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www.guiaverde.com - Turfgrass guide in Spanish
www.rapidturf.com - Grass grown via a plastic medium
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www.turf.uiuc.edu - The University of Illinois Turfgrass Program has the best collection of links to help lawn care and turfgrass professionals
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www.athenet.net/~jlindsay/NLCN.shtml - Take a look at National Lawn Care Now!

www.treeview.com - plants and large trees
www.treeinfo.com - media accounts, news, views, tips and links all about tree care
www.amfor.org - information and links about tree care
forestry.miningco.com - a search site with many links to tree care-related websites. A good place to start for such information
www.teleport.com/~pnwisa/tree-care - "Landscape Tree Care 101," it supplies tips on pruning and other tree-related assignments
www.ag.uiuc.edu/~isa - From the International Society of Arboriculture
www.willow.ncfes.umn.edu - From the U.S. Forest Service in St. Paul; includes hot topics and other critical tree care information
www.willow.ncfes.umn.edu/Hazard/HAZARD.HTM - Dealing with hazard trees
www.willow.ncfes.umn.edu/HT_Prune/prune001 - Illustrated guide on how to prune trees
www.odf.state.or.us - Oregon Dept. of Forestry; an extensive collection of research, tips
www.natarb.com - National Arborist Association home page
www.bartlett.com - Very complete site from Bartlett Tree Experts — in business since 1907
www.davey.com - Davey Tree Expert Site with a question site, Tree Talk — in business since 1880

www.extension.tamu.edu/info/extoxnet - From the Extension Toxicology Network, designed to explain toxicological risk from pesticides in laymen's terms.
http://cygnus.tamu.edu/Textlab/Lawns/laqw.html - Texas Plant Disease Handbook

www.wilstar.com - The Weed Science Society of America has a virtual compendium of research, tips and links all about weed control

www.amfor.org - Insects and other organisms are thoroughly covered here, from Van Waters and Rogers
www.agric.org/agdb/terc.html - Turfgrass entomology reference chart with photos for identifying pest problems
www.biohaven.com/links - Important links for biology/entomology
www.ent.iastate.edu/list - Search engine for entomology issues
www.wisc.edu/phlealthsr/tddl/docs - The "Turfgrass Diseases Link Page."
www.mindspring.com/~turf-tek - Diagnost

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www.garden.org - From the National Gardening Association
www.gardenweb.com - "The Internet's Gardening Community," much information and links
www.wormsway.com - "The Urban Farming Sourcebook"
http://haven.ios.com/~mckenzie/rhodo05.htm - The Rhododendron Page

GOLF

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www.nps.gov/htdocs1/cue - The Center for Urban Ecology, it provides information on landscapes in which people interact—parks, etc.; very thorough, it covers site selection to IPM

www.opei.mow.org - It's called Cyberlawn, with information and links regarding power equipment and turf

www.horticulture.com - Called "The Horticultural Web," this search engine covers an array of ag issues

www.greenlink.org - Environmental activists focused on the Midwest, it provides links to ecology-oriented sites, including aquacultural techniques for ponds

www.flowerweb.nl - Flowers, plants and trees; links

www.plantamerica.com - A "learning network" containing much information, links

www.broccologroup.com - Tips and links from green industry veteran Laurie Broccoli

www.128.227.103.58/txt/fairs/3635 - Information on groundcovers and numerous links through the Florida Agricultural Information Retrieval System

www.designerlandscape.com - Displays design elements and supplies several links

WATER

www.tiac.net/users/lakes - Extensive information here; management tips for ponds and lakes

www.irrigate.com - a search engine developed by the Irrigation Association

www.wateright.org - Look here for an irrigation scheduling program for heavy turf, agricultural and homeowner applications

SNOW

www.articsnowplows.com - Commercial site for snow removal equipment

www.sima.org - Snow and Ice Management Association

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http://agnews.tamu.edu - Huge search engine from Texas A&M

www.agscape.net - Links to worldwide agricultural journals, news and tips

www.okstate.edu/OSU_Ag/agedcm4h/bbslist - Many ag-related sites, including organizations, publications, government agencies

INFORMATION

www.coaps.fsu.edu/lib/elninolinks - Site covers weather-related issues and horticultural impacts

www.ace.ace.orst.edu/info/nptn - From the National Pesticide Telecommunications Network; an extensive resource of information and links, including government agencies

www.usda.gov - The United States Dept. of Agriculture

www.cdc.gov - Centers for Disease Control; information on pest-borne illnesses and other health issues

www.tnris.state.tx.us - The Texas Natural Resources Information System, it provides much information about the Lone Star State

www.usnews.com/usnews/edu/college - From U.S. News and World Report, a guide to selecting higher education offerings in the green industry

www.artbell.com - Nothing to do with the green industry; links galore for bigfoot, flying saucers, aliens and all things bizarre

http://dspace.dial.pipex.com - The British Lawnmower Museum; a cut above the rest

www.intellicast.com - Check your hometown weather radar screen and track the latest storm as it moves in

www.greenadvice.com - From a business consulting firm focusing on green industry clients

www.turfzone.com - "The Resource Site for the Turf Industry," it provides links to industry suppliers

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