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## NEWSLETTER

## MARCH 2010

Its becoming more and more obvious, humans are not the most intelligent species on earth.

We live in one of the most wonderful places on the planet.

We have bags of land. Land the mother of life, yet we abuse it, overprice it, neglect it, treat it like a pushbike, what fools are we.

Large land holder or small, we, as humans, have at our finger tips the means of survival. We ignore what our grandparents took as normal and rush off to the supermarket for our food, then complain at the price of living. The earth can sustain us if we use her wisely and plan well.

Look back to nature and have a future.

*Bruce*

### Vegetables to plant now

#### Seeds

Cabbage, Carrot, Celery, Cress, Leek, Lettuce (winter), Radish, Spinach, Spring Onion, Turnip

#### Seedlings

Beetroot, Broad beans, Broccoli, Brussels sprout, Cabbage, Carrot, Cauliflower, Leek, Lettuce (winter), Parsnip, Pea, Silver Beet, Spinach, Spring Onion, Swede

**NRM**  
**Peck N Lay**  
**Loyalty card**  
**will finish on**  
**30th June**  
**2010**



**FEED**  
**SCOOPS**  
**NOW**  
**IN**  
**STORE!**

### TIME TO PLANT YOUR LAWN

- **PREPARE YOUR GROUND** approximately 2 weeks before sowing, by clearing weeds and debris
- Even out the ground surface and apply fertiliser and water well
- Rake lightly to loosen surface and ensure surface is even
- **SOW LAWN SEED** at 30grams per square metre
- Lightly rake over with soil to cover seed
- Keep new lawn moist at all time in the first 2-3 weeks. Use a mist sprayer until established
- **DO NOT OVER WATER OR PUDDLE**
- Germination should occur with 7-14 days

We have quality lawn seed for your individual requirements.

*Super Fine Lawn Seed* - Extra fine, perfectionists type.

*Regular Lawn Seed* - Everyday traditional lawn.

*Hardy Lawn Seed* - Drought resistant & hard wearing .



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or

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## Tasks for March

- Lift all summer-flowering bulbs and store away in a cool, dry place until planting in late spring,
- Plant spring-flowering bulbs now.
- Start protecting plants from earwigs and caterpillars using derris dust or blitzem pellets. -Products in store.
- Re-sow or plant new lawns and sow over patches.
- Start planting green feed crops e.g. Mustard, oats, barley..
- Fertilize rhododendrons, camellias, azaleas, and lawns now.



## GIVE YOUR LAWN WHAT IT NEEDS!

Supplements, fertilizers and weed kills in store now! Come in store to see our wide range of products!!

Turfix, Professor Mac's, Round up, Onehunga spray, Zero, Weedkiller, hydrocotyle killer + more!



## FERTILISER

### MEAT & BONE

One of the most popular fertilisers, it contains

nitrogen and phosphorus & is an organic animal manure.

It breaks down slowly letting its nutrients remain in the topsoil for longer.

Application should be each spring.

Apply 100g per square metre & water in well.



### LAWN FERTILISER

Helps to promote lush green growth, maximising lawn health & visual & textural appeal.

Iron sulphate is added to help control moss & enrich a deep green colour. It is important to spread fertiliser evenly & not to overdo application rate as this will cause burning of your lawn. Apply before rain or water in well to help prevent any burning.



### ! NEW

#### Bacseal Super Pruning Paint

- Disease Control – contains a fungicide which controls
- European canker and silver leaf.
- Easy to use with its plastic bristle brush which enables clean, one-step application.
- Formulation is the right thickness to evenly cover wounds with a watertight seal, preventing desiccation and entry of disease.



After application it forms an elastic seal which will not crack or peel until the wound is fully healed.

### PRODUCTS !

#### House and Garden Bug Killer

- Kills insects on house plants, ornamentals and shrubs.
- Also kills household pests such as flies, mosquitoes, fleas, ants, cockroaches, and spiders.
- Kills outdoor pests and insects such as caterpillars, aphids, mites and looper caterpillars



Available in easy ready to use (RTU) aerosol can.