# WASTE & RECYCLING GUIDE TOWN OF CLAREMONT

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YELLOW WEEK

GREEN WEEK



Recycling and General waste bins collected

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Garden Organics and General waste bins collected

See Yellow and Green Week dates and Zone Map on page 3 for what bins to put out on your designated collection day.





Place bins away from other objects with the front facing the street.

1m from trees 0.5m between bins

1m from cars









Ensure bins are placed out by 6.00am on collection day



Bins must weigh less than 70kg to be collected

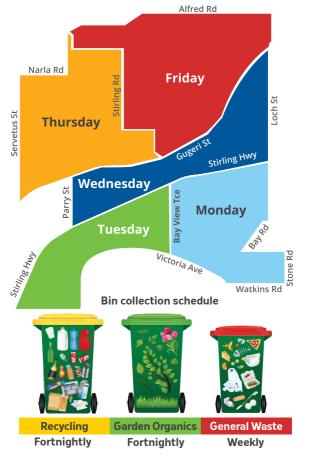


Do not overfill your bins and ensure lids are firmly closed so items do not spill out

Contact	Waste Query	Phone number
Suez	Missed bin collection enquiries	1300 633 633
Claremont	Report a damaged bin Request a change to your bin services	9285 4300 or toc@claremont.wa.gov.au
WMRC	General waste and recycling enquiries	08 9384 6711

# **Bin Collection Day**

Please see front calendar for your yellow and green week dates and refer to the zone map below for what day of the week your bins will be collected.



**BIN COLLECTION DAY & INFORMATION** 

## Which Bin Do I Put It In?

## Garden Organics - Collected fortnightly



Your Garden Organics Bin is for:

- ✓ Grass clippings
- Palm fronds
- ✓ Prunings, cuttings & trimmings
- ✓ Tree nuts
- ✓ Twigs & sticks

# Your **Garden Organics Bin** is NOT for:

- Food waste
- Cardboard
- Construction & demolition waste
- X Dog poo or kitty litter
- General waste
- X Hazardous waste
- Plastic bags or liners
- Recyclables
- X Sand & soil

## These items don't belong in the GO bin:



NO food waste



NO cardboard



NO dog poo or kitty litter



NO general waste



NO construction & demolition waste



NO hazardous waste



NO plastic bags or liners



NO recyclables (plastics, glass & metals)

## Recycling Bin - Collected fortnightly



360L recycling bins available on request (FEES APPLY)

Your **Recycling Bin** is for:

- ✓ Clean paper & cardboard
- ✓ Glass bottles & jars
- ✓ Plastic bottles & containers
- ✓ Steel & aluminium cans

#### Your **Recycling Bin** is NOT for:

- X Recycling in bags
- Soft plastics\*
- × Aerosols
- X Batteries or E-Waste
- Meat trays
- × Nappies
- Textiles



Please ensure all recycling is rinsed, empty, with all lids removed and placed loose in the bin, not in bags.

## General Waste Bin - Collected weekly



Your **General Waste Bin** is for:

- ✓ Dog poo & kitty litter
- ✓ Food waste
- ✓ General rubbish items
- ✓ Hygiene products
- ✓ Nappies
- ✓ Polystyrene
- ✓ Plastic bags
- ✓ Soft plastic\*

Your **General Waste Bin** is NOT for:

- X Clean recyclables
- ¥ Hazardous waste

\*See Soft Plastics information section of this guide.

Household Hazardous Waste and E-waste CAN NOT go in any household bins. Drop these waste items off to the West Metro Recycling Centre free of charge or visit wmrc.wa.gov.au/recycling-disposal/west-metro-recycling-centre/accepted-items-free-for-a-fee/ for more information.

