

A landscaper explains why it's so important to get rid of leaves for a healthy lawn

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They look beautiful when they turn colors but now they'll soon fall and cause a headache for homeowners.

Why is it so important for the health of your lawn to get rid of the leaves?

Landscaper Sam Forline explains, "If this gets wet, all of the grass underneath will die."

Forline says whether you rake or blow, get the fallen leaves up.

It can be a big task but Forline has a game plan for us.

Start at the back of the yard, work your way to the front, and lay out a tarp.

"You can blow or rake leaves on the tarp and drag it to the front of your house," says Forline.

Then dump them like this to the curb for pickup.