

January

Twin Oaks Nursery

2107 Hwy 691 ~ Denison, Texas

START: Start Seeds Indoors: Mid – Late January
Tomatoes, Broccoli, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Lettuce, Peppers, & Eggplant

PRUNE: Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees & Shrubs as needed.
✓ Do not prune Spring Blooming Shrubs - **WAIT UNTIL AFTER THEY HAVE BLOOMED.**
* Grapes to remove 80-85% of cane growth.

TRANSPLANT: Existing Trees & Shrubs while their root systems are dormant.

PLANT:

- Fruit Trees
- Berries
- Pecans
- Onions Slips / Sets - Snap Peas - Asparagus (Late in the Month)
- New Shade Trees
- Shrubs
- Cool season annuals – Pansies, Dianthus, Ornamental Cabbage / Kale, Snapdragons
- Tulips, Hyacinths and other spring bulbs you have pre-chilled.

GARDEN PROJECTS: Begin to prepare your Summer Vegetable Garden by adding Organic Matter –

- Back to Nature – Manures – Humates
- Mulch beds with bark – will help insulate plants roots, inhibit weed growth, and conserve moisture
- **Have Soils Tested**

SPRAY: * Dormant Oil: Spray On Fruit Trees, Crape Myrtles & Other Shrubs such as Euonymus to Kill overwintering stages of Insects.
* Houseplant Pests – Use Insecticidal Soaps, or Take Down Spray for Insect Problems.
* Peaches Only ~ Use Copper Fungicide to Spray for Peach Leaf Curl. Dormant before Bud Break.

Don't Forget:

- Feed the Birds – Suet & “Wild Delight” Bird Seed
- Water Newly planted Shrubs & Trees
- Water Pansies & Violas
- Apply Root Stimulator as directed

✓ **Start Planning your Spring & Summer Annual & Perennial Beds**

FEBRUARY

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Seed: Seed Directly into Ground – Beets, Brussels Sprouts, Broccoli, Cabbage, Carrots, Collards, English Peas, Lettuce, Radish, Spinach, Turnips. **Complete Seed Planting Guide @ twinoaksonline.com**

PLANT:

- Trees & Shrubs
- Fruit Trees
- Berries
- Onion Plants / Sets, and seeds
- Asparagus
- Potatoes
- Strawberries
- Vegetable Plants – Broccoli, Cabbage, Kale, Lettuce, Cauliflower
- Roses - as available
- Cool Season Color: Dianthus, Snapdragons, Petunias, Iceland Poppies, Stock
- Early Spring Blooming Perennials

PRUNE:



BUSH ROSES - MID to the END of FEBRUARY (Around Valentines Day)

Climbing Roses should be pruned AFTER THEY BLOOM.

PRE-EMERGENTS: Apply Pre-Emergent to stop Weed Seeds from Germinating.

Dimension: Grassy Weeds

Gallery: Broadleaf Weeds

Corn Gluten Meal: Organic Pre-emergent

SPRAY: *PEAR TREES ONLY (Fruiting & Ornamental) -*

Apply Fire Blight Spray 2 Times. As they come Into bloom & again in Full Flower.

- Spray “Dormant Oil” on plants that are susceptible to getting Scale ... such as Euonymus, Fruit Trees, and Crape Myrtles

GARDEN PROJECTS:

Start preparing your beds for spring by adding Compost or other Organic Materials.

REMEMBER:

- Use Root Stimulator on All Newly Planted Shrubs, Trees, Berries, & Roses
- Water as Needed Newly Planted Shrubs, Trees, & Plants
- Feed the Birds



Pick Up a Schedule of FREE SPRING SEMINARS !!

