Kerbside Waste & Recycling Service

Calendar and guide 2019/2020

For all waste enquiries call Solo Resource Recovery 8295 5077
Collection Day

Step 1
Locate your suburb on the map and find out if you are in area A or B then see your collection day below.

Area A | Area B
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Monday | Monday
Tuesday | Tuesday
Wednesday | Wednesday
Thursday | Thursday
Friday | Friday

Area A (solid colour) | Area B (horizontal lines)
### Step 2

Use the calendar for your area (A or B) to determine your organics collection week and your recycling collection week.

**Your waste to landfill (blue lid) bin is collected every week. Place your bins out by 6am.**

- Organics bin week (green lid). Bins out by 6am.
- Recycling bin week (yellow lid). Bins out by 6am.
- No collection Good Friday, Christmas Day or New Year’s Day. All collections that week will take place the next day.

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**Section 1 - Your bin collection day**
Correct bin placement

Keep a minimum distance of 30cm between bins, and 1 metre between bins and parked cars, street trees, stobie poles and letter boxes wherever possible.

Bring bins back in within 24 hours of collection. Fines of up to $150 may apply if left on the kerb for longer than this.
Bin placement

To ensure your bins are emptied on your scheduled collection day, you need to:

- Put bins out by 6.00am on day of collection and bring them back in within 24 hours of collection. Fines of up to $150 may apply if left on the kerb for longer than this.
- Face each bin in the right direction - wheels towards the house.
- Keep a minimum of 30cm clear around each bin.
- Don’t overfill your bin (max. weight 75kg) and make sure the bin lid is closed (otherwise your bins may not be collected).

Please contact the wasteline number (8295 5077) for:

- Collection enquiries - including missed collections.
- Damage or repairs to bins.
- Conduct and courtesy of vehicle drivers.
- Any other waste related enquiries.

Lost or stolen bins
Please call council on 8408 1111 for lost/stolen bins.

CORRECT - Bins 30cm apart with lids closed

WRONG - Bins too close and overfull
WASTE LESS by:

AVOID waste in the first place

REDUCE what you throw away

REUSE materials

RECYCLE products to save

plastic bags
broken crockery and glass (wrapped)
clothes and rags
nappies
polystyrene foam
Waste to landfill

Your waste (blue lid) bin is collected weekly. Everything in this bin will be sent to landfill.

What goes in the waste to landfill bin?
Household waste that cannot be placed in the green organics or yellow recycling bin, including:
- Soft plastics & food packaging (plastic bags, chip packets, cling film)
- Nappies
- Kitty litter (wrapped)
- Small broken items such as china and glassware
- Wine and water bladders
- Clothing and rags that are not suitable for donating to charity
- Polystyrene foam (including cups, meat trays and packaging)
- Ropes and hoses

Remember no electronic waste, fluorescent light globes and tubes, paint and chemicals in any bin. Refer to section 7 for disposal options.
WHAT CAN I PUT IN MY ORGANICS (GREEN LID) BIN?

- small prunings and cuttings
- cut flowers
- lawn clippings and weeds
- leaves
- small twigs and branches
- food scraps
Organics for compost

ALL FOOD SCRAPs are good to go - place them in your green organics bin.

Your organics (green lid) bin is collected fortnightly. Refer to the collection calendar on page 1.

What goes in the organics bin?
- Garden prunings, cuttings and branches (max diameter of 10cm)
- Lawn clippings, weeds and leaves
- **All food waste** including fruit and vegetable scraps, meat scraps, bones and seafood, egg shells, pizza boxes, shredded paper, tissues and paper towel, dairy products
- dog poo/animal faeces

How to recycle food scraps through your organics bin
- Place them in loose or
- Wrap them in newspaper or
- Place them in a compostable bag.

Only use bags with the AS4736 compostable label

If it grows it can go in the organics bin

Have you got your kitchen caddy yet? If not, call in at the Council offices or a local library to pick up your free caddy and a roll of compostable bags

Section 4 - Organics for compost
WHAT CAN I PUT IN MY RECYCLING (YELLOW LID) BIN?

