

APRIL 2024 GARDEN GUIDE



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POTTER'S WEEKLY TIPS FOR A HEALTHY, NATURAL GARDEN

Resist the urge to rake your leaves away from the garden. The coverage helps protect the garden, provides nutrients, and helps overwintering beneficial insects.

Walk the garden carefully. Foot traffic can harm fresh plant shoots and compaction decreases the overall health of the soil. Use layers of wet cardboard topped with cedar mulch for a long-lasting way to add designated paths through the garden.

Spread a fresh layer of organic compost like Biofor or natural soil enhancer to help give your garden a boost for the season. We love worm castings and kelp meal!

Spring is the perfect time to plant fruit trees! Check out the nursery for our selection of apples, pears, cherries, plums, apricots, and more!

You can bring indoor seedlings outside on warmer days to harden them off, but be careful not to shock them with hot afternoon sun or nighttime frost. Use a frost blanket if need be to help protect tender new plants.

Blooming this month (left to right) : Foamflower, Spicebush, Choke Cherry, Dogwood, Serviceberry, Magnolia, Trillium, Red Maple, Daffodils, Field Pussytoes, Prairie Smoke, Wild Strawberry, Willows, Bloodroot

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