

Recycling & Refuse Collections Bank Holiday Changes

Christmas and New Year 2016/17

Usual collection day	Revised collection day
Monday 19 December to Friday 23 December	No change
Monday 26 December - Friday 30 December	All collections one day later, including Monday pickups on Bank Holiday Tuesday 27 December and Friday pickups on Saturday 31 December
Monday 2 January - Friday 6 January	All collections one day later, including Friday pickups on Saturday 7 January
Monday 9 January	Usual collections resume

Revised collection days above also apply to **assisted and clinical waste collections**.

Garden waste collections will not take place Monday 26 December – Friday 6 January, resuming from Monday 9 January 2017 on usual days.

Decoration-free natural Christmas trees under 6ft can be composted: Take to your local recycling site or, if you pay for garden waste collections, put them out on your usual garden waste collection day from 9 January. (As a last resort you can send your tree to landfill. Place next to your refuse bin on your usual collection day between **9 - 20 January 2017**).

Recycling centres are closed on Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day. Open all other days on their usual schedule. The new measures at recycling sites, including permits and access times, apply as usual over the festive season. Information www.somersetwaste.gov.uk/permits

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