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March 20th

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#### **Shredding Event Scheduled-April 5th:**

Having a cross-cut shredder at home is convenient, but when you have a big pile resulting from a lengthy paperwork purge, taking your bags and boxes of paperwork and mail to a community event makes a lot more sense, and also saves you time. Don't miss out.... The Farm at Arapahoe County Homeowners Association is sponsoring a community-wide Shred Day!

The Farm shredding event will be Saturday, April 5th from 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m., or until the trucks are full, in the Creekside Park parking lot (rain or shine) located at 6201 S. Tower Road, Aurora, CO 80016. No CDs or drives please. Please limit 10 boxes (banker size) or large bags per family.



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# **Board Meetings**

# The Farm at Arapahoe County Homeowners Association Board of Directors Meeting Schedule for 2025:

The Farm at Arapahoe County Board of Directors typically meets quarterly on the second Wednesday of February, May, August, and November at 6:15 PM via Zoom. However, additional board meetings have been scheduled this year. Please email PCMS at Corpoffice@pcms.net if you would like confirmation of the Zoom meeting login details. Be sure to include the address of the property you own when requesting this information.

- March 12, 2025-6:15 PM
- May 14, 2025-6:15 PM
- June 11, 2025-6:15 PM
- July 9, 2025-6:15 PM
- August 13, 2025-6:15 PM
- November 12, 2025-6:15 PM-Annual Membership & Budget Ratification Meetings-Please refer to the annual notice, which will be mailed to all homeowners of record, for detailed information, including login details and instructions.

You can also visit The Farm HOA website at <a href="https://www.TheFarmHOA.com">www.TheFarmHOA.com</a> for the most up-to-date meeting dates/times.

# **2025 Hillcrest at The Farm Owners Association Board Meeting Information:**

The Hillcrest at The Farm Board of Directors meets quarterly on the 2nd Thursday of February, May, August and November at 6:00 PM via Zoom. Please email PCMS at Corpoffice@pcms.net if you would like confirmation of the Zoom meeting login details. Be sure to include the address of the property you own when requesting this information.

- May 8, 2025-6:00 PM
- August 14, 2025-6:00 PM
- November 13, 2025-6:00 PM-Annual Membership & Budget Ratification Meetings-Please refer to the annual notice, which will be mailed to all homeowners of record, for detailed information, including login details and instructions.

You can also visit <a href="https://www.HillcrestAtTheFarmHOA.com">www.HillcrestAtTheFarmHOA.com</a> for the most up-to-date meeting dates and times.

#### **Homestead at the Farm**

Meetings are held virtually.

Please watch your email for the meeting link and agenda.

- 5/13/2025 5:00pm hatf BOD
- 9/16/2025 5:00pm hatf BOD
- 11/18/2025 6:00pm hatf budget ratification/annual meeting



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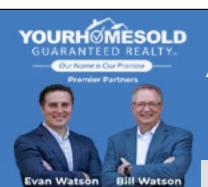
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#### 5 Star Review from the Seller of 6703 S. Tempe



"Bill and his team are amazing to work with. We first met Bill when we purchased our home and were so impressed by his professionalism and kindness that when it was time for us to sell, we immediately knew he would be the best person to do it. Because we live out of state, It was especially important for us to have a realtor that is efficient, responsive and trustworthy. Bill took care of everything, from helping us find contractors in his network for necessary repairs, to quickly finding us a buyer, and couldn't have made the process of selling our home any easier. We highly recommend him!

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To learn more Call or Text Deano Karavitas at 303-304-9385







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ADDRESS	SOLD PRICE	DOM	BED	BATH	SQ. FT.
18132 E. Euclid Pl.	\$1,046,000	48	4	4	3,581
6294 S. Ouray Ct.	\$820,000	12	4	4	3,165
17393 E. Lake Pl.	\$750,000	31	5	3	2,718
17712 E. Maplewood Cir.	\$694,000	96	4	3	2,613

Average Sales Price: \$827,500

Average Days on Market (DOM) 47

Available Homes: As of 02/15/2025 there are 2 Properties Available for Sale in The Farm.

