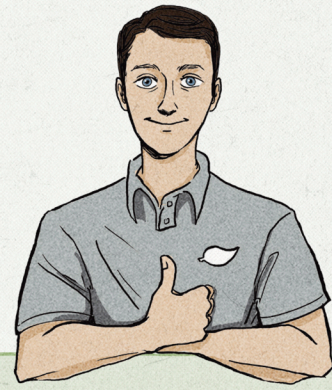


MAY

garden planning checklist



PLANT OF THE MONTH — roses —

Planting: If you love vinca, now is a great time to plant. Tropicals are also a strong choice right now, with mandevilla and hibiscus offering vibrant warm-season color.

Feeding: Ferti-lome blooming and rooting liquid formula is a great way to support your annuals and help encourage steady growth and color.

Watering: As warmer days arrive, be sure to check hanging baskets and containers more often. Since they're above ground, they dry out much faster and may need more frequent watering.

Lawns: St. Augustine and Zoysia grass plugs are available, and now is a good time to plant. A long-handled plugger can make installation quicker and easier.

Flowers: It's a great month for cut flowers. Dahlias, hydrangeas, peonies, and tall phlox are just a few of the standout options, along with many more seasonal favorites.

Patio: Take time to clean off spring pollen and refresh outdoor furniture with a deep clean. Adding a few new pillows is an easy, affordable way to update your outdoor space.

Seasonal: Memorial Day is at the end of the month. Refresh your porch and outdoor areas so they're ready for gatherings with family and friends.

Planning: Get ahead by planting herbs early in the month so they're ready to use for cookouts and meals later on.