

## Express News Gardening Tasks

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- The Bermuda grass is spreading all over the landscape. Control it in shrub borders and flower beds with one of the grass specific contact herbicides. Poast, Grass-be-Gone, Fusilade, Ornamec and other products work well. Follow label instructions
- Plant Firebush, “New Gold” Esperanza, Pride of Barbados, Duranta, and Thyrallis for showy blooms on seven-foot plants in full sun. They will freeze back in the winter but regrow every summer.
- For weekly lawn irrigation recommendations based on the weather sign up for the SAWS email. It is free and you do not have to be a SAWS customer. The email also provides gardening information. Visit the SAWS website and click to Conservation.
- Control fire ants in your vegetable garden with a fire ant insecticide with Spinosad as the active ingredient. Follow the label instructions.