**Aurora Market Snapshot (JAN 20, 2025 - FEB 19, 2025)** 

376 Sold Listings / \$493,000 Average Sales Price / 95 Average Days on Market

- Based on information from REcolorado, Inc. for the period of 01/16/2025 through 02/15/2025.
- Not all properties were listed and/or sold by Your Home Sold Guaranteed Realty Premier Partners
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#### Are You Asking Yourself These Questions About Selling Your House?

Article from Bill Watson, Your Home Sold Guaranteed Realty - Premier Partners

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Some homeowners hesitate to sell because they've got unanswered questions that hold them back. But a lot of times their concerns are based on misconceptions, not facts. And if they'd just talk to an agent about it, they'd see these doubts aren't necessarily a hurdle at all.

If uncertainty is keeping you from making a move, it's time to get the real answers. The ones you deserve. And to take the pressure off, you don't have to ask the questions, because here's the data that answers them.

#### 1. Is It Even a Good Idea To Move Right Now?

If you own a home already, you may be tempted to wait because you don't want to sell and take on a higher mortgage rate on your next house. But your move may be a lot more feasible than you think, and that's because of how much your house has likely grown in value.

Think about it. Do you know anyone in your neighborhood who's sold their house recently? If so, did you hear what it sold for? With how much home values have gone up in recent years, the number may surprise you. According to Lawrence Yun, Chief Economist at the National Association of Realtors (NAR), the typical homeowner has gained \$147,000 in housing wealth in the last five years alone.

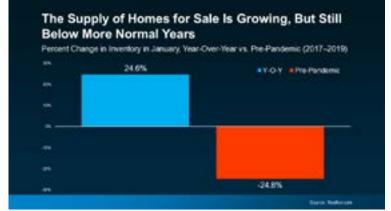
That's significant – and when you sell, that can give you what you need to fund your next move.

#### 2. Will I Be Able To Find a Home I Like?

If this is on your mind, it's probably because you remember just how hard it was to find a home over the past few years. But in today's market, it isn't as challenging.

Data from Realtor.com shows how much inventory has increased – it's up nearly 25% compared to this time last year (see graph on right):

Even though inventory is still below more normal pre-pandemic levels, it's improved a lot in the past year. And the best part is, experts say it'll grow another 10 to 15% this year. That means you have more options for your move – and the best chance in years to find a home you love.



#### 3. Are Buyers Still Buying?

And last, if you're worried no one's buying with rates and prices where they are right now, here's some perspective that can help. While there weren't as many home sales last year as there'd be in a normal market, roughly 4.24 million homes still sold (not including new construction), according to the National Association of Realtors (NAR). And the expectation is that number will rise in 2025. But even if we only match how many homes sold last year, here's what that looks like.

- 4.24 million homes ÷ 365 days in a year = 11,616 homes sell each day
- 11,616 homes ÷ 24 hours in a day = **484 homes sell per hour**
- 484 homes ÷ 60 minutes = 8 homes sell every minute

Think about that. Just in the time it took you to read this, 8 homes sold. Let this reassure you – the market isn't at a standstill. Every day, thousands of people buy, and they're looking for homes like yours.

#### **Bottom Line:**

When you're ready to walk through what's on your mind, I have the answers you need. And in the meantime, tell me: what's holding you back from making your move?

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<b>Business Card</b>	1/6 Page	1/4 Page
\$30 per issue	\$45 per issue	\$60 per issue
1/3 Page	Half Page	Full Page
\$75 per issue	\$85 per issue	\$110 per issue

Deadline is always the 20th of the preceding month. Email kerri@porchlink with any questions.

Text us at 720-295-2649 with your email address and we will send you a current rate sheet!



## **Complaint Procedure**

Who May Submit Complaints? Complaints regarding alleged violations of the Covenants, Design Guidelines or Rules and Regulations may be reported by members of the Board of Directors, members of the Community or the Association's Manager.

How Complaints Should be Submitted. Complaints by a member of the community shall be in writing and must include a contact name and email address or phone number in case there is an inquiry from the Board or management office regarding the complaint submitted. Anonymous complaints will not be accepted. Your name and contact information will not be provided to the person you have made a complaint about; it is only needed for the management team. The member must have observed the alleged violation and shall contain the nature of the alleged violation, the location of the alleged violation and the date it was observed, photos are very helpful. A complaint may also be submitted by any member of the Board of Directors or by the Association Manager after a walk-through or inspection of the community.

