

Water Quality Friendly Lawn Care

Hosted by NH LAKES

Wednesday, May 4, 2022, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Zoom Chat Box Discussion

- 00:15:41 Gloria, NH LAKES: Hi everybody!
- 00:17:04 Erin Mastine, NH LAKES: Hi Gloria!
- 00:17:35 Ryan MacLean: me
- 00:17:43 Gloria, NH LAKES: I live in an apartment - so I guess someone else!
- 00:17:43 Mark Duffy: me and my spouse
- 00:17:52 Erin Mastine, NH LAKES: My family
- 00:17:54 Bill Meyer: me
- 00:18:09 Peter Bajor: I do
- 00:18:41 John MULLEN: I do.
- 00:22:06 Elizabeth Bixby: service
- 00:27:00 Roger & Carol LaFontaine: please make suggestions to treat grubs on waterfront lawns and also what causes grubs.
- 00:33:31 Elizabeth Bixby: no weeds, green,
- 00:34:32 Therese Thompson: dandelions are key/important flowers for bees
<https://www.goodnet.org/articles/dandelions-are-bees-best-friends>
<https://www.gardenmyths.com/dandelions-important-bees/> Dandelion leaves are edible too.
Use Ecostones for outdoor walkways, sitting areas, etc.
<https://www.mutualmaterials.com/products/eco-stone/>
<https://www.keylandscape.com/custom-stone.php>
- 00:39:13 Mark Duffy: where can we get clover seed?
- 00:40:05 Therese Thompson: clover seeds <https://www.countrypondnh.com/clover-lawns/>
- 00:42:47 Therese Thompson: clover seeds
<https://achilleagway.com/catalog/151699/clover>
- 00:44:29 Ryan MacLean: helpful overview
- 00:45:24 Elizabeth Bixby: what kind of fertilizer

00:47:35 Ryan MacLean: how much do these tests typically cost

00:48:50 Therese Thompson: soil testing <https://extension.unh.edu/agriculture-gardens/pest-disease-growing-tools/soil-testing-services>

00:54:34 Gloria, NH LAKES: Ryan, the prices vary based on what you would like to test for! This document has a list of the tests and prices available through UNH : https://extension.unh.edu/sites/default/files/migrated_unmanaged_files/Resource007082_Rep10246.pdf

00:58:16 Peter Bajor: save for next use

00:58:19 John MULLEN: Use it till it is gone

00:58:23 Elizabeth Bixby: store it

00:59:50 John MULLEN: What I meant is what is left over I store and use the next year.

01:03:52 Ryan MacLean: what does lime do for lawns?

01:05:02 Elizabeth Bixby: how much does UNH charge for soil testing

01:06:17 Ryan MacLean: Elizabeth, they provided me with this link: <https://extension.unh.edu/agriculture-gardens/pest-disease-growing-tools/soil-testing-services>

01:08:05 Ryan MacLean: thank you!

01:08:12 Mark Duffy: Thank you for this great talk! We'll go out and be more lake friendly :-)

01:09:18 Elizabeth Bixby: Thank you. Wonderful hour.

01:09:26 Ryan MacLean: thank you all for your hard work and teaching us how to be responsible water preservationists! :)

01:10:10 Shirley Green: Thank you!