

CynMar Cares

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Greetings 2010

Here it is, March 2010. Before we know it, it will be April and time to start another season.

Enclosed is your renewal letter for this season. Please review it and return it as soon as possible. There is no "deadline", but it will make scheduling easier if we know ahead of time. If you have any questions or desire additional services that you don't see listed, please don't hesitate to contact us.

We will not be offering power raking this season. It is a lot of work, very time consuming and hasn't been a service that many of you desire. As mentioned in previous newsletters, aeration is an important application. It gives the



*Fall is behind us;
Spring is just around the corner.*

ground room to breathe after the long, cold winter.

Included in the sign up letter, will be a request for your email address, if you have one. You can receive the newsletters, invoices, etc electronically instead of on paper. Paper is still an option, but the cost of postage is becoming an expensive option. Like all other businesses, we are trying to be more efficient with expenses.

If you have ever gone to our web site, you may have noticed there is a newsletter option. I will be posting the newsletter there soon, so that is another option to read the "latest". Go to: www.cynmarlandcare.com, check us out. It needs some revision, but for the most part explains many of our services and lets you know about us.

We welcome any suggestions you may have to improve it. If you can't find what you want, let us know.

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Cindy's Cites

Hi there,

It has been so long since I sent a newsletter, I wasn't sure what volume or issue this one would be, so I started over. I guess with this being a new decade that will work. I am not sure where the time goes!

I plan to be much more diligent about getting a newsletter out quarterly. It

is important to Mark and I to be in touch with you a little more often. We both also plan to be more visible, so if you have questions or concerns, you can talk to us in person. Sometimes, the telephone just doesn't do the job.

Spring is just around the corner, see you soon.

Tree Care

Trees are a vital part of the environmental equation. They provide oxygen, shade, protection from the wind and elements and provide songbirds a home.

We offer a wide variety of services regarding tree care. Prevention is always the “best medicine”. Fertilization is an important application. Most trees in an urban environment don’t receive the proper amount of natural nutrients, so we have to help them out. There are many options, whether it be soil injection, trunk injection or foliar, we are equipped to perform the task.

Chlorosis and insects are common “ailments”. Chlorosis causes a yellowing of the leaves and is due to mineral deficiencies and root system



“The net cooling effect of a young, healthy tree is equivalent to ten room-size air conditioners operating 20 hours a day.”

health.. Some common reasons trees appear chlorotic are: soil compaction, over-irrigation, root disease, and repeated drought. Without human intervention, the tree will be stuck in a decline that will eventually lead to its death.

Insects can also cause much damage. There are any number of insects out there, all of which are harmful to the tree.

Please consider your trees when you are contemplating a program for this season. Just make a note on the renewal form, if you are interested. Fertilization needs to be done early when the buds are starting to appear, so the tree will take the product “up”.

Grass Crisis: Stop the Attack of Lawn Fungus

This article was taken from “All About Lawns”, Kelly Richardson, Columnist. August, 2006

“There are many lawn fungus strains that can attack your grass and ruin a whole year’s worth of hard work. The key to winning this battle with grass fungus is to become educated on the various types you may face.”

Grass Fungus Types:

Fairy Ring: This type of grass fungus leave unsightly rings of dark green and dead grass. The fungus feeds on dead vegetation beneath the surface of your lawn. Spike the rings so water can penetrate.

Pink Snow Mold: Irregular and brown patches of brown and yellow grass, with white or pink cottony fungus. This is a

result of a heavy snow cover. Keep the grass mowed.

Rust: This grass fungus turns your lawn light green or yellow, with yellow to brown spots in late summer. Activates in warm or moist weather.

Aggressive treatment is the best measure for control. Most fungus’ are “contagious”, clean your mower after each use.

Even walking through the affected area can spread the disease.

About the Author: Kelly Richardson has obsessive compulsive lawn disorder and is afflicted with the need to share his knowledge with the world.

