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Forsythia is the Signal!

The rule of thumb is to apply spring "pre-emergent" when *Forsythia starts blooming*. Nature herself is a great signal! Due to the cold winter this year, it is a little late but get ready because it is happening now.

Here's the Deal on Compost!

\$20 off each 1 cubic yard BigYellowBag of Soil3 organic compost if take delivery by March 31st. Mention Code:
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Soil3 is OMRI Listed for organic gardening. Regularly priced at \$149.99.

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Late Winter Weed Tips

Mountains:

- **Pre-emergent Herbicide for Tall Fescue** lawns: now is the time to apply 19-0-3 fertilizer containing .42% prodiamine pre-emergent (this "weed & feed" is what the pros use!). This product will fertilize your Tall Fescue lawn and create a weed-resistant barrier.
- **Post-emergent Broadleaf Herbicide for Tall Fescue:** apply 2,4-D or Weed Out with Q for control of winter broadleaf weeds that have emerged, such as henbit and dandelions. These are post-emergent product.

Piedmont & Low Country:

- **Pre-emergent Herbicide for Warm Season** lawns: now is the time to apply Hi-Yield Turf and Ornamental Weed and Grass Stopper. This product will create a weed resistant barrier WITHOUT fertilizer as it's too early to fertilize warm season turf.
- **Post-emergent Broadleaf Herbicide for dormant well-established warm-season** lawns (Zoysia and Bermuda): apply 2,4-D for control of winter broadleaf weeds that have emerged, such as henbit and dandelions. This is a post-emergent product.
- **Special Note:** Though we recommend a "weed & feed" for Tall Fescue, we do not recommend such a combo product for warm-season lawns.

Late Winter Turfgrass Tips

Mountains:

- It's still a great time to **lay Elite Tall Fescue sod**. It requires MUCH less water to establish Fescue now (when it's cool), than when temperatures start to warm.
- As always, don't forget to **incorporate our Soil3 organic compost** into any new sod installation and to existing lawns for natural nutrients instead of fertilizer.

Piedmont & Low Country:

- Although it seems counter-intuitive, **it's fine to install most dormant warm-season grasses** at this time of year. Follow the link for more information or call us with any questions.
- Apply **lime** to all yards except for Centipede. Proper soil pH is crucial for a plants ability to uptake important available nutrients. Application of lime (and all fertilizers) should be based on soil test results.
- **Don't apply fertilizer to warm-season lawns** just yet. Wait until after green-up in spring.
- With every dormant sod installation, don't forget to **incorporate our Soil3 organic compost** into your soil preparation and stock

- up now so you have it ready to topdress existing lawns (again, after green-up) for natural nutrients instead of fertilizer.
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Why do I need Soil3?

- **It's certified organic:** Soil3 qualifies for the elite status of certified organic by [OMRI](#). OMRI is a third party that reviews the products we put into our gardens and, if using OMRI Listed products, you can rest assured that your garden is safe and "organic."
- **It's humus compost:** And as such, adding Soil3 to your soil builds soil structure, adds nutrients, neutralizes pH, and increases water holding capacity for those dry summer days.
- Please visit [soil3.com](#) to learn more about why **Soil3 is so good** for vegetable gardens (raised beds or in-ground), container gardens, topdressing your lawn (organic lawn care), and all other tree, shrub, and perennial flower plantings.

Why the BigYellowBag?

- **Value:** Bulk compost saves money.
- **Ease:** No lugging of multiple small bags from the trunk of your car to your garden.
- **Cleaner:** No mess in your car or pile of dirt in your driveway.
- **It's fun!** The cheerful bright BigYellowBag reminds that spring is coming.
- **It's Reusable:** How will you use your bag when the compost is empty? You can use it in your garage to collect trash *or you can return it to Super-Sod to receive \$5 off your next order of a BigYellowBag.*
- **It's BIG!** We cram a full 1 cubic yard into this BigYellowBag.
- **Local Delivery is FREE.**

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