#### **Soft Plastics**

Soft 'scrunchable' plastics are plastic bags and food packaging that can be scrunched into a ball and expand immediately – think chip packets, chocolate wrappers and cereal bags. These can't be recycled in your recycling bin because they are too lightweight and get mixed up with the paper stream. Collect your soft plastics separately and drop them into a REDcycle bin at the front of your local supermarket. For more information about what is considered a soft plastic, visit www.redcycle.net.au

#### REDcycle also accepts:

- Bubble wrap
- Cellophane from bunches of flowers
- · Chip and cracker packets (silver lined)
- Confectionery and pasta bags
- Netting produce bags (metal clips removed)
- · Pet food pouches and bags
- · Plastic Australia Post satchels
- · Potting mix and compost bags
- Squeeze pouches with lid on (e.g. yoghurt/baby food)













Please make sure your soft plastics are EMPTY and DRY for REDcycle recycling

How to Sort Your Waste Flyers are available in a range of languages. View them online and download a copy at recycleright.wa.gov.au/information-flyers/



## **Containers for Change**



Whether you're keen to earn a bit of extra cash, raise money for your local sports club or event, or donate to your favourite charity, you can earn or donate 10 cents for every eligible drink container collected.

All drink containers and lids returned through the scheme are recycled into new items. Lids must be separated and placed in separate collection bins on return. Find out more information at: containersforchange.com.au/wa/containers-reinvented

What's in? Most aluminium, glass, plastic, steel and liquid paper board beverage containers between 150mL and 3 litres. All lids must be removed from containers.

Local return depots:

**Paraquad Industries Depot** 

4-6 Orton Rd, Shenton Park

Fremantle Containers for Change

83 Knutsford St, Fremantle

For more information and other locations to return to visit: **containersforchange.com.au/wa** 

Remember to rinse and take the lids off!



Most glass, plastic, aluminium, steel and paper-based cartons between 150mL and 3L





Containers not commonly found in litter, including all plain milk, flavoured milks 1L and above, pure juice drinks, wine and spirit bottles, cordials.

## **Green Waste & Bulk Waste Collection**



Bulk and Green Waste need to be placed on the verge on the weekend before your zone's scheduled collection date.

Bulk Waste Only Green	Waste Only				
AREA 1 Removed week beginning:	AREA 2 Removed week beginning:				
25 Jul 2022	1 Aug 2022				
3 Oct 2022	10 Oct 2022				
28 Nov 2022	5 Dec 2022				
23 Jan 2023	30 Jan 2023				
27 Mar 2023	3 Apr 2023				
AREA 3 Removed week beginning:	AREA 4 Removed week beginning:				
8 Aug 2022	15 Aug 2022				
17 Oct 2022	24 Oct 2022				
12 Dec 2022	12 Dec 2022				
6 Feb 2023	13 Feb 2023				
10 Apr 2023	17 Apr 2023				

Bulk waste is collected by multiple trucks. It's important that you **DO NOT** place out additional waste once part of your waste has been collected as the truck that collects that type of waste has already been.

#### **GREEN WASTE COLLECTIONS**

Up to one cubic metre of the following items WILL be collected:

- ✓ Bag leaves and small vegetation
- Garden organics branches, cuttings and leaves (Max length 1.5 metres & max diameter 150mm)

Green Waste bags – for small cuttings can be purchased from the Town's Administration building for \$5.50 each

#### The following Items WILL NOT be collected:

- X Branches over 1.5 metres in length
- X Branches over 200mm in diameter
- X Bulk or household waste
- X Leaves in plastic bags
- X Large tree trunks or stumps

#### **BULK WASTE COLLECTIONS**

#### The following items WILL be collected:

 General junk. Items longer than 1.2 meters in length need to be dismantled e.g. swingsets, playgrounds, trampolines



- Old furniture
- Refrigerators (doors removed) & other white goods
- Stoves (doors removed)

#### The following items WILL NOT be collected:

- X Asbestos & cement product\*
- Bricks, tiles, concrete, sand & rubble\*
- X Building materials & timber\*
- Car batteries \*\*
- Electronics such as computers, TVs & printers\*\*
- ✗ Flammable liquids & oil \*\*

- Foodstuffs (household food waste)
- ✗ Gas bottles\*\*
- Green waste \*
- Mattresses \*
- Motor vehicles (whole or parts)\*
- ✗ Paint & chemicals\*\*

Items above can be dropped at the West Metro Recycling Centre. Items with a \* for a fee and items with \*\* free of charge (with proof of residency).

