

### Shire of Chittering **RECYCLING CALENDAR 2022/23**

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- ecycling Zone 2 General Waste
- & Recycling Christmas Day No changes will be made for the Christmas period

#### WHAT CAN GO IN YOUR RECYCLING BIN?



- Cardboard Flattened
- Glass bottles and iars
  - Clean and empty
- ✓ Paper Not shredded
- Plastic bottles and containers
  - Clean and empty (no lids)
- Steel and aluminium cans
  - Clean and empty



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# Did you know the contents of your yellow topped bin are recovered and recycled?



#### **PLEASE**

- Empty and rinse
- Remove lids
- Items should be loose
- Flatten cardboard boxes

#### REMEMBER

- NO hazardous waste
- NO kitchen or garden waste
- NO building waste

### Recycling & General Waste Bin Collection

Your recycling collection will occur on the same day as your general waste collection.

You will need to know what Zone you are in. Zones are as follows:

**Wednesday - Zone 1** – Blue Plains Estate, Chittering Estate, Chittering Rise, Chittering Rise, Hidden Valley, Lake Chittering Heights, Muchea townsite, Odelon Estate, Rocky Creek, Woodlands Estate and Wildflower Ridge.

Inclusive of properties on the roads connecting each estate (excluding Great Northern Highway and Bindoon Moora Road)

**Thursday – Zone 2** – Chittering Fields, Chittering Retreat, Chittering View, Maryville Estate, Old Winery Estate, Polinelli Road, Rosa Park and Wandena Estate.

Inclusive of properties on the roads connecting each estate (excluding Great Northern Highway and Bindoon Moora Road)

**Friday - Zone 3** - Anderley Estate, Bindoon Heights, Bindoon townsite, Bindoon Vista, Chittering Country Club, Endeavour Drive, Parkwood Estate and Wannamal.

Inclusive of properties on the roads connecting each estate (excluding Great Northern Highway and Bindoon Moora Road)



Your general waste bin (red-lidded) is collected weekly.



Your recycling bin (yellow-lidded) is collected fortnightly – please check the cover for your date.

If you are unsure of your Zone you can contact Avon Waste to confirm on 1300 059 391

### **Waste Management Facilities**

The Shire of Chittering has two waste management facilities both of which are category 64 class II Waste Management Facilities.

Opening hours for each landfill are shown below.

MUCHEA	Saturday to Monday Wednesday Friday	10.00am – 3.00pm 10.00am – 3.00pm 10.00am – 3.00pm					
BINDOON	Saturday to Sunday	10.00am - 3.00pm					
Tuesday 10.00am – 3.00pm CLOSED CHRISTMAS DAY & GOOD FRIDAY							

#### **Residential Waste**

- By showing proof of residency, residents can access either site for free disposal of general housing waste, bulk household waste & recyclables only.
- Commercial waste can be taken to the Muchea site with proof of residency. \*fees apply to dispose of commercial waste\*
- Asbestos is only accepted at the Bindoon Landfill by appointment only. Charges apply. Please call the Shire office on 95764600 to make an appointment.
- Waste will not be accepted from outside the Shire of Chittering.

### **Liquid Waste Disposal**

The Shire of Chittering does not have the ability to accept septage waste from leach drains and grease traps. All septage waste is subject to the Department of Water & Environmental Regulation controlled waste regulations and must only be transported by licensed contractor to an appropriate site.

### **Recycling at Waste Management Facilities**

The Shire of Chittering offers a range of recycling options at both its waste management facilities. These include:

- Domestic recyclables Glass bottles/jars, cardboard, aluminium & steel cans & tins.
- Scrap steel, de-gassed fridges, car bodies.
- Car batteries.
- Waste oil also available to be to taken to the Wannamal Transfer Station.
- E-Waste TVs, computers, laptops, printers etc.
- Drum muster only accepted at Bindoon Landfill.

Please visit our website for more information

### www.chittering.wa.gov.au

Hi, I'm Bindi and I'm here to spread the word that bins like me need proper care to stay in good condition. Here are a few things you can do to keep me looking beautiful and clean although, I'll admit, I smell a little bit.