You may send your concerns to PCMS via email at <a href="mailto:support@pcms.net">support@pcms.net</a> or via fax at 303-224-0002.







# **Teen Services Update:**

If you have previously registered your teenager for the Teen Services listing in the newsletter publication and your teen is no longer interested in having their name listed or has moved out of the community, please send an email to <a href="mailto:corpoffice@pcms.net">corpoffice@pcms.net</a> and request that your teens name be removed from the list. The Association has received a few calls indicating that they have tried calling several of the teens listed and were told they are now at college or moved, etc.



Waste Connections is dedicated to supporting the communities we serve. In partnership with Volunteers of America, we are collecting non-perishable food items to assist displaced Veterans.

We invite you to help us reach our goal of gathering 15,000 food items. To make participation easy, simply place your non-perishable food donations by your toter on Monday 3/17/25, and our team will drive through the neighborhood to collect the items using a pickup truck.

Below is a list of the items we are seeking:

# Volunteers of America Veteran Service Center is accepting non-perishable grab and go food items:

Granola bars Fruit cups Crackers Snack Bars Trail mix Jerky

ToGo peanut butter

Cup O'Noodles Dried fruit

With your help we can feed the less fortunate. We appreciate anything that you can give.





We have been advertising in the Porchlink newsletters for almost 2 years now. The staff is always professional and pleasant to work with. The newsletter has been very helpful in getting business for our small plumbing company. The ad usually pays for itself each month because so many people use it to get reasonable, trustworthy services.

#### **Michelle Cox**

**Neighborhood Plumber** 





#### **Aurora Gateway Rotary Club**

The Aurora Gateway Rotary Club is a vibrant, innovative service organization that makes a difference in our community.

We have members from diverse backgrounds and that allows us to increase our impact on the community.

We would love to have you see what we're all about and if it would be a good fit for you. You can sign up to attend one of our Friday meetings and enjoy free breakfast by calling or texting our Membership Chair Michael Rush at 720-288-0592.



www.auroragatewayrotary.org

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Classified advertising through Porchlink has been pleasant and productive for our small business. We've received a great deal of business in the targeted areas the newsletter reaches.

#### Valerie Petersen

**Petersen Custom Glass, LLC** 

#### Try classified advertising-It's easy, affordable and **EFFECTIVE!**

Our classified advertising option has been a great success for small, local businesses interested in marketing in an EFFECTIVE & AFFORDABLE way!

And it's EASY to do- simply email kerri@porchlink.com with the text for your ad (base pricing for 25 words, \$.50 per additional word) and let us know which newsletters you would like to advertise in.

Best of all- new advertisers can try classified advertising in and receive the same ad FREE in The following month's issue! Our deadline is always the 20th of the preceding month.

There is no long term commitment, you are welcome to advertise on a monthly basis depending on your needs. However, most of our classified advertisers stick with us month after month... for years!

#### Why not give it a try?

Email kerri@porchlink.com with any questions. We'd be happy to email you any past newsletters or samples of classified ads for reference.

Rates per issue for 25 words, \$.50 per additional word:									
Publication	# of Homes	Rates per issue							
Stonegate	4,600	\$35							
Stroh Ranch	2,400	\$25							
Pradera	550	\$25							
ALL OF Parker (above)	7,550 HOMES	\$75							
Blackstone	2,457	\$35							
<b>Tollgate Crossing</b>	1,500	\$25							
Tallyn's Reach	2,037	\$35							
Saddle Rock North	663	\$25							
Saddle Rock East/South	1,566	\$25							
Murphy Creek	1,400	\$20							
The Farm	1,500	\$10							
ALL OF Aurora (above)	11,123 HOMES	\$165							
Willow Creek 1, 2, and 3	1,629	\$35							
Foxridge	1,000	\$25							
Hunters Hill	275	\$10							
ALL OF Centennial	2,904 HOMES	\$60							
Sapphire Pointe	800	\$15							
Founders Village	2,200	\$15							
ALL OF Castle Rock	3,000 HOMES	\$25							
Colliers Hill (Erie)	1,686	\$25							



#### **Waste Connections 2025 Recycle Schedule**

THE FARM is on the "A WEEK" Schedule | 303-288-2100 | www.wcdenver.com

A WEEK=

Recycling collection will be every other week. Your pick-up is on your regular service day. Please refer to the highlighted lines of this calendar to determine your recycling collection week.

