





# Your guide to Westland's Kerbside collection service

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The collection has two different wheelie bins:



#### Recycling bin (yellow lid)

This large 240 litre bin will be collected from the kerbside fortnightly on your designated collection day.



#### Rubbish bin (green lid)

This smaller 120 litre bin will be collected from the kerbside fortnightly on your designated collection day.

Please look after your bins, only put them out on the day of collection and bring them in the same evening.

# Westland's kerbside collection for household waste aims to reduce the amount of waste going to landfill.

Every resident has an important role to play in helping the District to achieve this goal, help protect our environment for future generations and think about:

- Reducing the amount of rubbish you produce
- Reusing or donating items
- Repairing items if practical
- Recycling
- Composting your food and garden waste

#### Your yellow bin is for recycling clean:



Cardboard



Metal tins and cans





Plastic containers and bottles (1,2,and 5)



## $\mathbf{x}$ What not to put in your recycling bin:

- Aerosol Cans
- Ash (Hot or Cold)
- Batteries
- Bubble wrap
- Car parts and scrap metal
- Ceramics, porcelain and
- Clothing, fabric and shoes
- Cutlery
- Drinking glasses
- Engine oil containers
- Electrical goods
- Flimsy plastic packaging
- Food and garden waste
- Furniture
- Garden hose

- Gas bottles
- General rubbish
- Glass
- · Household appliances
- Light bulbs
- Liquids
- Mirrors
- Nappies
- Paint and chemicals
- Plastic ties and plastic tubing
- Polystyrene (packaging and meat
- Toys
- · Tyres and rubber
- Unwashed plastic food containers
- Window or windscreen glass

#### Non-compliant Recycling stickers:

Waste officers complete random checks on Kerbside recycling bins.

If your bin is checked and has non-compliant recycling, it will be stickered and in some cases not emptied.

If your bin has a sticker <u>please remove any non-compliant items</u> as indicated by the sticker. The Recycling bin can then be put out for collection on the next recycling day.



#### **Glass Bottles and Jars:**

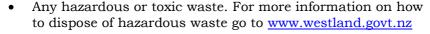
Glass bottles and jars are not collected from the kerbside. Instead you can drop them off *free of charge* at the Council Transfer Stations.

IMPORTANT: window glass, mirrors and windscreen glass is to be treated as *general waste* 

#### Your green bin is for general waste

#### X What not to put in your rubbish bin:

- Sharp objects or material capable of puncturing the bin.
- Any explosives, hot ashes or flammable material.
- Any other waste that may endanger any person, animal or vehicle, during collection or disposal.
- Any item of excessive size.
- Any liquid, including used oil.
- Any radioactive waste, excluding domestic smoke detectors.
- Any lead-acid batteries like car, boat or truck batteries.



Gas bottles.



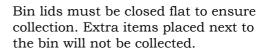
For more information please refer to the Westland District Council website: www.westland.govt.nz

For any service inquiries, compliments or complaints please contact Westland District Council on 756 9010

### How to use your wheelie bins:

To ensure your bin is collected, please follow these guidelines:







Bins must be put out at kerbside on collection day by 8am. Please bring the bins in the same day.



Where possible place bins 50cm apart and away from other obstructions. This gives the truck's mechanical arm the room it needs to pick up your bin and your neighbours.



Place bin on the footpath or grass verge closest to where the collection vehicle passes. The bin's logo should face the road.

Some rural addresses where the collection vehicle only drives one way down the road will need to put the bins on the opposite side of the road to the dwelling (affected addresses will be notified individually).



Each bin has a serial number that allocates it to a specific property. If you move house the bin must stay at the property it has been allocated to. Lost or stolen bins can be replaced at the expense of the property owner. Please refer to the website for more information www.westland.govt.nz

#### **Collection Schedules**

Recycling and rubbish collections will be on alternate weeks on the same day

#### **Monday**

Kaniere Road

Lake Kaniere

Woodstock-Rimu Road

Ross

Ruatapu

Takutai Road Golf Course

Arthurstown Road

#### Tuesday

North side of Hampden Street

North side of Hokitika Township

#### Wednesday

South side of Hampden Street

South side of Hokitika township

#### **Thursday**

Brickfield and Blue Spur Road to Arahura Bridge

Kumara Junction Road to Stafford Loop Road

Kumara township to Taramakau Road Rail Bridge return

# 2023

# **Waste & Recycling Collection Calendar**

Recycling

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