

## **Rubbish Collection and Recycling**

**Household rubbish – Black bin** - is collected every second week, as are Green Bins, on the alternate week.

**Green bin (paid for service)** - Garden waste from grass cuttings to hedge trimmings, plus biodegradable animal-bedding

Note: B&NES does not collect green waste all year round – winter months are omitted

**Household Recycling Collections:** These are collected weekly, and there's three separate containers: kitchen caddy, blue bag, and green boxes.

What goes where rules:

**Kitchen caddy:** Food, egg shells, bones, tea bags, coffee grounds

**Blue bag:** Cardboard [folded down], brown paper, and food or drink cartons

**Green boxes:** Paper [no glitter], greeting cards, glass bottles, plastic packaging (solid plastic bottles, pots, tubs, and trays to contain food and drink – but **NO** black plastic, plastic bags, film, or polystyrene), cans, aerosols, metal packaging, and foil, unbroken spectacles, oil filters,

**PLUS, if placed inside a plastic bag,** small batteries, textiles, footwear, small electrical items, printer ink cartridges

**PLUS,** engine oil if in a sealed container.

**Recycling centre:** Pixash Lane, Keynsham, Bristol BS31 1TP

For: building materials, tyres, large electrical items, garden waste, books, CDs and DVDs, general rubbish, scrap metal, bikes.

Sat 9-3.45, Sun 9-1, Mon-Fri 8-4.15, but winter times may vary.

You should have a paper copy or digital copy of a utility or council tax bill to give proof of residence. Trailers and vans need a permit.

Note: You can order a large waste item collection from B&NES for items that you cannot get to the recycling centre yourself.

## **Items BANES DOES NOT TAKE**

**At the monthly coffee mornings in the Parish Hall,** boxes and bins are provided for you to drop off your – **clean** – items to save your needing to make trips elsewhere just to recycle items.

There are separate containers for:

- soft plastic film [including plastic bags, biscuit packets, crisp packets, animal feed pouches, cling film, etc]
- foil covered pill packs
- pens/biros
- contact lenses
- used inhalers
- empty toothpaste/make up tubes