

Garden Project 2



Caring for Texas Lawns in Spring

Creating a vibrant, cushion soft and vigorous lawn:

Lawns need to be maintained, mowed, watered and fed. It's easy when you develop a routine. There's nothing that requires sweat, just a plan and a sense of timing.

At Calloway's and Cornelius Nursery you'll find both organic and traditional solutions for Spring lawn care. We always favor careful use of any chemical, organic or otherwise. Following label instructions the solutions we offer are effective and responsible.

But all lawns require the following-

Maintenance:

- A typical lawn requires 1-inch of water per week
- Mow Bermuda Grass at 1-inch or less
- Mow St. Augustine at 1½ to 2-inches
- Keep Mower blades sharp
- Water in morning hours to reduce evaporation



Lawn Additives:

- **Dr. Iron** - corrects iron deficiency
- **Soil Mender® Greensand** - provides iron and trace elements
- **Soil Mender® Dry Molasses** - attracts beneficial soil micro-organisms
- **Soil Mender® Lava Sand** - improves aeration
- **Soil Mender® Stimulate** - blends Humate and dry molasses

Organic Treatment

Fertilizing:

- Late February - South Texas
- Early March - N. Central Texas
- Apply **Calloway's Organic Fertilizer**
- Repeat every 8 to 10 weeks during the growing season

Weed Control:

- **Soil Mender® Corn Gluten Meal** - Suppresses seeds from sprouting
- **Soil Mender® Enhanced Vinegar** - Use as a foliar spray for spot treatment

Insect Control:

- **Nature's Guide® Diatomaceous Earth** - Controls crawling insects

Disease Prevention:

- **Soil Mender® Horticultural Corn Meal** - Helps control root or soil-borne fungus problems

Traditional Treatment

Fertilizing:

- Late February - South Texas
- Early March - N. Central Texas
- Apply **Calloway's Premium Lawn Food**
- Repeat every 8 to 10 weeks during the growing season

Weed Control:

Grassy Weeds...

- **Bonide Weed Beater Complete™** - Provides pre & post emergent control!
- **Green Light® Crabgrass Preventer** - apply early February

Broadleaf Weeds...

- **Green Light® Portrait** preemergent - apply early February
- **Green Light® Wipe-Out®** broadleaf weed killer contact spray
- **Bonide Weed Beater® Ultra** - Broadleaf weed killer spray
- **Bayer® Season Long Weed Control-** Kills current weeds and prevents their return
- **Green Light® Wipe-Out® Tough Weed Killer** - apply any time weeds appear

Insect Control:

- **Bonide Eight® Yard & Garden** - General home and grounds spray
- **Bayer® Complete Insect Killer** - Controls surface and soil insects

Disease Prevention:

- **Bonide® Infuse™** - Prevents and controls turf diseases



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