

## Weed Control

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A thick, healthy lawn is the best defence against dandelions and other weeds. Fertilize your lawn regularly, water it properly and keep it mowed to a height of 2-3" to keep your lawn at its healthiest. Occasionally weed problems still arise in a healthy lawn due to an influx of seeds blowing in, or an unhealthy lawn has been overcome by weeds. In these situations it may seem impossible to control the weeds by picking them by hand, or it may simply be too time-consuming to manage. The use of a post-emergent herbicide to control broad-leaf weeds is a possible solution. We are knowledgeable on what chemicals to use and have the proper equipment to take care of the weed problem for you.

\*\* We maintain a certified pesticide applicator's license and can handle large or commercial weed control jobs as well.

### *Scheduling...*

- Weed Control can be done anytime weeds are growing and the weather conditions do not include moisture. You can book this service as required.

### *Before we arrive...*

- Homeowner needs to ensure any irrigation or watering has not occurred just prior to the application – the plant material needs to be dry for the herbicide to work properly

### *What we do...*

- Applications are calculated to provide the proper amount of herbicide to your lawn
- The herbicide is applied using a backpack sprayer with a regulated flow wand
- This application will work on all broad-leaf weeds, and needs to be exposed to the growing plant material for a minimum of 4 hours before a rain
- The weeds should start to twist and die within 24 hours after the herbicide has been applied

### *Important: What NOT to do after the application...*

- Do not enter treated areas of the lawn (or have pets in the area) for a couple hours to be sure the product has completely dried on the plant, or you may notice spotty areas that won't die
- Do not water the area for 24 hours