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WILD VIOLET

Viola papilionacea

IDENTIFICATION TIPS

- ▶ Small, pansy-like flowers feature five blue-violet, lilac or white petals.
- ▶ Heart-shaped leaves with scalloped edges are often cupped toward the petiole to form a funnel shape.
- ▶ It grows in bunches, reaching a height of 2 to 5 in.
- ▶ It's most often found in cool, shady, moist, fertile soil.

CONTROL TIPS

- ▶ Wild violet is difficult to control because of its aggressive growth and resistance to many herbicides.
- ▶ Apply a post-emergence broadleaf herbicide as soon as violets reach the two-leaf stage of growth.
- ▶ The best control is provided by triclopyr, either alone or in two- and three-way combinations with other broadleaf herbicides.



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DANDELION

Taraxacum officinale

IDENTIFICATION TIPS

- ▶ Bright yellow blossoms of many petals are followed by puffball seed carriers.
- ▶ Long, hairless leaves with jagged teeth grow from low rosettes.
- ▶ Leafless, hollow stems emit a white, milky sap when broken.
- ▶ It grows all summer long in most conditions and soils, but thrives in thin turf.

CONTROL TIPS

- ▶ When soil temperatures are below 60° F in early fall or late winter, apply a broadleaf pre-emergence herbicide.
- ▶ It's good turf maintenance to reduce thin turf to help prevent spread.

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