

ESSENTIAL TIPS FOR A HEALTHY LAWN

The Organic Lawn Guy's organic program is prepared expressly for Northwest Arkansas. Over time, the program will produce a healthy lawn that is more weed-, pest-, disease- and drought-resistant.

Our customers compliment us on how healthy their lawns look. Your lawn, too, can look lush and green, and feel more inviting to walk on.

An organic program will produce a richer soil with a deeper root system. The resulting drought-resistant turf does not need to be watered as often.

Because we do not use chemicals or toxins, a few weeds may emerge. To keep them to a minimum, you, or your provider, need to

1. Mow weekly, starting in March.
2. Fertilize throughout the year.
3. Overseed with fescue or rye grass every fall.
4. Rake away leaves, at least every other week, in the fall.

If you have a Bermuda or Zoysia turf, mow winter annual weeds from February to April. This way, you will keep weeds from flowering until turf greens up and can fend for itself!

For prices & details on programs, go to
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APPLICATION SCHEDULE FOR A HEALTHY NORTHWEST ARKANSAS LAWN

Warm Season Grass (Bermuda / Zoysia)

- Weeding:** Spot spraying or hand pulling of winter weeds like dandelion, henbit, chickweed, and red deadnettle.
- Weeding:** Spot spraying or hand pulling, as above. Plus organic fertilizer for ryegrass and spring green-up for Bermuda.
- Fertilizing:** Organic fertilizer for Bermuda.
- Soil stimulation:** Aeration or liquid microbial stimulant, a high-energy feeding for soil microbes and activator of soil nutrients.
- Fertilizing:** Organic fertilizer.
- Overseeding:** Ryegrass overseeding: planting ryegrass in the fall helps fill out your lawn and fight winter weeds, so that the lawn comes back fresh and without weeds in the spring.

Cool Season Grass (Fescue)

- Organic fertilizing & spot-spraying:** Spot spraying or hand pulling of winter weeds like dandelion, henbit, chickweed, and red deadnettle.
- Organic fertilizing & spot-spraying:** Same as no. 1.
- Soil stimulation:** Spot overseeding with fescue, or liquid microbial stimulation.
- Fall preparation:** Compost aeration or liquid microbial stimulation
- Overseeding:** Fescue overseeding, which fills out lawn and fights winter weeds.
- Fertilizing:** Organic fertilizer.

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Explanation of Benefits

- Spot spray, Feb.–Mar.** Our organic spot sprayer hits weeds when they are growing, **before they get out of control and spread.** We also offer hand pulling of weeds.
- Mowing, Mar.–Nov.** Weekly mowing, especially in the spring, assures that **weeds will not go to seed** and produce more weeds!
- Aeration, May–Aug.** Core aeration loosens compacted soil and **allows grass to breathe.** Aeration can be combined with compost top-coat, which adds organic matter to soil.
- Overseeding, Sept.–Oct.** Power overseeder implants fescue (on fescue lawns) or T3 rye seed (on Bermuda lawns). Fescue **turf is thickened**, while Bermuda, fortified with ryegrass, **stays green, with minimal weeds**, all year. Amazing results are evident by spring.

	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV
WARM SEASON GRASS	App 1	App 2	App 3		App 4		App 5	App 6		
COOL SEASON GRASS	App 1	App 2		App 3			App 4	App 5		App 6