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= We observe the following holidays: New Years, Memorial Day, July 4th, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Unless it falls on a weekend day.

Your holiday collection schedule will run 1 DAY LATE (Mon. will be Tues. and so on and Fri. will be Sat.) If your normal pick-up day falls on or after the holiday within the same week.

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Plastic Bags • Plastic Tops • Shredded Paper • Hard-Back Books • Scrap Metal

Tyvek® Envelopes • Plastic 6-Pack Holders • Needles or Syringes

Paper Ream Wrappers • Plastic Microwave Trays • Frozen Food Containers • Mirrors,

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Than Those Listed • Tissues, Paper Towels, Napkins

Waxed Paper or Waxed Cardboard • Stickers or Sheets of Address Labels • Kraft® (orange/brown) Envelopes • Styrofoam® Cups, Plates, Paper To-Go Containers





## **Fox Hollow PTO Community Corner**



#### To Our Community

#### Please be patient at drop off 7:45 am - 8:00 am

Drop off takes longer in the winter due to the cold weather. More families drive to school, so please slow down and be patient at Waco and Tower. We move cars as fast as we can and it's important to keep all kids and families safe.

#### Conference Week

March 3rd - 7th

#### Scholastic Book Fair

March 3rd - 6th 7:30 am
School Library/Innovation Space
Every Purchase Benefits Fox Hollow. Stop By During Conferences!

# Staff Luncheon March 4th

#### Food For Friends Spring Food Drive

March 10th - 14th

#### **Spring Break**

March 17th - 21st
No School For Students and Staff
Have Fun & Stay Safe







Do Not Play on The Playground during school hours 7:40am-3pm everyday Including Wednesdays

No Walking Dogs On School Grounds 7:30am-3:30pm Service Dogs Must Be Visibly Labeled

# The Farm Teen Services

# To add your name please contact: corpoffice@pcms.net ♦ updated March 2025 The Teen Services listing will be offered and maintained by the Homeowners Association and is not a service of Porchlink Media, LLC. Any misuse of the listing should be reported immediately to the Homeowners Association.