Bins are lazy, so be gentle when dragging us around on rough, distant trips to our pickup point.

We can be damaged from sunbaking so make sure to keep us in the shade, unless we are being picked

up.

We are unstable so please place us on flat ground as we don't want to hurt ourselves incase we fall.

Hey, I'm Bin Diesel.

I wanted to tell a joke, but it was rubbish and a waste of time.



Take care of your bins as they can be easily damaged without your proper care, and bins deserve to be cared for after dealing with your rubbish.

### **Using Your Bins**

#### **BIN PLACEMENT**

To assist waste and recycling operators in servicing your bin on collection day:

 Bins should be placed within 1 metre of the road kerb by 6.00am on collection day, with the handles facing towards the property. Ensure your bin does not block footpaths or driveways.



- Place your yellow recycling bin at least half a metre from the red bin to allow clear access for the side loading service vehicle's grab arm.
- Please do not overfill your bin as the waste and recycling trucks' hydraulics cannot lift bins weighing over 70kg, or those overfull with the lid open. Hot or burning ash, liquid wastes, oil, paint, solvents or heavy materials must not be placed in your bin as they may damage the bin, waste collection vehicle and the environment.
- Your bin lid must close so that the contents do not spill when it is lifted and so the lid does not blow open causing street litter.
- Place your bin clear of parked cars, trees, poles, etc to allow clear access to the service vehicles.
- Only waste placed inside the bin will be collected.



Ensure bins are placed out by 6am on collection day



Bins must weigh less than 70kg to be collected



Do not overfill your bins and ensure lids are firmly closed so items do not spill out

### HANDY HINTS

- Return bins to your property as soon as possible.
- Store bins in a shaded area.
- Please clean your bin regularly.



### YOUR RECYCLING BIN (YELLOW-LIDDED)

Contents from your yellow-lidded bin, **collected fortnightly**, are sorted and baled at the Resource Recovery Group Canning Vale Centre and sold for reprocessing.

Items should be LOOSE (not in plastic bags), rinsed and empty.

This includes:

- ✓ Cardboard Flattened
- ✓ Glass bottles and jars Clean and empty
- ✓ Paper Not shredded
- ✓ Plastic bottles and containers Clean and empty (no lids)
- ✓ Steel and aluminium cans Clean and empty

See Waste & Recycling A-Z for a list of other items.

For further information on what to put in your recycling bin, visit recycleright.wa.gov.au



### YOUR GENERAL WASTE BIN (RED-LIDDED)

Contents from your general waste bin (red-lidded), collected weekly, are disposed at a landfill site. To reduce your impact on the environment, please consider composting or worm farming food and garden organics at home. Visit recycleright.wa.gov.au for more information on how to get started.

- **X** NO Batteries
  - Batteries are accepted at the Muchea and Bindoon sites.
- X NO Hazardous waste: including petrol, gas cylinders, paints, motor oils & fluids, garden chemicals & poisons, pool chemicals, cleaners, aerosol cans, acids, bleaches & ammonia, medicines & flammable liquids.
- X NO Medical wastes or needles.
- NO Construction, demolition & building materials (including bricks, sand, soil, concrete, rocks and asbestos).

See **OTHER ITEMS** for assistance with items that must not be placed in your bins.

### Waste & Recycling Guide: A - L

### PLEASE PUT IT IN THE RIGHT BIN!

- 1 Yellow-lidded bin items Paper, cardboard, cans, plastic & glass
- 2 Red-lidded bin items General waste
- 3 Waste management facility Bulk, hazardous & construction materials
- 4 Community service items Donatable goods & alternative recycling options (see Other Items)

- 3 Acids (HHW)
- 3 Aerosol cans (HHW)
- 1 Aluminium cans
- Aldiffilliani cans
- 1 Aluminium foil (clean)
- 3 Auto Batteries

