, R404A...there's so many types of refrigerants and names for them. There's been quite a bit of talk lately about a "shortage" of refrigerant and that we should stock up. A few issues ago, I explained the government's "phasing out" of refrigerant and that time is quickly approaching. Getting in a panic doesn't help the situation, so let's just make sense of it. Refrigerant, in general, is not going to be gone. The refrigerant R-22 (or Freon) will no longer be made in new equipment come 2010. Yes, that's the refrigerant that's in most systems, unless installed in the past 2 or 3 years. However, the manufacturers of refrigerant have known for years that this time was coming and have planned accordingly. They have stockpiled more refrigerant than you can imagine. Some manufacturers even continued to make the equipment that uses R-22. There is a concern that the government may change the law and the manufacturers would have to destroy that refrigerant. That hasn't happened at this time though. With the demand for R-22 going up, yes, the price will go up as well. That's good news for you though if you need a new system. That means the price of the new R410A ("environmentally friendly") systems will begin coming down. The price of the R410A refrigerant has already decreased drastically. As with any situation, there are pros and cons. As always, call us with any questions you may have concerning this huge change to our industry.

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Questions and Answers

Why doesn't my house stay cool when it's really hot out? Is something broken?

When it gets super hot outside (90+ degrees), we get a lot of calls that a customer's air conditioning isn't working. We find quite often that it's working just fine but just not "keeping up". By this, I mean you may have your thermostat set at 72 degrees in the house. It may be 85 and humid outside. The air conditioner seems to be running all the time but your house is 75 degrees. That's because systems (indoor and outdoor) are designed and sized to heat/cool your home 95% of the time. The other 5% of the time, the system can't "keep up". If you have a 2 ton air conditioner, that will work most of the summer. It's just on those really hot days that the "load" is so great that you

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In case you weren't aware, Beeson Mechanical Service offers 24 hour emergency service. Whether your air doesn't work on a 95 degree night or you have a breaker in an electrical panel that's tripping on a holiday, we can take care of it. Simply dial our pager at 317-990-7882 and leave a voicemail stating what you need. A technician will call you back in a short time. Some items are simple "over-the-phone fixes" at no charge to you. For others, the technician will give you a time when he'll be there and will then be there shortly after. If you have questions regarding the service, please feel free to contact us for more information.

DON'T FORGET TO COME SEE US AT THE JOHNSON COUNTY FAIR JULY 19th-25th!

Kaden Update



Kaden is now 15 months! He's adding to his vocabulary almost daily with words like "truck" and "buckle" coming from nowhere it seems. He's running all over the place and loving life. He especially loves the warm weather so he can play in his pool. His red hair is growing like crazy and I don't think he could look any more like his daddy.

may need 2.5 a or 3 ton air conditioner. Obviously, it can't just change to a different size, so it may seem to continuously run and not "keep up". There's typically no problem at all. It's just too hot outside.

What's a coil? Why do I have to buy it with my new air conditioner?

If you have an air conditioner that needs replaced, it is likely a 10 SEER efficiency or less. The government now mandates that it be at least a 13 SEER. The coil inside your house (on top of or under your gas furnace or inside your electric air handler) must also be changed to meet these requirements.

*If you have questions you'd like answered, please call or email us for next time!

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