**GREEN WASTE & BULK WASTE COLLECTION** 

# **West Metro Recycling Centre**

The West Metro Recycling Centre offers safe disposal and recycling of a range of items not suitable for kerbside collection.

#### FOR A FEE:













& Demolition Waste Waste FREE:

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

HHW can not go in any household bin. HHW includes unwanted household products that contain harmful chemicals, are flammable, corrosive or explosive. Take them to the West Metro Recycling Centre free of charge. Limits of up to 20kg or 20L per material type, per person, per day.



Acids and alkalis



Aerosols and spray cans



**Batteries** 



**Engine** coolants



Fire extinguishers (red only)



**Flares** Gas



cylinders



Household cleaners



Household light globes and fluorescent tubes









Pool chemicals



Smoke detectors



Unknown chemicals



motor oil





## Recycling Hubs

Recycling hubs are also located in the community for collection of: batteries, light globes, mobiles and printer cartridges. Find your nearest at: wmrc.wa.gov.au/recycling-disposal/drop-off-recycling/ or go to:

Claremont Aquatic Centre (batteries, globes and cartridges), 12 Davies Road, Claremont 9285 4343

Number One Claremont (batteries only), 308 Stirling Highway, Claremont 9285 4300



Household batteries



& fluorescent

tubes

Mobile phones & chargers





## Free Community Recycling

As a resident of a WMRC member council you can drop off domestic quantities of the following items for free. Proof of residence required.











**Bicycles** 

Car batteries

Cardboard

Clothing & shoes

Cooking oil (max 20L)









Dental products

Domestic recyclables

F-Waste

Mohile phones

Petrol

Plastic plant pots











Polystyrene

**Plastic** beer clips

Plastic bottle tops

cartridges

Razors, blades & packaging











Scrap metal

**Sports** aoods

Stationery home or office

Waste motor oil (max 20L)

X-rays

FREE MULCH is available for Town of Claremont residents from the West Metro Recycling Centre vear-round. No limit on how much you can take. just bring proof of residence and be ready to load it yourself.

## **West Metro Recycling Centre Opening Hours**

OPEN 7 DAYS TILL 4PM

Monday - Friday: 7.30am to 4.00pm Saturday & Sunday: 8.00am to 4.00pm Public Holidays: 7.30am to 2.00pm (Closed Christmas Day, Good Friday & New Year's Day)

wmrc.wa.gov.au

Recycling Hotline: 9384 6711



## **How To Be A GREAT Sort**

Sort first and treat your general waste bin as a last resort.

**G = GIFT** Gift items to charity, swap or sell.

**R = RECYCLE** Recycle these 5 in your yellow lidded bin – paper, cans, cardboard, plastic

and glass - rinsed, loose, lids off.











**E = EARTHCYCLE** Compost food scraps and garden

waste. Worm Farming and Composting Factsheets available at wmrc.wa.gov.au

**A = AVOID** Avoid single use items, excess

packaging and waste. Find out how at WMRC Waste Watchers Workshops:

wmrc.wa.gov.au

**T = TAKE** Take hazardous and E-waste items to

drop-off points. The West Metro Recycling Centre is a registered drop off point for the Household Hazardous Waste Program.





Visit **wastesorted.wa.gov.au** for more information about being a GREAT sort.

# **Reuse and Repair**

If it's too good to throw away, gift, swap, sell or fix it.

Buy Nothing	Post anything on Facebook for free				
Charities	Donate clothing, bric-a-brac & furniture				
Dismantle	Donate bikes				
FairGame	Donate sporting equipment				
Garage Sale Trail	Register to hold a garage sale				
GiveWrite	Donate new/lightly used stationery				
Givit	Match item to recipient				
Gumtree	Sell or free-list any item				
Hello Initiative	Donate mobile phones				
Repair Labs/Cafés	Learn to fix broken items				

#### **Furniture Home Collection Services**

If your household furniture is in good, clean condition, you can donate it to charity. See the pick up services below:

Organisation	Phone
Anglicare Home Collection Service	6253 3535
Good Sammy Home Collection	1300 466 372
Paraquad Industries	9381 0189
People Who Care	9379 1944
Salvation Army Home Collection Service	13 72 58
St Vincent de Paul Society	6323 7520

#### Want to reduce your waste?

The WMRC can help you trim your bin and live a low-waste life!