Name	Phone Number	Baby Sitter	Red Cross Certified	Pet Sitter	House Sitter	Lawn Mowing	Chores	Snow Removal	Other
Zachary Ammon	303-221-0626	✓	✓						
Aidan Anderson	720-412-6174					<b>✓</b>			
Isaac Anderson	303-549-1757				head	dlight polishi	ng		
Sophia Anderson	303-549-3867	✓		✓ dogs	✓				dog walking
Stratton Anderson	303-549-2170			<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>~</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>	math tutoring (middle school and younger) dog walking
Eva Atkinson	720-551-1644 303-408-7114	✓		✓					
Alina Bates	303-408-2795								dog walking
Jacob Blevins	951-776-6969					✓			weeding
Trevor Bock	720-481-8481			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Joshua Brito-Mariani	303-803-2601			✓		✓		✓	tutor
Cooper Elmore	720-584-2549	✓		<b>✓</b>	✓				
Chase Enriquez	303-619-9315			✓		✓			
Kelcie G, 15	406-599-0345			✓					
Alejandro Garcia, 14	720-675-0353				✓	✓	✓	✓	
Leonardo Garcia, 15	720-469-3051				✓	✓	✓	✓	
Sophia Good	248-897-5105	✓	✓	✓					swim lessons
Natalie Krier	720-717-6779	✓	✓						
Zoe Lapidow, 16	720-666-5060	✓	✓						
Lili Lombard	720-477-0308	✓	✓						
Ellie Lucas.	303-396-8340	✓	✓						
Natalie Marcinek	321-537-9332	✓	✓						
Sophia Marcinek	321-794-7947	✓		✓	✓		✓		
Jaya Messer	303-903-9234	✓		✓	✓				Dog walker
Keegan Parris	720-410-2865	✓		✓		✓			
Lily Parris	720-410-2865	✓		✓		✓			
Kariana Rodriguez, 14	720-261-5438	✓	✓	✓	✓				Dog walker
Alejandro Salazar, 16	720-291-1279	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	tutor
Audrey Seidel	720-926-3771	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
Tenzing Sherpa	303-396-9194	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		tutor
Allie Smith	720-537-6624	✓		✓	<b>√</b>				Soccer Lessons, Tutor
Caleb Smith	720-422-1216	✓	✓	✓ ✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Baseball Lessons
Maddie Squires	720-318-5912	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>~</b>	✓			~	Tutoring middle school & younger, dog walking
Hallie Stevens 13	505-263-3528	VΠ		<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>		<b>√</b>		Dog walking Weed picking
Reagan Stone	720-560-3706	✓	✓	✓			✓		swim lessons
Harper Stull, 13	720-660-1259			<b>√</b>	✓		✓		leaf removal, gardening, dog waste collection
Emma Tebben	720-476-2404	✓		✓	✓	✓			tutor & dog walker
Noah Tebben	720-628-7606			✓	✓	✓	✓		dog walker
Adler Tuley	720-808-1442					✓			Fertilization
Everest Tuley	720-808-1442					✓			Fertilization
Mikaela Vernikoff	720-371-0352	✓	✓	✓	✓				
Alexis Walton	720-252-6689	✓		✓	✓				
lan Weidner	720-665-3319	✓	✓	✓	✓				



# Park and Field Reservation Information/Goodman Metropolitan District Contact Information:

Please note that the Goodman Metropolitan District provides the management of the areas that are owned by the District which includes the baseball fields, open fields and Central Park. Visit the parks page at Goodmanmetro.org for more info if you are interested in reserving the fields or park areas in the community. Completed applications and checks can be dropped off or mailed to Goodman Metro District c/o PCMS 7208 S. Tucson Way, #125, Centennial, CO 80112.

#### **Goodman Metropolitan District Updates:**

If you would like to receive updates from the Goodman Metropolitan District regarding the Parks and Trails within The Farm, please contact Allison Hanson at <a href="mailto:ahanson@wbapc.com">ahanson@wbapc.com</a> or 303-858-1800.

#### **Application Review Procedure of the DRB**

In order to try and improve the current homeowner design review request submittal procedure, our DRB has established a process for the receipt, review and response of all future design review requests. The DRB will schedule and convene meetings as necessary to review homeowner applications submitted to the management company, PCMS based upon the following schedule; a) owner applications with all required additional documentation received by the first Friday of the month will be reviewed by the DRB for response to the owner by the third Friday of the month; b) owner applications with all required additional documentation received by the third Friday of the month will be reviewed by the DRB for response to the owner by the first Friday of the month. These schedules are subject to change by the DRB.

# Questions on process for submitting architectural or design review plans?

Please note that the e-mail address for all design review requests and inquiries regarding the submittal process at <a href="design:des



EMERGENCY (Police& Fire):

911

**Member Notification Information:** 

#### **Community Legal Name:**

The Farm at Arapahoe County Homeowners Association, Inc.

Date Declaration Recorded: March 25, 1998

**Fiscal Year: January-December** 

#### Assessment: \$52 per month

Assessment Includes: trash removal, social activities, newsletter, common area landscape maintenance and covenant enforcement

Community Representative: Mark L. Eames, PCAM
CAM Lic. No. RM 000001261

Management Company: PCMS Office: 303-224-0004

#### For Association Issues:

Covenants, HOA Assessments, and Design Review Requests

Address: 7208 S. Tucson Way, Suite 125, Centennial, CO 80112

Fax:

**Hours:** 

303-224-0002

Email: corpoffice@pcms.net

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Mon-Thurs 7:30 am - 4:30 pm Fri 7:30 am - 12:30 pm

COMMUNITY WEBSITE: www.thefarmhoa.com

<u>DOCUMENTS</u>: The Master Declaration of Covenants and Design Guidelines can be viewed at the The Farm website at www.thefarmhoa.com. All other documents are available by email, fax or mail if requested.

