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Your Neighborhood Friend For Tree Care

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Our Exceptional Service and Knowledgeable Staff is What Keeps us a “Cut” Above!

The Most Dependable Tree Service Professionals Since 1977

McCullough's Tree Service offices and certified arborists are located in Zanesville, Newark and Columbus, OH. It's easy to locate your closest service professional in your community, meet your local manager, or find out more about the professional tree and lawn care available in your area.

Since 1977, McCullough's Tree Service has been on the cutting-edge of the professional tree service industry. During that time, we have earned a reputation as the area's leading expert in tree care and have become famous for exemplary service, quality workmanship and longstanding client relationships.



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• The first day of spring is called the vernal equinox. The term vernal is Latin for "spring" and equinox is Latin for "equal night."

• While some people prefer not to feed birds in spring and summer, during the spring migration, a feeder might be a useful source of food for traveling birds.

• Honeybees are more likely to swarm during the spring. They swarm as a way to start new colonies from successful ones. Surprisingly, swarming honeybees are very docile and the most friendly they will ever be all year.

• Most arborists recommend pruning dogwoods to improve their vigor and structure. Just make sure you do it in spring, just after their flowers fade, so that you don't stunt next season's buds.



Spring Tree Care and Maintenance

We gleefully enjoy seeing the little buds pop up on the trees and shoots of green coming up from the ground. Those are signs that spring is finally here and hopefully winter is behind us.

What is essential to do this time of year is inspect all your trees for any signs of winter's damage. Damage can be caused from the freezing temperatures winter is known for and Ohio's winter 2017/2018 is no exception. Branches can be frostbitten, and bark/trunk could be starting to split. It's very important for a tree's maintenance to have branches trimmed and trunks repaired that are showing signs of stress.

Our Certified Arborists are trained and well educated on the needs of trees. Pruning can cause stress to a tree, and having an expert take on the task will ensure the proper amount to remove. Trees that are properly pruned live longer, create a safer environment and enhance your property's appearance. We understand that every tree and landscape is unique, which is why we offer a full range of tree services to keep your trees and landscape healthy and vibrant all-year-round.

We consider all the possibilities of saving a tree from removal, but sometimes poor conditions, bad location and other criteria will factor in, and it's best to have it removed for many reasons to avoid risk. We do inspect carefully to see if there is any way we can prevent any tree removal. We also include stump removal with a cutting machine that grounds the stump into wood chips. Stump chips are left on site because they serve as excellent mulch but we will gladly remove the wood chips if you prefer.

We'll assist with tree species selection and planting of a replacement tree that will best thrive in your climate and landscape conditions. We'll evaluate a new tree for your soil conditions, climate and other factors so you get the best tree for your property. Our arborists will help you develop a tree health care plan to help your new tree grow and develop.



Our team is putting all their energy into providing an incredible experience for our clients. We stress that a safe work process and satisfied clients are key components to our success. It is very important that we never break a promise or disappoint a client. It's important to set the right expectations, keep our word and our reputation clean. **We've been getting a lot of wonderful feedback from our clients, and we are so grateful for that!**

Our Promise TO YOU

- We will provide all clients with an Expert Certified Arborist to evaluate their needs and provide a written estimate.
- We offer a 100% guarantee on every project.
- We make it easy, on time and on schedule.

CONTACT US TODAY!

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Insect control

We manage pests including the Emerald Ash Borer and all types of destructive insects which can devalue your property. Countless insects live on, in, and around trees - many are harmless, while others can cause fatal damage.

Chewing Insects - Defoliating insects migrate to the foliage of a tree and feed on the leaves. Other chewing insects attack the fruit. Caterpillars and beetles make up the largest proportion of chewing insects. Generally, trees can bounce back from an attack of these defoliators, though repeat infestation will weaken a tree and can eventually kill it by starving it of energy.

Boring Insects - Boring insects are often the most harmful to trees and if left untreated can cause death. Boring, or tunneling, insects cause damage by boring into the stem, roots, or twigs of a tree. Some lay eggs which then hatch and the larvae burrow more deeply into the wood blocking off the water-conducting tissues of the tree. Signs of borer infestation include entry/exit holes

in the bark, small mounds of sawdust at the base, and sections of the crown wilting and dying. It is important to regularly monitor a tree's trunk for signs of boring insects to enable early identification and quick treatment.

Sucking Insects - These insects do their damage by sucking out the liquid from leaves and twigs. Many sucking insects (e.g. scale insects) are relatively immobile, living on the outside of a branch and forming a hard protective outer coating while they feed on the plant juices in the twig. Quite often they will excrete a sweet, sticky substance known as honeydew which contains unprocessed plant material. Honeydew can cause sooty mold to form on leaves and can become a nuisance for



homeowners. Signs of infestation include scaly formations on branches, dieback of leaves, and honeydew production.

Healthier trees are less likely to become infested, so maintaining the strength and vitality of your tree is an important prevention step. Once insects are present, controlling movement up and down the stem with physical barriers can interrupt the lifecycles of many harmful pests. Call and schedule a No-Cost Consultation with one of our six ISA certified arborists to assess the trees on your property and how best to maximize their health by letting the experts manage the destructive insects on your property.

Tree Fertilization



The main reason to fertilize trees and shrubs is to bolster their health so they are better prepared to fight off pests, disease, and environmental stresses. While fertilizer can't solve all of a tree's problems, it will go a long way to give it a fighting chance.

DOES MY TREE NEED FERTILIZER?

Trees growing in their natural habitat should have access to all of the minerals they need to survive and grow. Anything you can do to mimic that habitat can reduce the need for fertilizer. This may include letting leaves remain on the ground in the fall instead

of raking them up. Chances are, though, that despite your best efforts, the need for fertilizer will not be entirely eliminated.

WHEN SHOULD I HAVE MY TREE FERTILIZED?

A good time to fertilize trees in most Northern temperate climates is from fall to mid-spring. At these times the tree's roots take the nutrients from the soil and apply them to important health-promoting functions such as root development and disease resistance, rather than simply putting out new growth.

During the growing season, fertilizing can help a tree overcome mineral deficiencies and fight off infections. Our formulation will give trees the strength and vitality they need to stay healthy. When you do tree maintenance you will have trees that are resistant to disease and pests. Some of the nutrients will have a chance to be absorbed by the roots and will already be in the ground when the roots resume functioning in the spring. Give us a call today to set up your tree fertilization so you will enjoy your happy, healthy trees for years to come.



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Certified Arborists at a Trusted Company

Our certified arborists are committed to you and the health and safety of your trees. But don't just take their word for it—take it from the knowledge and confidence they have gained through ISA certification. ISA certified arborists have taken the opportunity to further their education and apply their advanced skills to every client interaction.

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At McCullough's Tree Service, there's absolutely NO-COST and absolutely NO OBLIGATION!
Your 100% satisfaction is our priority!



It's always important to make family time a priority!



Thoughts from the Tree House

“And so with the sunshine and the great bursts of leaves growing on the trees, just as things grow in fast movies, I had that familiar conviction that life was beginning over again with the summer.”

– F. Scott Fitzgerald, The Great Gatsby

Life is available to anyone no matter what age. All you have to do is grab it.

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