DORMANT-SEASON IS AN IDEAL TIME FOR PRUNING

HERE’S WHY:

**DISEASE MANAGEMENT**
- Fresh cuts during dormant-season are less likely to attract disease-carrying insects and spread bacteria and fungi.

**WEATHER PREP**
- Removing weak or damaged limbs leave the tree stronger for severe winter weather.

**IMPROVED HEALING**
- Winter pruning causes less stress on trees and allows for robust new growth in the spring.

**PRECISION PRUNING**
- Leafless structures are easier to see, providing a good way to determine healthy branch structure.

**MORE EFFICIENT**
- Access is often easier and potentially less damaging to delicate landscaping plantings.

**OPENS SUNLIGHT**
- Pruning is beneficial to grass and plants because it opens sunlight through the canopy.