



# March 2021

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Start peppers from seed	2 Spread manure and/or compost on garden when ground is frozen	3 Watch for Eastern bluebird return	4	5 Take a soil test in your lawn and/or garden	6 Order locally grown bare root fruit trees from Dayton's
7	8	9 Over-seed your lawn when ground is frozen without snow	10 Apply dormant oil to trees & shrubs when above freezing for 24 hours	11 Trim back Heathers (Calluna) to shape	12 Rake out any evidence of snow mold on your lawn	13 Transplant trees & shrubs now except for Dogwood, Magnolia & fragrant Viburnum
14 <b>Daylight Savings Time Begins</b>	15 Apply lime to lawn or garden if necessary	16 Cut out all dead wood from roses and trim to shape	17 Remove straw from strawberries <b>St. Patrick's Day</b>	18 Start Dahlia & Begonia tubers and Cannas indoors for planting in May	19	20 <b>Spring Equinox</b>
21	22 Trim back type "C" Clematis to ground	23 Remove tree guards and wind screens	24 Check out Dayton's weekly blogs for more gardening info	25 Plant onion sets, peas, lettuce & seed potatoes	26 Plant bare-root conifers, trees, shrubs & fruits if weather allows	27
28 Fertilize blueberries with Holly-tone	29 Cut back ornamental grasses and dead tops of perennials such as Mums	30 Fertilize small fruits, raspberries, blackberries & strawberries	31 Plant pansies & violas for cool weather flowers			