

LAWN RENOVATION GUIDE

To improve your lawn, maybe repair some damage area or adjust your mowing height it's a good idea to renovate your entire lawn area. It is like pruning your lawn and is often done in spring, we have a DIY sheet for you to follow or call our office and we will arrange somebody to come out.

Sir Walter lawns in full sun can be renovated just like any couch lawn, this should be done in Spring (late August to October).

DETHATCHING

Use a lawn scarifier to remove any thatch, pass over the lawn twice or more in different directions. A mower can be used to do the same thing, just lower it a couple of notches, it will take longer to repair itself.



RAKE CLIPPINGS

Remove clippings using a plastic rake. They will make great garden mulch or composted in the vegie patch.



MOWING

Now mow your lawn, start on a high setting, then lower it to the desired setting, somewhere between notch 3 – 4 – 5. Mow your lawn twice at this setting in a different direction each time.





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FERTILIZING

Apply soil conditioners, sandy soils require Dolomite, heavy/clayish soils requires Gypsum and Dolomite both at 25kg@100m² Fertilizer use 'Sir Walter' fertilizer at 3 kg @ 100m² or something similar.



TOP DRESSING

Use a good clean soil for best results as long as it comes from a reputable garden centre. Rate 1 m³ of soil to 100 m² of lawn area.



WATER IN

Now using a hand held hose wash the top dressing into the lawn. Give your lawn another watering in the next couple of days.



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