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Posted by: gwh200  
Date: 18-12-2009 02:22:05

Wahoo  
I'm just putting the stuff in the car. Matt get the kettle on. I have missed my wife and children more than I can tell you...and I'm going home... Wahoooo

Posted by: Brummie  
Date: 18-12-2009 02:33:53

Safe journey mate :D

Posted by: Matt  
Date: 18-12-2009 02:39:48

Aye, have a safe trip Gra. :) Keep an eye out for ice. I ended up going across a junction instead of turning left at it this evening due to snowfall turning to ice, so keep an eye on the ball. Better late in this world than early in the next.

Posted by: gwh200  
Date: 18-12-2009 04:36:17

Hello you asleep people. I'd anyone is travelling to Glasgow via loch lomond ... Be careful out there, it's bliddy slippery. Anyhow in the outskirts of Glasgow now.

Posted by: gwh200  
Date: 18-12-2009 07:28:17

Bonjour . Gwh is right on top of the A66. Bliddy freezing up here. Leeds here we come!!

Posted by: pirate-storm  
Date: 18-12-2009 07:30:55

morning gra have a good n safe trip home matey!!!!!!

Posted by: Bio Hazard  
Date: 18-12-2009 07:56:02

Morning gra hope you are doing ok with your journey .....Drive safe

Posted by: Apache  
Date: 18-12-2009 08:08:55

Wow, this is like following some epic polar journey! :D  
Have a good, safe trip Gra, and a great christmas with the family!

Posted by: Tintin  
Date: 18-12-2009 08:38:46

Safe trip matey.

Only about 2" of white down here at the mo but more forecast, as usual schools are all shut and everything's ground to a halt!

On the bright side, No Traffic (except a few 4x4s) :D

Alan

Posted by: stormforce

Date: 18-12-2009 09:14:18

You have a good safe journey G and take it steady. Say hi to the family for us as well

Posted by: Paul1566

Date: 18-12-2009 09:35:12

Have I got this right....you live in Eastbourne and shovel shite in Oban.....you is mad

Safe journey and remember sheep are snow ninjas.....

Posted by: gwh200

Date: 18-12-2009 09:59:33

Wow.... North Yorkshire and specifically the A66.... loadsa snow, real slow going. But enough of that. I've concluded my business in Leeds and am heading to matts for a cuppa. :D

Posted by: Phantom

Date: 18-12-2009 10:13:44

Ooh be careful and safe journey I just jackknifed my truck in the street with my test rig on the back. Drove back from Wales yesterday and managed to get back before the snow.

Posted by: Tintin

Date: 18-12-2009 10:24:37

Hope you haven't done any damage Steve!


Posted by: gwh200

Date: 18-12-2009 10:40:45

Ooh hope all's ok Steve. I'm going very slowly. Between Wetherby and the outskirts of Barnsley it's not too bad, but I know it's going to get bad as I near London

Posted by: Phantom

Date: 18-12-2009 10:41:23


 Tintin wrote:

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Nah I don't think so, it didn't hit the truck but was close.

Posted by: Phantom

Date: 18-12-2009 10:43:00

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I am going to London at about 2 this afternoon to pick wifey up from Olympia, I'll keep my eyes open for you.

Posted by: gwh200  
Date: 18-12-2009 10:50:55

I'm easy to spot... Burgundy surf doing about 20 mph on the inside lane :lol:

Posted by: pirate-storm  
Date: 18-12-2009 10:59:09

 gwh200 wrote:

I'm easy to spot... Burgundy surf doing about 20 mph on the inside lane :lol:  
thought you had a £L now gra not a 2.4 :whistle: :lol: :lol:

Posted by: gwh200  
Date: 18-12-2009 11:01:50

I need a 2.4 back will.... To much power for me :whistle:

Posted by: pirate-storm  
Date: 18-12-2009 11:03:57

:whistle: :whistle: :whistle: :lol: :lol: :lol: :lol: :lol: :lol:

Posted by: TobyJug  
Date: 18-12-2009 11:56:59

hope you home safe or nearly there Gra....  
You should have popped in here for a cuppa too....

Posted by: gwh200  
Date: 18-12-2009 12:44:39

I'm at matts having a cuppa. Mrs matt has made me very welcome and I'm sat by he fire .... Splendid

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 12:51:32

sent matt a pm G but can you let him know the cheque arrived please mate.  
Tell mrs M to forget the tea and coffee and get the food cooking :whistle: :lol:

Posted by: steve s  
Date: 18-12-2009 13:15:05

have a great christmas mate see you just after :)

Posted by: biosurf  
Date: 18-12-2009 13:42:12

Happy (and safe) travels Gra. Not much snow down here yet (shame as I was hoping for a repeat of last years lack of trains = no work!

