

Waste and Recycling Collection Calendar

April 2024 to March 2025 South Lakes Area

Dear householder

This is your new waste and recycling collection calendar. We want your collection service to be as convenient as possible. Below is some guidance and tips to help you manage your waste and recycling.

- ✓ Place your waste or recycling containers for collection at the kerbside before 7am on the collection day.
- ✓ Please take care not to cause any obstruction and make sure your bins, boxes or bags are clearly visible to the collection crew.
- ✓ Please make sure all recyclable materials have been rinsed and are free from food waste; which will help keep your containers clean and avoid attracting wildlife or vermin.
- Squash plastic bottles and cans as much as possible. There is no need to remove the labels.
- Flatten card as much as possible.
- ✓ We are not always able to take larger pieces of card due to the capacity of the containers and vehicle.
- ✓ Please take larger items of card to your local Household Waste Recycling Centre or recycling banks.
- ✓ Please only present your waste or recycling in the containers provided by the council.

Please consider the environment and reduce, re-use and recycle your waste.

Green bin - Garden waste	Grey bin - Household waste	Blue box - Paper and card	Blue box - Glass	Blue bag - Cans and plastic
*ONLY BINS WITH THE LID SHUT WILL BE COLLECTED ✓ grass and hedge clippings ✓ flowers, plants and leaves ✓ small Christmas trees ✓ weeds	*ONLY BINS WITH THE LID SHUT WILL BE COLLECTED ✓ non-recyclable waste ✓ foil-backed card ✓ waxed paper ✓ wrapping paper ✓ cartons ✓ dog or cat litter ✓ nappies ✓ plastic bags ✓ flower pots ✓ polystyrene	 ✓ newspapers ✓ magazines ✓ leaflets ✓ greetings cards ✓ brochures ✓ telephone directories ✓ envelopes ✓ flattened card within the box ✓ cereal boxes ✓ shredded paper contained in envelopes or paper bags 	✓ glass bottles and jars	 ✓ plastic bottles, pots, tubs and trays ✓ milk and drink bottles ✓ shampoo and toiletry bottles ✓ detergent bottles ✓ yogurt pots ✓ fruit punnets ✓ food trays ✓ clean foil ✓ tins ✓ steel and aluminium cans ✓ plastic or metal lids from jars or bottles

Other items that should be taken to Household Waste Recycling Centre:

Light bulbs, soil, rubble, sheet glass, Pyrex dishes, paint, gas bottles and chemicals.

Between 15 December 2024 to 16 February 2025 there will be no green waste collections.

19 = Waste only

= Green bin and recycling

19 = Recycling

19 = Waste and recycling

Please place your bins, bags and boxes out for collection by **7am** on collection day.

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