

Waste & Recycling Calendar 1 Jan – 31 Dec 2022

Scotland Island: Collection days are **Monday** and **Friday** (including public holidays)



○ Garbage
 ● Paper Recycling and Container Recycling
 ○ Vegetation* (week commencing)
 ○ Bulky goods* (week commencing)

*Place items out the weekend before the bulky goods & vegetation collection dates.



Find out where your recycling goes and what it's turned into at northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au

What do I do with..?



Computers and TVs

Drop off at Kimbriki Resource Recovery Centre, Belrose Resource Recovery Centre or Harvey Norman Balgowlah.



Household chemicals

For drop off locations and Chemical CleanOut events visit epa.nsw.gov.au or call the EPA Environment Line on 131 555

Scan the QR code to visit the website and view our network map on where to take various items locally for reuse and recycling.

For items not on the map, check our A to Z Guide to Reuse and Recycling online.



How do I present my vegetation?



Scotland Island residents receive two scheduled vegetation roadside collections per year. **Refer to calendar for dates.**

Please present your vegetation in tied bundles or a hard sided container. **Material presented in plastic, nylon or hessian bags, cardboard or foam boxes and untied bundles will not be collected.** Fines apply for illegal dumping.

Council may also schedule additional and separate fine fuels vegetation collections to mitigate bushfire risk. Timing of these may vary depending on the season and bushfire threat. Residents will be notified separately when these additional collections are scheduled.

Please contact Council to **report a damaged or missing bin**, or if you see any **illegal dumping**.

Visit northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au
 email council@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au or call 1300 434 434

Your Waste & Recycling Guide



Items must be **in the bin with the lid closed flat** to avoid litter



Vegetation must be presented in a hard sided container or bundled and tied.
Maximum amount is 2 cubic metres.



For correct disposal of expired flares please **visit nsw.gov.au and search flare disposal**

Garbage

Every Monday and Friday public and private wharves with year round tidal access

- ✓ Food waste
- ✓ Food soiled paper
- ✓ Plastic bags / wrappings
- ✓ Nappies / polystyrene
- ✓ Broken windows / mirrors
- ✓ Drinking glass / ceramics
- ✗ Hazardous waste
- ✗ Recyclable items
- ✗ Computer equipment
- ✗ Asbestos
- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Gas cylinders
- ✗ Commercial / trade waste

Paper Recycling

Every Monday
Roadside Crates

- ✓ Paper
- ✓ Newspaper / magazines
- ✓ Flattened cardboard
- ✓ Envelopes
- ✓ Window envelopes
- ✓ Egg cartons
- ✗ Plastic bags
- ✗ Waxed cardboard
- ✗ Food waste
- ✗ Food soiled paper
- ✗ Milk / juice cartons
- ✗ Polystyrene

Container Recycling

Every Monday
Roadside Crates

- ✓ Clean containers including:
- ✓ Glass jars / bottles
- ✓ Milk / juice cartons
- ✓ Empty aerosols
- ✓ Steel / aluminium cans
- ✓ Plastic containers
- ✗ Plastic bags / cling wrap
- ✗ Food waste
- ✗ Windows / glass / mirrors
- ✗ Ceramics / drinking glass
- ✗ Polystyrene
- ✗ White glass

Vegetation

Twice yearly
Roadside Service

- ✓ Branches max 75mm thick
- ✓ Branches max 1.2m long
- ✓ Garden / grass clippings
- ✓ Cut up palm fronds
- ✓ Twigs / leaves
- ✓ Flowers
- ✗ General waste
- ✗ Food waste
- ✗ Plastic bags
- ✗ Painted / treated timber
- ✗ Soil
- ✗ Large tree stumps

Bin and hoop stands

Contact Council to request a bin and hoop stand to be installed on your private wharf/jetty if your property has year round tidal access.

This is a free service for garbage collection only.

Recycling crates

Contact Council to request a new or replacement **recycling crate for free.**

Have you considered giving your bulky goods a new life?

Most bulky goods items collected will be compacted, crushed and sent to landfill.

Consider the many ways you can sell, recycle or upcycle before you book your collection service.

Find tips to reduce your waste and where to recycle/reuse items locally on the Council's website.

Bulky Goods Collection Service

Scotland Island residents receive two scheduled bulky goods collections per year. **Materials must only be placed out the weekend before the scheduled bulky goods collection date.**



Building and renovation material **must not be placed out for bulky goods collections** – you should ask your building contractor for a receipt to show any construction waste has been properly disposed of.



Hot water systems **must be emptied**



Doors are removed from all whitegoods and large items dismantled



Ensure **nails are not protruding** from any items



Up to 12 fence palings



Remove glass from frames (break glass, wrap in paper and place in garbage bin)



Items must **not be longer than 1.8m or heavier than 40kg** (except whitegoods)



Manageable quantities of **non branded delivery pallets** are accepted



Metal items should be presented in a separate pile for recycling

Not accepted

(see website for full list)

- ✗ TVs & computers
- ✗ Building / renovation material
- ✗ Car parts, tyres & batteries
- ✗ Gas bottles & fire extinguishers
- ✗ Vegetation
- ✗ Cardboard / paper
- ✗ Items presented in cardboard boxes
- ✗ Windows / glass / mirrors / glass tables
- ✗ Items smaller than a toaster
- ✗ Hazardous waste
- ✗ Polystyrene beads

Collection from roadside only. Maximum amount is 3 cubic metres. Do not place materials at public wharves or private wharves and jetties. Fines apply for illegal dumping.

Unacceptable items will not be collected

For further information, visit northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au or call **1300 434 434**