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Whether it's a vegetable garden, house plants or a landscape...

# A Garden Runs Through It

April 2010

## This month's links:

- [Roses: Cultural Practices and Weed Control](#)
- [Roses: Disease and Abiotic Disorders](#)
- [Aphids](#)

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## Information Booth Locations:

Colusa Western Days

April 10 10:30-3:30

April 11 10:30-1:30

**Griff's Feed and Seed, Colusa**

April 16 11am—4pm

See flyer

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Have a question? Email us at [mgcolusa@ucdavis.edu](mailto:mgcolusa@ucdavis.edu)

The Colusa County Master Gardener Volunteer Program is a partnership among the University of California, USDA, Colusa County and the Colusa County Farm Bureau. Master Gardener volunteers extend horticultural information and offer educational programs and garden-related demonstrations in Colusa County.

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## Frequently Asked Questions:

### Will lawns or landscapes suffer if not watered everyday?

Established lawns and landscapes do not require daily summer irrigation. Only newly planted lawns and landscape plants are likely to be damaged by not receiving daily summer irrigation.

Tall Fescue lawns can perform well when irrigated 2 to 4 times per week in the summer, while Bermudagrass and other warm season lawns can be irrigated less frequently. Trees, shrubs and groundcovers will perform well when irrigated every 5 to 10 days.

Ask the Colusa County Master Gardeners about using our catch can kit for correct lawn watering amounts.

### BE A WATER SAVER

Try these water saving tips:

- When selecting plants consider their climate suitability.
- Fertilize moderately to avoid excessive growth, which increases water needs.

For upcoming events and classes:

[Statewide Master Gardener Classes](#)

For more information about gardening in California:

[California Gardening](#)

For more information about water wise plants:

[UC Davis Arboretum](#)

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