MARCH

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Seed: Complete Seed Planting Guide @ twinoaksonline.com

Plant:

- Trees
- Shrubs
- Roses
- Annual Flowers for Early Spring Blooms: Geraniums, Alyssum, Snapdragons, Petunias
Dianthus
- Herbs (Last 1/2 of Month)
- Perennials



Tomatoes – Late in the Month

PRUNE: Ground Cover Early in the Month – Asian Jasmine, Vinca, Lirope, Mondo Grass

PRE-EMERGENTS: If you did not apply a Pre-Emergent in February ... Apply in March

FERTILIZE: Azaleas with “Azalea Food” Early in the Spring – After They Bloom – Again in the Fall

- For Blue Hydrangea, Apply Aluminum Sulfate to the Soil.
- For Pink Hydrangea, Apply Lime to the Soil

INSECTS: Spray as needed for Insects
Release Green Lacewings
Release Trichogramma Wasps

DIVIDE: Fall Blooming Perennials

WATER PLANTS: Now is the time to Repot & Fertilize with a Fertilizer Tab

REMINDER: Water Newly Planted Shrubs, Trees, & Plants
Apply Root Stimulator to Newly Planted Shrubs & Trees



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APRIL

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FERTILIZE:

- **Lawns, Shrubs, Trees, & Ground Cover.** “Twin Oaks” Nursery Fertilizer : 21-7-14 , 16-0-8
- **Roses** using either: Rose Glo, “Natures Guide Rose Food”, Rose Food /W Systemic Insecticide
- **Gardens:** Hi-Yeild “Garden Fertilizer”, or Organic Fertilizer
- **Crape Myrtles** – Use “Twin Oaks” Nursery Fertilizer : 21-7-14 , 16-0-8

PLANT:

- Warm Season Annuals
- Perennials
- Roses
- Tomatoes
- Peppers
- Warm Season Vegetables: Cucumbers, Squash, Melons, Okra. Complete Seed Planting Guide on our **Web Site @www.twinoaksonline.com**)
- Herbs
- Shrubs
- Trees

BULBS: Caladium & Elephant Ears – Plant late in the Month.

SRAY:

- Black Spot / or Powdery Mildew - Use Fertilome “Systemic Fungicide as needed.
- Fruit Trees: After Flower Petals Fall ... Spray every 7-14 days until harvest – with Fertilome Fruit Tree Spray.
- Aphids: Watch for Aphids on new growth – Spray with Triple Action, 38 Plus, or Bug Blaster
- Release Ladybugs.

APPLY: “Fertilome” Tree & Shrub Systemic Insect Drench” for year long protection
Pecan Trees: Apply Zinc after pollination – when tip of nutlets turn brown.

MULCH: Mulch your Trees, Shrubs, and Bedding Plants to preserve moisture !!

REPOT: Houseplants & Fertilize

REMINDER: Water Newly Planted Plants
Apply Root Stimulator to Newly Planted Trees & Shrubs



Pick up our list of plants that attract Butterflies & Hummingbirds

MAY

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MOTHERS DAY: Mothers Day Gifts, Gift Certificates, Garden Accessories, Blooming Plants

PLANT:

- Hot weather annuals: Periwinkles, Copper Plant, Lantana, Moss Rose, Purslane, Caladiums & Elephant Ears, Tropical Hibiscus, Hyacinth Bean Vine,
- Perennials: Hardy Hibiscus, and many other Hot Weather loving Perennials
- Herb: Hot Weather Lovers – Basil, Stevia
- Vegetables: See our seed planting guide on our Web Site @ www.twinoaksonline.com
- Annual Vine Seeds: Cardinal Climber, Hyacinth Bean, Moon Flower
- Roses & Shrubs

FERTILIZE:

- Annual Color & Perennials – Using “Color Scape” Granular
- Azaleas – 2nd application of Azalea Food After they finish blooming.

PRE-EMERGENTS: Apply 2nd Application – Pre-Emergents to your Lawn.

SEED: Bermuda Grass Seed, Buffalo Grass Seed

- Note: If you are applying a Pre-Emergent ... DO NOT Spread Grass Seed.

PRUNE: Climbing Roses Once they have finished blooming.
Spring blooming shrubs – Azalea, Carolina Jessamine, Viburnum, Forsythia, Quince

SPRAY: Fruit Trees: After Flower Petals Fall ... Spray every 7-14 days until harvest – with Fertilome Fruit Tree Spray.

