



Personal Lawn Care, Inc.

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What did PLC do today?

Today I did the following application:

_____ Winterizer Fertilization (F3): Our third fertilization of the year will strengthen the root system and help your lawn remain healthy as it goes into dormancy. A healthy turf survives harsh winters better and will green-up earlier and stronger next spring.

Please note: Light to moderate leaf coverage is **NOT** a problem and does not reduce the effectiveness of today's service. Wait until after watering to rake or mow and bag the leaves. Mulching leaves (not side discharge) with a lawnmower may be done at any time and **does not require watering**.

What to do Next

- Water **15-30 min** in each area if rainfall is not forecast within the next few days. Watering moves the fertilizer into the soil.
- Mow as needed. If it hasn't rained, If bagging, **BE SURE** you water before you mow! Don't want to water? Then please **MULCH** leaves and clippings.
- REMEMBER: lawns need about one inch of rainfall, or equivalent watering, per week.

Payment Due Upon Receipt

Payment is due upon the completion of the application. There are multiple ways to pay. You may pay online with your credit card or an electronic check (ACH) from our website **www.personallawncare.com**

If you have questions regarding your bill or to set up monthly payments, please call Sandy at (901) 829-4200 or email at **sandy@personallawncare.com**

Thank you for the opportunity to service your lawn. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask. You can call our office at 829-4200 or email at **ContactUs@PersonalLawnCare.com**.

Top Reasons to Keep Your Leaves Raked This Winter

According to the Farmer's Almanac, raking leaves is not simply an aesthetic choice, there are many legitimate reasons to rake. Removing fallen leaves is vital to the health of your lawn. Leaves can bury the grass, smothering it by keeping it damp, dark and limiting oxygen. This promotes a breeding ground for fungi and insects. Removing leaves allows the right amount of moisture, air and sunlight to reach the turf. The sunlight and air flow are especially crucial for cool season lawns such as fescues.

Raking not only removes the dropped leaves, but also reduces the thatch buildup. Thatch buildup (more than 1/2 inch) may damage warm season lawns. Scalping in late winter, raking with a stiff tined rake and removing the debris, or aerating during the growing season are common helpful methods of reducing thatch buildup in our lawns.

2017 Renewal Info

We will be sending out renewal letters soon detailing your lawn service schedule of applications for 2017. If you have questions regarding next year's service plan, please call or email us.

Fescue Lawns

If you plant fescue or re-seed this fall or plan to seed next spring, **please let us know**. We may need to adjust the timing of the applications to properly care for the new grass seedlings.

Tips For Mowing

- Bermuda and Zoysia lawns should be mowed at the highest possible height until the first frost of the season.
- Fescue lawns should be mowed at 3 inches **at all times**. Never scalp fescue areas unless renovation is planned.
- Scalp your Bermuda or Zoysia lawn in late winter, just as the first hints of greening are seen. Mow at the lowest level, bag or rake and remove clippings.

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