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Late Summer Living



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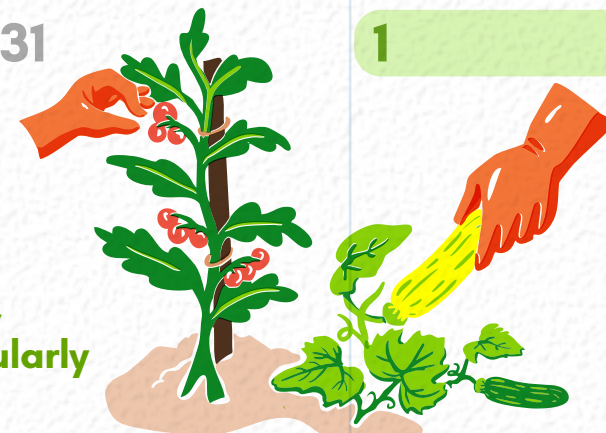
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HARVEST AND PRESERVE:

Harvest tomatoes, zucchini, cucumbers, and beans regularly to keep plants productive.



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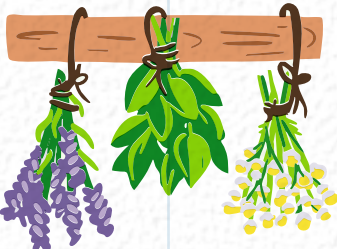
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Cut flowers for fresh bouquets or drying.

Preserve herbs by drying or freezing for use over winter.



Blanch and freeze excess produce, or prep for pickling and canning.



NATIONAL SNEAK SOME ZUCCHINI ONTO YOUR NEIGHBOR'S PORCH DAY

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SUPPORT POLLINATORS:

Let herbs bloom & bolt to support pollinators.



Plant or maintain late-season pollinators like Goldenrod, Joe Pye Weed, Sedum, and Rudbeckia.



Avoid spraying insecticides on blooming plants.



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PREPARE THE GARDEN FOR FALL:

Leave milkweed plants standing for monarchs still laying eggs.

Prune shrubs that have already bloomed.



Continue to water newly planted trees, shrubs, and perennials well.



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Clear space in veggie beds where early crops have finished.

CHECK IN ON HOUSEPLANTS:

Cut back spent or diseased perennials and annuals.



Repot rootbound plants with Tonka Terra Indoor Potting Soil.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR BEGINS



Clean and dust leaves.



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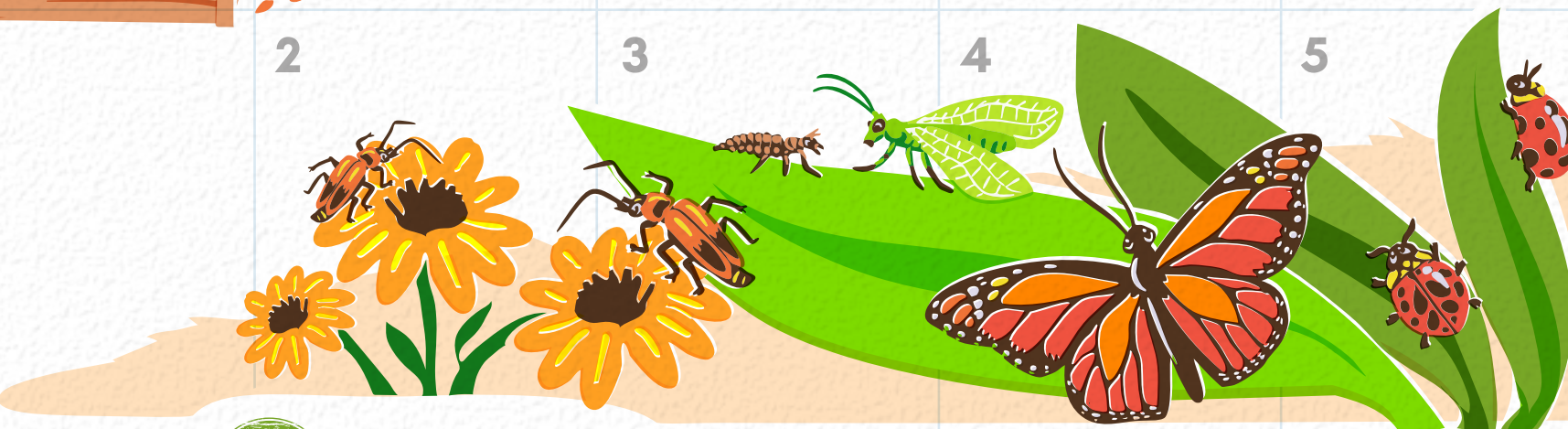
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Check for pests, especially if moving plants indoors.



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