



Gardening by the Moon

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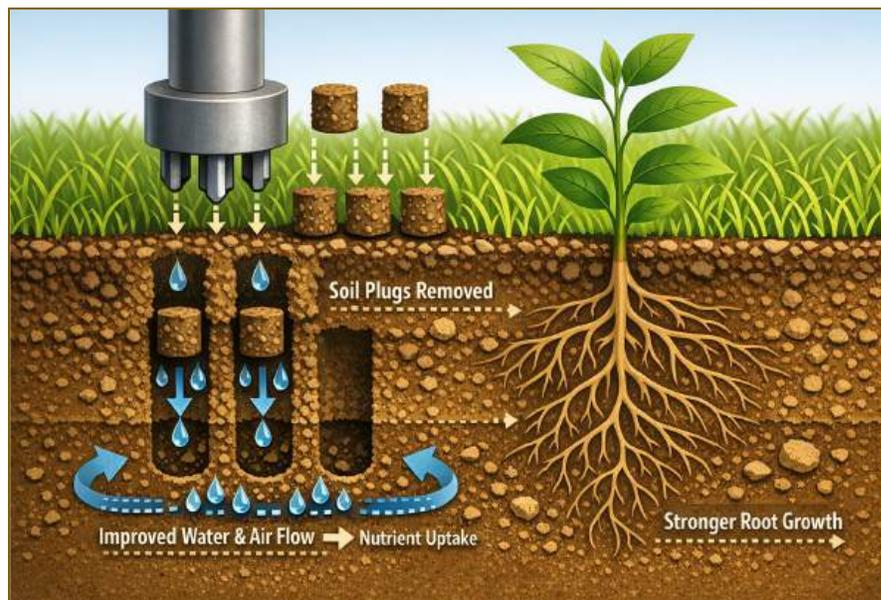
Lawn Care Best Practices for Spring

Kick off spring lawn care by clearing away debris and closely inspecting your lawn's condition after winter dormancy. Start by mowing your lawn short and dethatching if needed. Performing aeration encourages root growth, while addressing weeds early with pre-emergent helps keep your lawn thick and vibrant, and applying the right fertilizer promotes healthy turf growth. This approach will help you feel more confident in maintaining a lush, healthy lawn.

Being Water- Efficient

Water is a valuable resource, and its rising cost makes evaluating your landscape design and watering habits essential to conserve water and save money. Follow these tips to reduce your water use and lower your water bill while still keeping a beautiful yard.

- **CHOOSE PLANTS CAREFULLY**– Know your plants. Incorporate drought-tolerant plants to reduce water needs.
- **HYDROZONING**– Group plants with similar water, sun, and soil needs into specific zones, enabling targeted watering that conserves water and supports healthier growth.
- **UTILIZE SMART CONTROLLERS** for irrigation systems to help manage watering schedules.
- **KNOW YOUR IRRIGATION SYSTEM** and use drip, spray, and bubbler heads for effective water use.
- **DELIVER WATER TO THE ROOT ZONE**– Aeration helps improve soil health and water consumption.





After a refreshing spring rain, head outside and scatter a mix of zinnia seeds in your garden.

Zinnias make stunning cut flowers, are resistant to rabbit damage, thrive in spring sunlight, and attract a variety of pollinators to your garden.





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Landscape Maintenance

01.	Set irrigation system settings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
02.	Fertilize turf and beds	<input type="checkbox"/>
03.	Apply pre-emergent	<input type="checkbox"/>
04.	Plant spring color	<input type="checkbox"/>

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