CHECK POLICY: By issuing or providing a check as payment, you authorize us either to use the information from your check to make a one-time electronic funds transfer from your account, or to process the payment as a check transaction.

NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH: To report any vandalism or suspicious activities call: Arapahoe County Sheriff Dispatch: 303-795-4711

HOMESTEAD AT THE FARM SUB-ASSOCIATION c/o Avenue 1 Properties: 303-804-9800

HILLCREST COMMUNITY AT THE FARM SUB-ASSOCIATION c/o PCMS: 303-224-0004

#### **SERVICES & UTILITIES**

Arapahoe County Sheriff: 303-795-4711

Electricity & Gas - Xcel Energy: 800-895-1999
Intermountain Rural Electric: 303-688-3100

United States Post Office: 800-275-8777

Snow Removal, Street & Sign Damage: Arapahoe County Public Works: 720-874-6500

#### **NEWSLETTER**

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- Solvents
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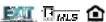


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# Shamrock or Clover – What is the Difference?

The month of March often brings to mind all things green – the first shoots of spring bulbs and leaves starting to emerge, leprechauns, green beer, and shamrocks. You may already be familiar with the shamrock because of its connections to St. Patrick's Day, and mistake it for a lucky four-leaf clover.

The shamrock of Irish lore hails from its connection to the patron saint of Ireland, Saint Patrick. Legend has it that during his attempts to convert the Irish to Christianity, he used the three leaves of the shamrock to explain the Holy Trinity of Christianity – the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. It has become the most commonly recognized symbol of Ireland.

Shamrocks and clover are often confused as being the same thing due to their similar appearance and leaf formations. Although the name Shamrock comes from the Irish word "seamrog" and literally means "young clover," the plants you'll see in stores this time of year labeled as shamrocks are actually not clovers at all! They are a member of the Oxalis genus and come from the wood-sorrel family of plants. They are not even close relatives of clover. Oxalis grow from small bulbs or tubers and have a shallow root system. Over 500 different varieties are available, but most spring Oxalis have delicate white blooms and distinctive 3-part triangular or heart-shaped leaves, sporting rich shades of color – from intense greens to saturated maroons to some variegated varieties. You will also rarely find types with an extra leaf just like the lucky four-leaf clover

True clovers can have leaves divided in two, three or sometimes four leaflets. Clover leaves are somewhat oval-shaped and have small "teeth" along the edges. And while finding a four-leaf clover usually means good luck, finding a plethora of clover in your lawn can mean quite another thing – or not.

Many homeowners dread the sight of clover in their otherwise weed-free lawn, and consider it a nuisance. However, countless others love clover and plant it on purpose, with the intent of saving on fertilizer costs, helping pollinators, or both. One thing clover won't do is save water—it has the same water requirements as typical lawn grasses like Kentucky bluegrass.

Clovers are perennials of the genus Trifolium (Latin for three leaves!) which includes over 300 species. They are members of the legume/pea family. The most common variety we see in lawns is the white clover. It has true green leaves, sometimes with a faint pattern on top, and blooms with compact flower heads that can range from white to pink in color. This hardy, low-growing species can spread quickly. White clover mixes well with Kentucky bluegrass, fescues, and perennial ryegrass, making it a perfect companion for your lawn if you choose to combine them.

Although they are perennials in their native ranges, shamrocks are much more well known and grown here in the US as beautiful houseplants. These cheery blooming plants can easily be grown at home. As a bonus, the leaves of shamrock plants perform their own daily "dance." The leaves fully open when the sun is present, but react to the absence of sunlight by closing at night or when it is overcast. In daylight, you will also often see the stalks stretch toward the sun or the leaves move to face as much sunlight as they can.

A deep purple variety of this plant is sometimes available as well, often referred to as "false shamrock," or "butterfly plant" due to its leaf shape mimicking butterfly wings. Its striking appearance and color make it a popular choice as a houseplant.

Although shamrocks and clover have some definite differences, we can all appreciate their similarities and the attractive features of these two green harbingers of spring!



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