

Lawn Establishment and Care Workshop

Thursday, September 24

7:00 p.m. – 8:30p.m.

Sponsored by the Barrow County Extension Office and
the Barrow County Master Gardeners

Establishing and maintaining an attractive lawn requires time, effort, and money. However, industry experts estimate a nice looking lawn and landscape can add as much as 15% to the value of your home. This workshop will provide you with the information needed to have an attractive lawn.

- Learn how to select the best grass for your yard.
- Learn how to establish grass from seed or sod.
- Learn how to properly maintain your yard with a good fertilizer program, correct mowing habits, and aeration.
- Learn about disease and insect pests.



Lawn Weed Identification and Control

Thursday, October 8

7:00pm – 8:30 pm

Weeds rob the soil of moisture and nutrients as well as fill in quickly when turf grass thins or dies. Controlling weeds in the home landscape is something the average homeowner can do to save money and have a nicer looking yard.

- Learn to identify weed groups (annual, perennial)
- Learn the basic formulations and types of herbicides
- Become familiar with spray schedules for Pre-Emergence and Post Emergence Treatments
- Learn how to measure the amount of herbicide needed to kill your weeds.

These workshops will be held at the Barrow County Extension Office at 90 Lanthier St in Winder (near the Armory). This program is free and open to the public and will focus on fescue though care of other grasses will be covered. Please call 770 307-3029 to reserve a spot or for more information.