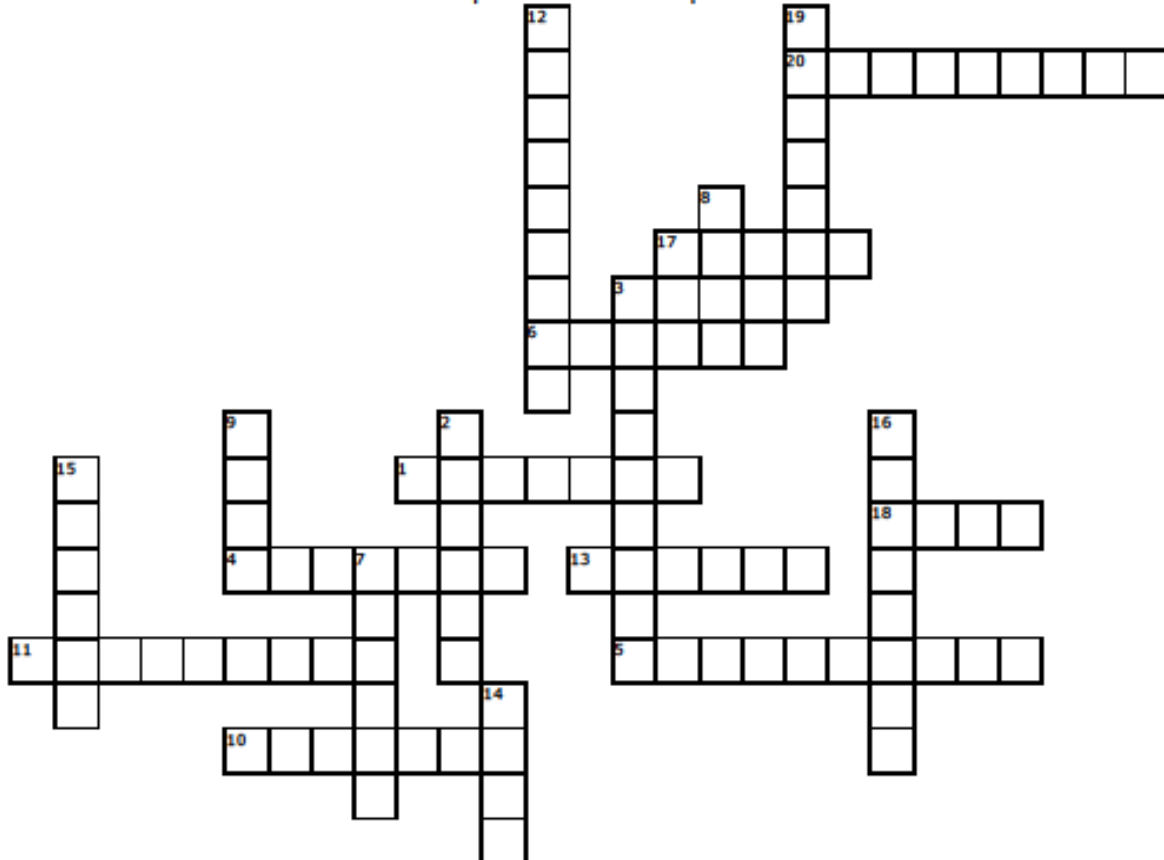
Just For Fun!!!

The puzzle on the next page is just a little Cyn Mar fun! The answers are in the next column, no peeking. They are in no particular order. I thought I should place them somewhere in the newsletter, in case one of them “stumps” you. Have fun!

Chlorosis, Yellow, Bermuda, October, Acre, Broadleaf, Buffalo, Scalping, Water, Fungus, Fertilizer, CynMar, Fescue, Lawn, Spring, Mark, Dandelion, Grub, Petunia, Crabgrass.

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Please complete the crossword puzzle below

**Across:**

1. Type of warm season grass
4. Type of warm season grass
5. Makes the grass grow
6. Time to start fertilization
10. Pretty flower
11. Yellow flowering weed
13. Type of cool season grass
17. Vital to plant health
18. 43560 square feet
20. Disease causing yellow leaves

Down:

2. Color of iron deficient grass
3. Unwanted weed
7. Lawn disease
8. Another name for grass
9. Unwanted pest
12. Annual grassy weed
14. Owner of CynMar
15. Company name
16. Mowing too close
19. Date of last application

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Contact Information

As you may or may not know, we have closed the office in Burlington. Our long-time bookkeeper, Sheri, took a job with Hitchcock's in Burlington. We still have a home office in Cheyenne Wells, but the main business office is in Trinidad.

Please mail any correspondence or payments to:

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Other contact information: my email address is: cindy@cynmarlandcare.com. I am near the computer most of the day, so this is a quick and easy way to reach me.

For those of you in eastern Colorado, my cell phone # is: 342-1187. That should be a local # for you. We have disconnected the phone in Burlington (346-0107), so please call my cell phone for a local #. I usually have my cell phone with me, but if for some reason, I don't answer, please leave a message. Mark's cell phone # is : 719-680-2651,

As I stated in my "cites", Mark and I plan to be in the area once a month. Mark will be doing most of the lawn applications this season, so you will be seeing him on a regular basis.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us. We will do our best to address your issue as quickly as possible.