



## **GARDENING HINTS FROM THE PRO**

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### **November To-Do List**

#### **In the Lawn**

- Apply Nitro-Phos Barricade Pre-emergent to prevent weeds in the spring.
- If you haven't already applied a Fall/Winter specific lawn food like Nitro-Phos Fall Special, it's not too late!! This will build and protect the grass roots so that it recovers in Spring easier.

#### **In the Flowerbeds**

- Plant fall and winter color – pansies, dianthus, snapdragons, alyssum, ornamental kale and cabbage, dusty miller, Cyclamen, etc. Visit the nursery to see all your options. We only stock the appropriate plants for the season!!!
- Plant wildflower seeds through November - bluebonnets, paintbrush, larkspur, etc. Also plant sweet pea seeds in November for better results in spring.
- Last chance to get that mulch down before the weather gets cold. The mulch you applied last spring is long gone! Protect roots and maintain moisture while keeping weeds to a minimum with a 3-inch layer of the mulch of your choice. We recommend a hardwood shredded mulch.

#### **In the Veggie garden**

You can plant these fall veggies and herbs now

Artichoke, Arugula, Broccoli, Brussels sprouts, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Carrots, Lettuce, Onions (coming mid November), Peas, Spinach, Chives, Dill, Cilantro, Fennel, rosemary, Sage, Thyme, Parsley, Swiss chard, mustard greens and more.....

#### **Feed the birds!!!**

Tons of birds migrate to our area for the winter, keep feeders filled with high quality seed. There are no mess seed and seed that has been mixed with pepper oil that keeps rodents and squirrels from eating it all.

**Get Your Green On!**

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