Posted by: gwh200

Date: 18-12-2009 15:11:29

Matt ... The cheque arrived :lol:  
well I'm at northampton services ... Still raring to go... It's taken a while today.

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 15:20:41

oh well have a safe remainder of your journey G

Posted by: Brummie  
Date: 18-12-2009 15:21:36

Nice one you've broke its back. Take it easy, better to be home a bit late than not at all . Stay safe. :) :) :)

Posted by: Tintin  
Date: 18-12-2009 15:54:25

Get a bloody move on.....Your'e slower than a slow thing going slowly!!

:lol: :lol: :lol:

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 16:13:40

he's slower than a slow thing going so slow it nearly stopped


Posted by: Bio Hazard  
Date: 18-12-2009 17:02:48

hopefully you are on the M25 by now

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 18:22:53

are you there yet G

Posted by: Brummie  
Date: 18-12-2009 18:33:07

 stormforce wrote:

are you there yet G

Depends on how full the car park is :whistle:

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 18:40:36

and thats just with pedestrians trying to find their cars

Posted by: gwh200  
Date: 18-12-2009 20:41:14

Just got in. A21-shut, a22- blocked  
a23- 10 mile jam and that bit of Kent had some hoooge snowfall

Posted by: Bio Hazard  
Date: 18-12-2009 20:43:24

At least you made it in one piece

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 20:46:42

at least your now home G thats all that counts and safe

Posted by: gwh200  
Date: 18-12-2009 20:47:10

Excellent drifting round tunbridge wells :lol:

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 20:48:08

i bet and bet you had a few bum twitchers aswell

Posted by: Bio Hazard  
Date: 18-12-2009 20:50:26

Adrenaline is brown :P

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 20:52:56

trouble is when you get out the truck and it runs down ya leg

Posted by: Bio Hazard  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:12:02

and pools in you boot

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:13:06

just don't eat the snow tho

Posted by: Bio Hazard  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:17:05

white, yellow or brown

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:26:07

all 3 incase someone covered something up

Posted by: Matt  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:33:15

Glad to hear you made it back safe and sound Gra. :)

Posted by: Bio Hazard  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:35:01

Another one scared by you .....we will return when i get another job as want to hit the highlands again

Posted by: Matt  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:46:23

:D :D :D Always welcome to drop in Ian. :)

Posted by: surfenstein  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:53:53


oh tie a yellow ribbon round the old oak tree..... :whistle:

Posted by: Apache  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:54:13

Rockin Gra!

I've been getting bolloxed sinceeww o9ne pm! You been drivinhg sinve I been inthe pub :D

Posted by: Matt  
Date: 18-12-2009 21:56:49

 surfenstein wrote:

oh tie a yellow ribbon round the old oak tree..... :whistle:

:lol: :lol:

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 22:05:22

i take it it was another good night then Andy

Posted by: Apache  
Date: 18-12-2009 22:11:16

It  
s been a erilliant rday rich!

Great lunch, great beer and some gfreet bnter this arvo. Had enuough now though!

Posted by: stormforce  
Date: 18-12-2009 22:14:03

good on ya.we went out on Mandy's work do last weekend and you can just imagine what it was like with 20 odd nurses out on the town

Posted by: Predictable Bob  
Date: 18-12-2009 22:17:55


:whistle:

For some reason Gra isn't online ....

Anybody got his phone number so we can ring him and see how he is ??? :devilish:

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Yes i have :devilish:

Posted by: Bio Hazard  
Date: 18-12-2009 22:21:59

But it's turned off :lol: :lol: :lol:

Posted by: Tintin  
Date: 19-12-2009 09:22:42

Glad you're home safe dude, enjoy the time off with the family, say hi for me!

Alan

Posted by: gwh200  
Date: 19-12-2009 13:45:44

Well ta all. Got on at about 8.15 last night. It usually takes me 13 hours with a stop, yesterday just shy of 18 hours.... The weather in certain spots was appalling. The suvveners will know that there are 3 roads I would/could use. The a21/22/23... All shut or blocked!  
I eventually made my way to tunbridge wells via hever castle ( the only road I could find open). The 16 year old banger I drive never missed a beat( or a bleedin garage :lol: )  
it was warm, comfy, drove well,and again not used a drop of oil or water. I saw plenty of cars frozen or broken. I saw so many new cars with frozen washer bottles. I know we all say it but these really are great motors. If your going to consider stuff like washer bottles not freezing... Stands to reason the rest of the design should be reasonably sound( bliddy cylinder

heads not included in this appraisal)

Posted by: Tintin

Date: 19-12-2009 19:16:14

:D :D I went for a drive up Beachy Head yesterday for something to do!!

Just been to Gatwick on the train, so I could sit beside my eldest girl while she drove her new car home! She only passed her test a few weeks ago and I thought she drove really well for a first go on motorways and at night! Couple of pints of Guinness extra cold and now I'm home in the warm ready for dinner!