

March in the Garden:

*Apply **Pre-Emergent Herbicides** to lawn and landscaped areas to prevent warm season weeds such as Dandelions, Clover, Oxalis and Crabgrass. These products are available in granular and liquid formulations to suit your needs.



*Spray Apple trees and Pear trees **while in Bloom** with a Solution of Liqui-Cop to prevent Fireblight. This nasty bacteria is spread through contaminated pollen when your flowers are visited by Bees. Spraying while in bloom protects the tree.

*While Fruit and Nut trees are in bloom, it's time to set out **Codling Moth Traps**. Place these traps out to help time your spray applications to kill the moths before your fruit becomes

wormy. Nobody likes a wormy Apple (except maybe the birds).



Once you start catching the adult moths, you can spray for the worms with Monterey Garden Insect Spray. This organic product can be used to kill the worms safely while not affecting the fruit.



* **Plant** Potatoes, Onions and Garlic from Sets. Mid to late March is a fantastic time for getting these root veggies in the ground. If you've never grown blue or red potatoes, give it a shot! You might really like them.

***Fertilize** the whole Landscape. Lawns, Trees, Shrubs, Groundcovers and Perennials will all benefit from a feeding while they are starting to wake up from Dormancy. We have a full selection of commercial and organic fertilizers to meet your needs.





*Apply **John and Bob's** soil building products to improve your soils ability to process fertilizers, improve drainage by breaking up hard clay deposits and introducing microbes and minerals to the soil. This balanced system improves the soil dramatically and is applied 2x a year. These products can be applied at time of planting or around existing plants. No need to till or dig in!

*Time to set out **Yellow Jacket Traps**. By setting traps out in early spring, you can catch the Queen to prevent nest formations. Trapping Yellow Jacket queens is an extremely efficient method of reducing the Yellow Jacket population around your home or office. For every queen trapped and killed – especially in the spring – there will be one to five thousand fewer worker Yellow Jackets during the upcoming season.



All products are available for purchase at Gold Leaf Nursery!