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A look at how Landscape Management's design and focus have evolved over five decades. By Marisa Palmieri



## 1962

#### Weeds and Turf debuts.

NOTABLE: Noticing a rise in demand for contract outdoor chemical applications, *Pest Control* magazine (now *Pest Management Professional*) begins running a monthly supplement called *Weeds and Turf.* 



## 1965

## We adopt a new name, Weeds Trees and Turf.

NOTABLE: "Trees" is added to the now standalone publication's name to reflect a shift in readership. The tagline is "Monthly magazine of methods, chemicals and equipment for vegetation maintenance and control."



#### 1970S

# Weeds Trees & Turf gets a groovy new logo.

NOTABLE: Lawn Care Industry, a news-driven, tabloid-sized publication, accompanies Weeds Trees & Turf starting in 1977.



## 1987

# We debut a new name: Landscape Management.

**NOTABLE:** By now we focus on landscape, golf and grounds professionals. *Lawn Care Industry* continues as a separate publication.



#### 1991

# A new *LM* logo and redesign appear in October.

NOTABLE: The editor's note touts: "What you'll be reading now is a combination USA Today, Business Week and the 'old' Landscape Management."

Lawn Care Industry rolls into LM.



### 1995

## *LM* gets another facelift, starting in November.

NOTABLE: The editor's note mentions the magazine's new tech-y feature: an email account for readers to communicate with the staff. (In case you're curious, it was 75553.502@ compuserve.com!)



#### 1999

# The September issue features another new logo and redesign.

**NOTABLE:** *LM*'s focus becomes more vertical, dropping coverage of the golf market with the relaunch earlier that year of sister publication *Golfdom*.



#### 2009

#### LM gets a modern look.

NOTABLE: LM's award-winning art director, Carrie Parkhill Wallace, puts her stamp on the publication's design with a new, sans-serif typeface for the logo, starting with the January issue. It's still our look today.