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# OCTOBER SPECIALS

## NRM Evolve Nuts 20kg

Complete feed for breeding mares and foals. Suitable for pregnant and lactating mares as well as young growing horses from 3 months of age.

NRM Evolve provides energy, protein, vitamins and minerals required during pregnancy and lactation in a convenient nut-form, ideal to prevent wastage when feeding in bins or from the ground.

**\$38.00**



## NRM Peck N Lay Pellets 20kg

A complete feed designed to provide the essential nutrients required to support egg production in laying hens.

Peck n Lay is specifically formulated with quality ingredients, balanced amino acids, energy and calcium for good egg production and shell quality. Natural pigments from paprika and marigold are included to enhance yolk colour. Essential oils and organic acids aid in protecting against gut pathogens.

**\$33.50**



## NRM Alpaca Pellets 20kg

High energy pellets formulated from non-GMO ingredients designed specifically for alpacas and llamas.

High specification pellets specifically enriched with essential vitamins to supplement pasture for alpacas and llamas that need to gain additional condition. This includes lactating animals, cria and poor performers that need supplementary feeding.

**\$33.80**



*NRM Specials October 2024 only*

## Wildflowers for Marlborough—blended here at Kiwi Seed Increase the beauty and biodiversity at your place.



Wildflowers have the power to turn the ugliest piece of land into a beautiful, magical scenery. This can be 1 sqm or a full sized meadow and everything in between. Talk to Leila here at Kiwi Seed about your project next time you are in.



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Popular spring crops to plant include: peas, beans, potatoes, carrots, cabbage, courgettes, broccoli, cauliflower, beetroot, leeks, and salad greens.

Potatoes— continue mounding, and add some more fertiliser as shoots grow, until they are approximately 300mm tall. This protects them from wind and frost, prevents light reaching tubers and turning them green, and encourages tuber development.

Labour weekend is traditional planting time for tomatoes and corn - get yours in for a bumper crop in summer!

Lay out snail bait to keep snails and slugs from eating your new and existing plants.



### Grass Grub In lawns

Grass grubs are the larvae of tan coloured shiny beetles that lay their eggs in the soil during spring and summer. They are creamy white grubs with a brown head and a darker bottom.

When disturbed they curl into a C shape. They damage the lawn by eating the roots, just below the soil surface.

Symptoms of grass grub damage are yellowing patches in the lawn with grass being able to be lifted like a carpet.

The best time to start controlling grass grub is from mid-spring, which is when peak egg hatch begins and continues until early summer.

An application of Yates Insect Killer for Lawns or Neem Granules in October will control grass grubs and help minimise the damage they do.

## NEW STORE HOURS FROM 1ST OCTOBER 2024

Monday to Friday  
8am to 5:30pm

Saturday  
8:30am to 12:30pm

### Codling Moth



Control October – February

Codling Moth are the number one pest on apple and pear trees in New Zealand.

As soon as the blossom petals fall it's time to protect your trees from codling moth.

Spray 'Yates Success Ultra' on trees every 14 days from petal fall.

Monitor moth numbers using a non-toxic Codling Moth trap.

Remove affected fruit off the tree and ground.

Put cardboard shields around the trunk to catch larvae.

Sow Buckwheat, Alyssum and other wildflowers underneath your trees to attract beneficial insects.

Attract Birds as they are great at controlling moth and larvae.

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**Thank you from all at Kiwi Seed.**