



"Gratitude is the fairest blossom which springs from the soul!"

1. ~ Henry Ward Beecher



"Gratitude is heaven itself."

~William Blake



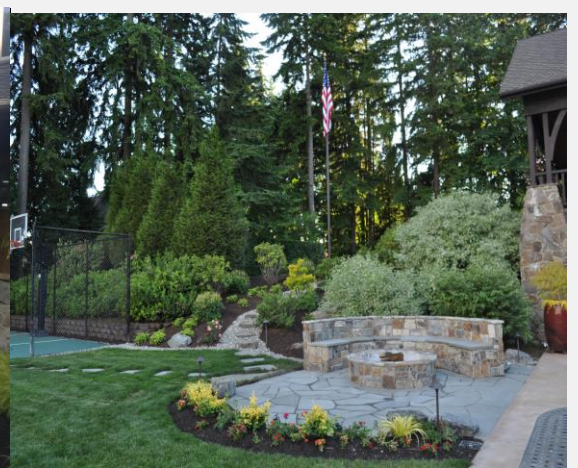
"Piglet noticed that even though he had a very small heart, it could hold a rather large amount of Gratitude."

~ A.A. Milne, from Winnie-the-Pooh

Gratitude....

Jeff and I have so many things that we are grateful for in our lives. We are very active in our industry and with our professional development group, the Washington State Association Of Landscape Professionals (WALP).

And we have always known that our customers are the greatest. What a delight to have the two cross paths and enhance our gratitude even more. The Littlefield's hosted one of the stops on our annual bus tour showcasing award winning landscape projects and maintenance to our peers of Contractors, Designers and Landscape Architects. Our customers' kindness, warmth and generosity elevated the experience exponentially with their welcoming participation and it was definitely the hit of the tour.



November has always been one of our favorite months. The holiday season is kicking into high gear and Thanksgiving gives us time to pause and give thanks for our health, each other, our family, the amazing relationships we have with our friends, colleagues, vendors and especially our customers.

November Fun Facts....

The first record of the term "Pilgrim" appeared in William Bradfords, "Of Plymouth Plantation" describing their departure from Leiden in 1620: "So they left a goodly & pleasurable city, which had been their resting place, here 12 years but they knew they were pilgrims & looked not much on these things but lift up their eyes to ye heavens, their dearest country and quieted their spirits."

The interesting fact is that less than half of the 102 people on the Mayflower were "Pilgrims" separatist protestants called 'Saints' at the time, the others half were called 'Strangers' and were just hitching a ride to the new world. They collectively signed an agreement before they landed to ensure representative self-government, by which all of them would be bound regardless of religious belief. The Mayflower Compact was the first written framework of majority governance in America.

What's Growing on...

News & Noteworthy

Starting the first week in November, we will be going to our winter scheduled service which is twice monthly. Full service weeks are scheduled to fall on:

- November 3 – 7, 2014
- November 17 – 21, 2014
- December 1 – 5, 2014
- December 15 – 18, 2014
- January 12 – 16, 2015
- January 26 – 30, 2015
- February 9 – 13, 2015
- February 23 – 27, 2015

We have placed winter fertilizer on lawns and blown-out most of the irrigation systems. Make sure your "clock" is turned to the "off" position. Please call Resa at 206-619-9993, if you are not sure these services are included in your contract and want to have either of them done.