- Do a Waste Watchers Workshop
- Come on a Recycling Facility tour
- Check your knowledge with our online waste modules
- ✓ Follow us on socials for the latest low-waste tips and events
- Download our handy low-waste factsheets
- Volunteer with us
- Subscribe to our monthly newsletter

Find out more at wmrc.wa.gov.au



#### Recycling & Disposal Guide: A-Z For a more comprehensive list visit recycleright.wa.gov.au or download the Recycle Right app through the app store. Yellow-lidded Recycling bin items Ice cream containers 2 Lime green-lidded Garden (cardboard & plastic) Organics bin items Insecticides (HHW) Red-lidded General 3 Waste bin items Jars & jar lids 4 Take to West Metro Recycling Centre Juice cartons/bottles/ containers (not silver lined) **Bulk Waste Collections** K 6 Green Waste Collections 3 Kitty litter REDcycle collection bin at supermarkets Lawn clippings 8 Donate to charity Light bulbs/fluorescent Α tubes (HHW) 4 Acids (HHW) Lolly wrappers 4 Aerosol cans (HHW) 3 Long-life cartons Aluminium cans М 1 Aluminium foil (clean) Magazines В Manure/animal 4 Batteries (HHW) droppings Blankets 4 Mattresses 4 Bleaches (HHW) Meat trays (all) 3 Blister packs Milk bottles and milk Bottles (tops/lids off) cartons (not silver lined) 37 Bread bags (plastic) 4 Mobile phones 4 Bricks (C&D) Ν **Broken Glass** Nappies (disposable) Building materials/ Newspapers (clean) waste (C&D) 0 Bulky items 37 Oil (cooking) Butter tubs (rinsed) Oil (motor) C P Cardboard (boxes & 4 Paint (HHW) other types) Paper bags Cassette tapes Pet food tins (rinsed) (audio & video)

Cellophane

Ceramic

(broken plates, pots)

Petrol & flammable

Pizza boxes (clean)

liquids (HHW)

3 Cigarette butts	Plastic bags (empty)
Cleaning products (HHW)	Plastic bottle lids
	Plastic containers
8 Clothing/shoes (good condition)	Poison (liquid/solid) (HHW)
clothing/shoes	Polystyrene
(damaged)	Potato chip packets
4 Cockroach bait (plastic) (HHW)	4 Printer cartridges R
3 Coffee cups (disposable)	Rat poison (HHW)
Computer components/	Razors (disposable)
accessories	S Rope
4 Concrete (C&D)	3 Sanitary items
3 Cotton wool & buds	3 Shredded paper
Cutlery (metal)	37 Soft plastics
Cutlery (plastic & wooden)	1 Steel cans (rinsed)
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4 Dirt & soil	Take-away plastic food
E	containers (rinsed)
1 Egg cartons	4 Timber – treated
4 Electrical appliances	3 Tissues
1 Envelopes	Toilet paper rolls (inner)
F 4 Fertiliser (HHW)	Toothbrushes
1 Food cans (rinsed)	Tous (broken)
	Toys (broken)
3 Food and vegetable scraps	3 1 1
1 Fruit juice cartons (not silver lined)	W
5 Furniture (broken)	2 Weeds
8 Furniture (fixed)	5 White goods
<u>G</u>	Wood (garden pruning)
Garden organics (small pruning)	6 Wooden planks/bits of wooden furniture
6 Garden organics (large)	1 Wrapping paper
Gas cylinders (HHW)	X
<sup>3</sup> 7 Glad wrap	4 X-rays
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3 Greaseproof paper	Yoghurt containers (rinsed)
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Reuse or dispose of magnets in your general waste bin. Remove this magnet from this calendar before recycling.



Telephone: **9285 4300** 

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## Which bin do I put it in?

Download the free Recycle Right app from your app store.



Recycle Right recycleright.wa.gov.au

Email: info@recycleright.wa.gov.au

Printed on 100% recycled paper