

## Express News Gardening Tasks

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- If your lawn is green fertilize with “winterizer” fertilizer with a 3-1-2 nutrient ratio such as 18-6-12. If the lawn is green and can take up the nutrients the “winterizer” will increase cold tolerance and the speed of green-up in the spring.
- On or about November 1 spray your peaches and plums with copper hydroxide (Kocide) to combat bacterial diseases.
- Plant winter annuals such as snapdragons, stocks, dianthus, petunias, ornamental kale, and calendula in full sun now for winter color. Plant pansies and cyclamen after November 1.
- Plant broccoli, cauliflower, cabbage, Brussels sprouts, kale, and chard transplants in the vegetable garden now. Plant lettuce, carrot, beet, turnip, and rutabaga seed.