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- 2 Band-Aids
- 2 Baskets
- 3 Batteries (HHW)
- 4 Blankets
- 3 Bleaches (HHW)
- 2 Blister packs
- a plister backs
- 4 Books
- 1 Bottles (top/lids off)
- Bread bags (plastic)
- 3 Bricks (C&D)
- 1 Broken Glass

- Cutlery (metal)
- 2 Cutlery (plastic & wooden)
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- 3 Dirt & soil (C&D)
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- 1 Egg cartons
- 4 Electrical appliances
- 1 Envelopes
- 3 EPIRB locator beacons
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- 3 Fertiliser (HHW)
- 3 Flares (HHW)
- 1 Food cans (rinsed)
- Food and vegetable scraps
- Fruit juice cartons (not silver lined)
- 3 Furniture (broken)
- 4 Furniture (fixed)

For disposal of Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) including acid, ammonia, bleaches and fertilisers, contact the Shire.

- Building materials/ G 3 waste (C&D) Garden chemicals/ 3 3 Bulky items poison (HHW) Butter tubs (rinsed) Garden organics (small 2 prunings & grass C clippings) 2 Candles & candle wax 3 Garden organics (large) Cardboard (boxes & Gas cylinders (HHW) other types) Glad wrap 3 Car parts Glass bottles & jars Cassette tapes 2 (audio & video) 2 Greaseproof paper Cellophane Н Ceramic 2 Hose (short lengths) (broken plates, pots) Cigarette butts 2 Ice cream containers Cleaning products 3 (cardboard & plastic) (HHW) Insecticides (HHW) Clothing/shoes (good 4 condition) J Clothing/shoes Jars & jar lids 2 (damaged) luice cartons/bottles/ Cockroach bait (plastic) 3 containers (not silver (HHW) lined) Coffee pods 2 Κ Computer components/ 3 Kitty litter accessories ı 3 Concrete (C&D)
- Concrete (C&D)

  Cooking fat

  Cork

  Cotton wool & buds

  Light bulbs/fluorescent tubes (HHW)

  Lolly wrappers
  - Cotton wool & buds

    2 Long-life cartons

### Waste & Recycling Guide: M - Z

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1	Magazines	3	Rat poison (HHW)
2	Manure/animal droppings	2	Razors
3	Mattresses	3	Rope
2	Meat trays (all)	S	
4	Medicines	2	Sanitary pads
1	Milk bottles and milk	2	Soap
1	cartons (not silver lined)	4	Soft plastics
4	Mobile phones	1	Steel cans (rinsed)
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2	Nappies (disposable)	1	Take-away food containers (empty)
4	Needles	2	Tampons
1	Newspapers (clean)	3	Timber – treated
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2	Oil (cooking)		Toilet paper rolls
3	Oil (motor) (Wannamal Transfer Station)	1	(inner)
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3	Paint tins (empty)	2	Toothpaste tubes
3	Paint (HHW)	2	Toys (broken)
1	Paper	4	Toys (fixed)
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	Paper bags Paper towel rolls	2	Vacuum cleaner dust
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2	Pens/biros/textas	2	Weeds
3	Pest control chemicals (HHW)	3	White goods
1	Pet food tins (rinsed)	2	Wood (garden pruning)

- Petrol & flammable liquids (HHW)
- 2 Picture frames (broken)
- 4 Picture frames (fixed)
- Pizza boxes (clean)
- 🌠 Plastic bags (empty)
- 2 Plastic bottle lids
- Plastic containers
- Poison (liquid/solid) (HHW)
- 2 Polystyrene
- Pool chemicals (HHW)
- 🛂 Potato chip packets
- 4 Printer cartridges

- Wooden planks/bits of wooden furniture
- Wrapping paper
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- 3 X-rays
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- Yoghurt containers (rinsed)

#### KEY:

(C&D)

Construction & demolition

(HHW)

Household hazardous waste





For all your recycling information and hints and tips on living more sustainably, visit

RECYCLERIGHT.WA.GOV.AU

### **Containers for Change Scheme**

Our Muchea Landfill centre is open as a refund point for the Containers for Change program

Muchea Landfill – 536 Wandena Road, Lower Chittering

- Sunday 10am 3pm
- Tuesday 10am 3pm



Please refer to the Containers for Change website for more information on eligible containers and setting up your scheme ID. **containersforchange.com.au/wa/** 



Items we accept





### Excluded containers



### **Mulch Locations**

At various times of the year, pending availability, mulch is available for purchase at the Muchea Landfill.