INSECTS: Apply Beneficial Nematodes to control Grubs, Fleas, Fire Ants

WATER PLANTS: Available in May

JUNE

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FERTILIZE:

- **Lawns:** 2nd Application Lawns Using: “Twin Oaks” Nursery 21-7-14 or 16-0-8 Fertilizer
- **Roses:** Rose Glo, “Natures Guide Rose Food”, Rose Food /W Systemic Insecticide
- **Flowers**
- **Vegetables**
- **Container Plants:** Water Soluble Fertilizer for continuous blooms.

PLANT:

- Hot Weather Annuals
- Perennials
- Tropicals: Bougainvillea, Hibiscus, Mandeville, Esperanza

SPRAY: Fruit Trees: After Flower Petals Fall ... Spray every 7-14 days until harvest – with Fertilome **Fruit Tree Spray.**

INSECTS: Treat as Needed

Tent Caterpillars & Webworms: Use BT (Thuricide)

Chiggers: Spread “Dispur-Sul” / Dusting Sulfur for Sock & Pant Leg Area

Water: Water established plants deeply, and less often. Established lawns, shrubs, and trees, may need a deep watering about once per week Depending upon weather conditions. DO NOT rely on your sprinkler system to provide enough water for newly planted Trees & Shrubs.

- **Use Gator-Bags** to help keep newly planted Trees & Shrubs properly watered.

REMEMBER:  Cool Fathers Day Gifts & Gift Certificates

JULY

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FERTILIZE:

- **Container Plants:** Water Soluble Fertilizer for continuous blooms.
- **Ferns:** Ferns love Fish Fertilizer

PLANT:

- Plant Heat loving annuals – Periwinkles, Zinnias, Penta, Copper Plant, Lantana, Firebush.
- Plant Tropicals such as: Tropical Hibiscus, Esperanza, Bougainvillea, Mandeville
- **Plant Tomatoes Plants early in July for Fall Gardens**
- **Plant Pepper Plants Mid July for Fall Gardens**

MULCH: Apply mulch around Bedding Plants, Shrubs, & Trees to conserve moisture.

INSECTS: Tent Caterpillars & Webworms: Use BT (Thuricide)
Watch out for Aphids, Spider Mites, Mealy Bugs.

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Fruit Tree Spray.

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AUGUST

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FERTILIZE:

- **Lawns:** Time for Step #5 – Bermuda Grass Fertilizing / August 1st.
Using: “Twin Oaks” Nursery 21-0-14 Fertilizer
- **Roses:** Use “Rose Glo”, or Fertilome Rose Food with Systemic Insecticide
- **Container Plants:** Use ColorScape or Water Soluble Fertilizer for continuous blooms.

PLANT:

- Wild Flower Seed Late in the Month
- Crimson Clover Late in the Month
- Blue Bonnet Seeds Late in the Month
- Vegetables: Early in Month – Bush Beans, Cucumbers, Squash, Corn
Mid Month - Cabbage, Broccoli, Cauliflowers, Brussel Sprouts
Late Month - Leafy & Root Vegetables
- See our Fall Planting Schedule

PRUNE: Prune Roses slightly, and Fertilize to Promote Fall Growth & Blooms
Prune & Deadhead Perennials as Needed (Often Deadheading will encourage new blooms)

Water: Water established plants deeply, and less often. Established lawns, shrubs, and trees, may need a deep watering about once per week Depending upon weather conditions. **DO NOT** rely on your sprinkler system to provide enough water for newly planted Trees & Shrubs.

- **Use Gator Bags or Drip System** to help keep newly planted Trees & Shrubs properly watered.

Watch Out For:

- Chinch Bugs – In hot sunny areas of St Augustine, It will appear dry ... but water doesn't help.
 - Apply “Turf Ranger” (Granular) and water in.
- Aphids – Look for a “Honey Dew” residue falling in droplets. Black soot may also be visible on leaves.
 - Apply Fertilome Tree & Shrub Drench, or Broad Spectrum Insecticide.

