

Schartz Automotive offers full-service automotive repair, quality parts

Schartz Automotive's brother mechanics team Stephen and Joe Schartz got an early start in their mechanical career on the family farm.

In the fall of 2011, they assumed operation of their own business.

Schartz Automotive, located at 1412 105th Ave. in Larned, features a team of brothers with a half-decade of repair service experience between them.

Stephen Schartz, owner and manager, said that his career in mechanics got an early start, from his teen-aged days working on the family farm near Rozel.

"I was in maybe eighth grade, when I and my

brother Joe put head gaskets in an old '62 GMC pickup that we had," Schartz said. "We'd worked on machinery at the farm, and everything seemed to work OK."

Stephen received additional training following graduation from Pawnee Heights High School, and came back to the farm. He then went to work at local Ford in 1989, continuously until the opportunity came up to go on his own, he said.

Joe has been retained as the shop technician. "Together, we've got over 57 years of automotive service and repair experience," Stephen said.

Stephen purchased the business in 2011.

In addition to full-service automotive repair, Schartz Automotive offers Bumper-to-Bumper auto parts, at (620) 285-3917. Our service motto is "Service in the difference, WE GET IT!"

Hours of operation are 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 8 a.m. to noon on Saturday.

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