

MAINTENANCE CALENDAR



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MONTH	FERTILISER	WATERING	PHYSICAL TREATMENT SPRAYING	MOWING FREQUENCY (PER MONTH)	COMMENTS
JAN	Apply a Readylawn premium slow release fertiliser (Lawnlife "Revive") if lawn is kept active, ie not drought stressed. 10gm m ²	Water as necessary to maintain healthy growth but only twice per week - deeply and in the morning.	Treat for grass grub and porina if damage symptoms are still evident. Apply Lawnlife "Hydration" to maintain moisture.	Weekly and always remove clippings.	Mow at about 20/25mm for fescue/browntop and Fescue lawns. 30mm for rye grass lawns & 40mm for Tall Fescue.
FEB	Apply Lawnlife "Recovery" for soil health and plant strength before winter.	Water as necessary to maintain healthy growth but only twice per week - deeply and in the morning.	Apply Lawnlife "Hydration" to maintain moisture.	Weekly and always remove clippings.	Hot dry month - apply Lawnlife "Hydration" to maintain moisture.
MAR	Apply a quality fertiliser (such as Readylawns Premium slow release (Lawnlife "Revive") at 20gm per m ² . (Late March or early April)	Water as necessary to maintain healthy growth but only twice per week - deeply and in the morning.	Scarify to dethatch surplus organic matter from your lawn, top dress and over sow. This can be done now or in September (Spring). Apply Lawnlife "Recovery."	Weekly and always remove clippings.	A busy period. Treat for grass grub and other insects with lawn guard pills. Renovate your lawn now as the cool weather slows down growth.
APR	Apply Lawnlife "Recovery" for soil health and plant strength before winter.	Water as necessary to maintain healthy growth.	Treat for grass grub and porina to protect the lawn from winter damage.	Weekly and always remove clippings.	By fertilising with a quality fertiliser before winter you will keep your lawn strong and healthy during the cold months. This will also help deter disease and pests.
MAY	Apply liquid iron/n for winter colour (Lawnlife "Adrenalin")	Water as necessary to maintain healthy growth.	Assess for early winter disease.	As needed to maintain the 1/3 removal rule.	
JUN	Apply liquid iron/n for winter colour (Lawnlife "Adrenalin")		Assess for winter disease.	As needed to maintain the 1/3 removal rule.	Liquid nitrogen and iron ideal for improving colour.
JUL	Apply liquid iron/n for winter colour (Lawnlife "Adrenalin")		Assess for winter disease.	As needed to maintain the 1/3 removal rule.	
AUG	Apply liquid iron/n for winter colour (Lawnlife "Adrenalin")		Assess for winter disease.	As needed to maintain the 1/3 removal rule.	
SEP	Apply liquid iron/n for winter colour (Lawnlife "Adrenalin") Apply Lawnlife "Recovery" for soil health and plant strength after winter.	Test irrigation. Leaky or poorly adjusted irrigation is inefficient and wastes water.	Scarify to dethatch surplus organic matter from your lawn. If necessary, top dress and over sow. Aerate.	Weekly and always remove clippings.	Make sure when over sowing you are using the same seed mix to avoid uneven textures and colours.
OCT	Apply a quality fertiliser (such as Readylawn's Premium slow release Lawnlife "Revive") at 20 grams per m ² .	Water as necessary to maintain healthy growth.	Apply Lawnlife "Hydration" to maximise water utilisation.	Weekly and always remove clippings.	Applying a wetting agent can ensure good water penetration into dry soils.
NOV	Apply Lawnlife "Recovery" for soil health and plant strength.	Water as necessary to maintain healthy growth but only twice per week - deeply and in the morning.	Apply acelepryn liquid insect treatment to provide insect suppression. (November /December best.) Apply localised wetting agent to dry areas	Weekly and always remove clippings.	Applying a wetting agent can ensure good water penetration into dry soils.
DEC	Apply Lawnlife "Recovery" for soil health and plant strength.	Water as necessary to maintain healthy growth but only twice per week - deeply and in the morning.	Apply Lawnlife "Hydration" to maintain moisture.	Weekly and always remove clippings.	