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

A Garden Runs Through It

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This month's links:

- [Practical Lawn Fertilization](#)
- [Turfgrass Selection](#)
- [Vegetable Planting Guide](#)

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MEMORIAL PARK
September 20

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Frequently Asked Questions:

My tomatoes have lots of yellow like rings on them. What is wrong with them? (see picture)



You have tomato spot virus. Infected plants exhibit bronzing of the upper sides of young leaves, which later develop distinct, necrotic spots. Leaves may be cupped downward. Some tip dieback may occur. On ripe fruit, chlorotic spots and blotches appear, often with concentric rings. Green fruit show slightly raised areas with faint, concentric zones.

Solutions The tomato spotted wilt virus is transmitted by thrips. Control thrips with applications of insecticidal soap. Removing and destroying infected plants can help control the spread of virus.

* For more information about saving water in your *
* Garden and Landscape: *
* [Click here](#) *

Be A Water Saver

Try these water saving tips:

- ◆Aerate lawns and ground around trees
- ◆Consider installing a drip system to flower beds



**Interested in becoming a
Colusa County Master Gardener?
We are taking applications for the 2011 class.**

[Click here for more information.](#)

For upcoming events and classes:

[Statewide Gardening Classes](#)

For more information about gardening in California:

[California Gardening](#)

For more information about water wise plants:

[UC Davis Arboretum](#)

For water saving tips:

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