

## Pest Control for August into September

The following are the types of plants to inspect, the pest is what kind of pest you will see in your landscape, and the action is what to do when inspecting your landscape.

Plant	Pest	Action
Andromeda		<b>Andromeda Lacebug (last generation)</b> Inspect underside of new growth for adults. Treat with <a href="#">Sevin</a> if needed.
Cherry		<b>White Prunicola Scale</b> Inspect for pale white crawlers on stems and leaves. Last chance to treat with <a href="#">Espoma Earth Tone Insect Control</a> if needed.
Crabapple		<b>Eastern Tent Caterpillar</b> Examine branch tips for shiny black egg masses and remove.
Dogwood		<b>Dogwood Borer</b> Inspect trunk and large branches for holes and fresh sawdust. Destroy by hand or treat with <a href="#">nematodes</a> .
		<b>Dogwood Sawfly</b> Inspect leaves for clusters of larvae covered in white wax. Pick off infested leaves or treat with <a href="#">All Season's Spray Oil</a> if needed.

**Euonymus**



**Euonymus Scale**

Inspect for red-orange crawlers on stems and leaves. Last chance to treat with [All Season's Spray Oil](#) if needed.

**Hardwoods**



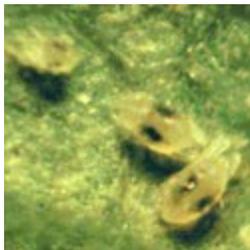
**Fall Webworm**

Check tip leaves for eggs and larvae. Prune or treat with [Monterey Garden Insect Spray](#). Too late for Thuricide.



**Japanese Beetle**

Examine leaves for adults and skeletonizing. Treat with [Bonide Eight](#) if needed.



**Two-Spotted Spider Mite**

Strike branch on white surface. Check for white mites.

**Hemlock**



**Hemlock Woolly Adelgid**

Inspect for masses of white wax at base of needles. Coverage and follow-up vigilance critical.

**Honeylocust**



**Honeylocust Mite**

Shake branch over white surface. Look for reddish-brown mites and treat with [Bonide Capt. Jack's Dead Bug](#) if needed.

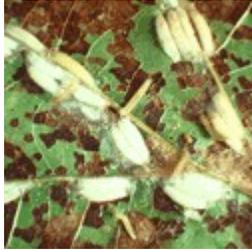
**Larch**



**Larch  
Casebearer**

Inspect needles for tip browning and young cases.  
Treat with [Thuricide](#) if needed.

**Oak**



**Oak  
Skeletonizer  
(2nd Gen)**

Too late for Thuricide. Larvae vulnerable to [Bonide](#)  
[Capt. Jack's Dead Bug](#) until they begin dropping.

**Pine (soft)**



**White  
Pine Aphid**

Inspect for black eggs on needles. Remove infested  
needles if few or treat with [soap](#) or oil.

**Rhododendron**



**Rhododendron  
Borer**

Inspect large lower branches for holes and fresh  
sawdust. Destroy by hand or treat with [nematodes](#).

**Spruce**



**Eastern Spruce  
Gall Adelgid**

Inspect green galls at base of new growth. Treat with  
[All Season's Spray Oil](#) if needed and galls are open.

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