Tasks

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* It is time to re-fertilize your roses, winter annuals and cool weather vegetables. A cup of lawn fertilizer side dressed along each 8 ft. row works well. Use granular fertilizers made especially for containers or use soluble fertilizers dissolved in the sprinkler can for plants in containers.
* This is an excellent time to plant shade trees and shrubs. The newly placed plants can develop a root system before they must face dry, hot weather.
* The first freeze usually occurs shortly after mid-November. Be prepared with blankets and other materials to cover cold sensitive plants like lemons and limes. Move bougainvillea, oriental hibiscus, plumeria and other tropical plants into freeze proof shelter.
* It is now cool enough to plant onion, spinach, pansy, and cyclamen transplants into the garden. Plant English peas and sweet peas by seed.