To purchase mulch, contact the Shire office on 95764600 to arrange a booking.



**BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL**. To ensure a machine is available on site to load mulch into the trailer.

Mulch is sold at \$12.50m<sup>3</sup>. Please bring your own trailer.

### Other Items

**AUTOMOTIVE PRODUCTS** If you have automotive products (coolants, brake pads, motor oil and tyres), discuss the right way to get rid of them with your mechanic or car service provider.

### BOOKS, CLOTHING, FURNITURE, SHOES, BRIC-A-BRAC

Please do not throw out household goods. There is a major need for clean, undamaged, reusable furniture which may be collected FREE of charge. Contact your local charity.

**COMPACT FLUORESCENT TUBES (CFL)** recycling boxes are available at each of the landfill sites.

**COMPUTERS AND IT** Old computer and IT equipment can be dropped off at Muchea or Bindoon landfill sites for recycling.

GAS BOTTLES For LPG refills and disposals, return to your bottle supplier. HHW drop off facilities will accept unwanted or out of date BBQ cylinders.

**HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES** Can be deposited at the landfill facilities for recycling.

**NEEDLES** Place needles in a sealed sharps container. Visit safesharps.org.au to find your nearest disposal location.

**OLD MEDICINES** If you have leftover medicines, enquire at your local pharmacy as many pharmacies can dispose of them properly through the RUM project - National Return and Disposal of Unwanted Medicines returnmed.com.au/.

#### PLASTIC BAGS

A good way to avoid plastic bags is by taking your own reusable shopping bags to the shops.

If you wish to recycle plastic bags and other soft or scrunchable plastics, these can be recycled as part of the REDcycle program at local shopping centres. For more info, visit redcycle.net.au

### **TOWELS, SHEETS, CAT FURNITURE AND CARRY CAGES**

Cat Haven 08 9442 3600 or visit www.cathaven.com.au

For tips on how to cut household waste and what to do with items that don't belong in either bin, download the free Recycle Right app from the App Store or Google Play, or visit recycleright.wa.gov.au











## WA PLASTICS BAN

**Business Engagement Program** 

To reduce plastic pollution, the WA Government is implementing a ban on certain plastic items.

From 1 July 2022, it is illegal to supply:



Any Plastic Shopping
Bag with Handles



Disposable Plastic Straws & Stirrers



Disposable Plastic Cutlery



Disposable Plastic Plates



Disposable Plastic Bowls (without lids)



Disposable Plastic Food Containers (without lids)



Expanded
Polystyrene Food
Containers & Trays



Disposable Plastic Cups for Cold Drinks\* \*Banned from 1 Oct 2022

Releases of balloons will also be banned in WA from 1 July 2022.

\*Some exemptions and other banned items apply. See **plasticsbanwa.com.au** for details.

### Recycling's as easy as RRG...

Resource Recovery Group's Canning Vale Centre uses state-of-the-art technology and infrastructure to process waste and recover recyclables for reuse.



Want to see what happens to your waste once it is collected?

Free tours of the
Resource Recovery
Group's Canning Vale
Centre are available to
educate visitors about
the recycling process. The
observation deck provides



a safe and exciting view of the workings of the Materials Recovery Facility.

Find out more by calling **9256 9555** or visit **recycleright.wa.gov.au** 

To dispose of this item, please remove the magnet and place into the yellow-lidded recycling bin.



Shire of Chittering 6177 Great Northern Highway Bindoon WA 6502 Telephone: 9576 4600 **chittering.wa.gov.au** 





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