SEPTEMBER

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PLANT:

- Fall Annuals: Marigolds, Stock, Petunias, Alyssum, Dianthus
- MUMS:
- Roses
- Perennials
- Replant / or Spruce – Up Containers with Fall Color !!
- Vegetables: See our seed planting guide on our Web Site @ www.twinoaksonline.com
- Shrubs
- Trees

Fertilize: Azaleas in the Fall

SEED: Fescue and Annual Rye, Perennial Rye, or Gulf Green Rye Grass Seed

PRE-EMERGENTS: Apply August 25th – Mid September

DIVIDE: Iris

USE: “Bug Blaster II” Granular around Home, Shed, Garage to prevent insects from entering.

OCTOBER

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PLANT:

- Pansies
- Violas
- Snapdragons
- Ornamental Cabbage
- Ornamental Kale
- Garlic Bulbs & Onion Sets
- **TREES & SHRUBS BEST TIME OF THE YEAR TO PLANT**

FERTILIZE: Apply a **WINTERIZER Fertilizer** (10-0-14) to Lawn, Shrubs, & Trees.

SEED: Fescue and Annual Rye, Perennial Rye, or Gulf Green Rye Grass Seed

APPLY: Peaches Only - Apply Copper Soap Fungicide to prevent Peach Leaf Curl. Apply Oct. 15-Dec. 1

USE: “Bug Blaster II” Granular around Home, Shed, Garage to prevent insects from entering.

HOUSEPLANTS: Time to bring in your Houseplants. Before you bring them inside... check for insects. Wash off the plants with a hose, then spray with Insecticidal Soap if needed.

REMEMBER:

- Select & Purchase Spring-Blooming Bulbs: Daffodils, Tulips, Crocus, Hyacinths.
- Purchase your Tulips now, and Refrigerate for 6 weeks... then plant in December.
- Take Down your Hummingbird Feeders !!
- Purchase Frost Proof Cloth to protect your tender plants.

NOVEMBER

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PLANT:

- Finish Planting Pansies, Violas, Ornamental Cabbage & Ornamental Kale
- Daffodil, Crocus Bulbs.
- Trees & Shrubs

MULCH: Make sure all your Shrubs, Trees & Beds are mulched for winter.

BIRDING:  Get your Birdfeeders, Bird Seed, & Suet ready, and set up.
Put out seed for Finches, Cardinals, Juncos, Pine Siskin, and Many More
Don't forget the Suet & Suet Feeders.
Join the "Frequent Flyer" Bird Seed Club !!

APPLY: Peaches Only - Apply Copper Fungicide to prevent Peach Leaf Curl. Apply Oct. 15-Dec. 1

PRUNE: Prune Perennials back to the ground as they go dormant.

PROTECT: Wrap your Palms with Burlap, or Frost Proof Cloth to protect for the winter.
Cut Banana Plants back, Mulch, and Cover.

REMEMBER:

- First Average Frost is 3rd Week in November
- Purchase your Frost Proof Cloth to have on hand to protect your tender plants.
- Apply Root Stimulator to Newly Planted Trees & Shrubs
- Set out Spider Traps
- Water Pansies, and newly planted trees & shrubs. It is especially important to make sure They are watered thoroughly before a freeze.

DECEMBER:

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Plant:

- Trees & Shrubs
- Tulips (After they have been refrigerated for 6 weeks)

Mulch: If you did not mulch Trees, Shrubs, & Garden Plants last month Finish up this month.

BIRDING:



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Don't forget the Suet & Suet Feeders.**

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POINSETTIAS: Beautiful Selection ~ Wrapped & Bowed, or Plain !!

LIVING CHRISTMAS TREES: We carry a beautiful selection of Living Christmas Trees. Enjoy in the house during the Holidays, then plant outside to enjoy for years !!

GIFTS CERTIFICATES: Twin Oaks Nursery offers Gift Certificates year round For any amount – and they never expire !! **THE PERFECT GIFT !!**

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