- tins and cans
- glass bottles and jars
- cartons
- plastic containers
- cardboard
- paper
Recycling right

Your recycling (yellow lid) bin is collected fortnightly. Refer to the waste calendar on page 1.

What goes in the recycling (yellow lid) bin?
- Paper and cardboard (newspapers, magazines, junk mail, envelopes, egg cartons, cardboard boxes - flattened)
- Liquid paperboard cartons (eg juice & milk cartons - rinsed)
- Glass bottles and jars (rinsed, lids off)
- Aluminium and steel cans
- All rigid plastic containers (eg plastic drink bottles, detergent bottles, yoghurt, icecream and margarine containers)
- Empty paint tins with lids removed

Recycling tips
- Remove all lids
- Place items loose into your recycling bin
- Shredded paper can be placed in a paper bag or envelope
- Plastic lids can be placed in a larger plastic bottle and when the bottle is full, cap it and place in the bin
- Do not place plastic bags in the recycling bin
Book your hard waste pick-up

- Each household can book up to 2 FREE collections per financial year
- Collections can take up to 6 weeks to be collected from the date of booking, so plan ahead
- Book online www.charlessturt.sa.gov.au/hardwaste or phone our waste line during business hours on 8295 5077
- Do not place items out more than 24 hours before collection, fines may apply if placed out earlier

Waste that is placed on the kerbside at any other time is illegal dumping and may incur a $1000 fine.

Maximum of 2m³ (2m x 1m x 1m)
Excess or unacceptable material will not be collected and residents must remove it from the kerbside.
What is Hard waste?

Please ensure waste does not block the footpath or road.
Place waste out the night before your booked collection.
The hard waste service is a residential service only. No commercial or business properties.

- Furniture and bedding
- Small electrical items eg. radios, fans, hand driers etc.
- Tools and gardening equipment
- White goods – fridge/freezers, washing machines, stoves and dryers (with lids and doors removed)
- Scrap metal and timber items (up to 2m in length)
- Empty paint tins
- Kitchenware – pottery and crockery
- Green waste – bundled and up to 2m in length and 50kg in weight

- No batteries, chemicals or hazardous waste (refer to section 7)
- No TVs or computers (refer to section 7)
- No items longer than 2 metres
- No oils or liquid waste – including full paint cans (refer to section 7)
- No vehicle bodies or parts, including tyres and batteries
- No building materials (eg. bricks, concrete, plasterboard, dirt or rocks)
- No gas bottles or asbestos
- No ceramics eg. toilets, basins etc.
- No items in plastic bags, including domestic waste
- No sheets of glass (including mirrors and windows)
ILLEGAL DUMPING COSTS US ALL!

IF YOU SEE ILLEGAL DUMPING, CALL 8408 1111

$1000 FINE

SAVE HEAPS

STOP ILLEGAL DUMPING
Use the Beverley Recycling and Waste Centre – See section 7.

ILLEGAL DUMPING COSTS US ALL!
FREE recycling is available for the following items:

- TVs and computers (domestic quantities only)
- Waste oil – up to 20 litres
- Car batteries
- Other electrical and electronic waste (domestic quantities only)
- Paint cans with residual paint
- Fluorescent light globes and tubes
- Clean fill
- Steel (sorted)
- Tyres off and on rim
- Mattresses
- Oils – over 20 litres

Other accepted items include (fees apply):

- General waste
- Green waste
- Concrete and unclean rubble

Please note we do not accept:

- Gas bottles, asbestos or any flammable or hazardous liquids

Open Monday to Saturday 8am to 4pm, Sunday 8am to 1pm, closed on public holidays.

Larger amounts of general household waste can be delivered to our Recycling and Waste Centre at Beverley.

Visit [www.greenindustries.sa.gov.au](http://www.greenindustries.sa.gov.au) or call 8204 2051 for household chemical drop-off depot locations (for items such as varnishes, pesticides and gas bottles).
Further information on recycling is available from www.charlessturt.sa.gov.au

The City of Charles Sturt values feedback from our community regarding the kerbside waste and recycling service. If you would like to provide feedback via email: council@charlessturt.sa.gov.au

For all waste enquiries call Solo Resource Recovery 8295 5077

My Local Services free app

A handy reference for which bin to put out and when.

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