

Express News Gardening Tasks

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- As temperatures cool add spinach to the transplant list that can be added to the winter vegetable garden. A plant every foot works well in my garden.
- Add pansies, violas, and johnny- jump- ups to the cool weather annual list for color in the sun. In the shade use cyclamen and primula. They are all low growing plants so protect them with slug and snail bait.
- Now is a good time to plant shade trees, both because the moderating weather reduces the challenge from hot weather and there are retail discounts and rebates available from several sources. Check out your favorite nursery and CPS.
- It is time to apply a copper hydroxide product such as Kocide to your peach trees. It will help prevent damage from bacterial diseases. Follow the label instructions.