



# CENTRE COUNTY

# Recycles

Spring 2024

## Centre County Recycling and Refuse Authority

253 Transfer Rd.  
Bellefonte, PA 16823  
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www.centrecountyrecycles.org

## Hours of Operation

**Transfer Station**  
Monday – Saturday  
8:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Recycling Processing Facility**  
Monday - Friday  
8:00 am to 4:00 pm

**Office**  
Monday – Friday  
8:00 am to 4:30 pm

## Holiday Collection Schedule Changes

**Good Friday**  
**Memorial Day**  
**Juneteenth**  
**Independence Day**

See page 3 for details.



**SCAN ME**

## Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event to be Held this April

Save the dates! Our annual Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event has been scheduled for April 26 & April 27. As with last year's event:

## Registration IS REQUIRED for our spring event.

Register at [www.centrecountyrecycles.org](http://www.centrecountyrecycles.org)

The Household Hazardous Waste Collection details are as follows:

This event will be held at the Centre County Recycling and Refuse Authority located at 253 Transfer Road, Bellefonte

The dates for the event are:

**Friday, April 26 from 8am-4pm**  
**Saturday, April 27 from 8am-2pm**

A list of acceptable and non-acceptable items can be found on page two of this newsletter.

**This is a FREE Event**

No internet? Call 814-238-7005

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@CCRRA1



## Save the Dates - April 26 & April 27, 2024 Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event

### Registration is Required

#### What to Bring

insecticides/weed killers  
pool chemicals  
cleaners/poisons  
corrosives/flammables  
antifreeze (*new*)  
oil based paints  
CFL bulbs  
fluorescent tubes  
and most other  
hazardous chemicals  
*from households only*

#### Questions?

Event details and registration  
information are available at  
[www.centrecountyrecycles.org](http://www.centrecountyrecycles.org)

Sign up today  
to secure your spot

**This is a free event**

#### DO NOT BRING

latex paint  
motor oil  
medications  
batteries  
ammunition  
explosives



## Recycle More in 2024

### Plastic bags, film and wrap

Local grocery stores accept many types of plastic bags, film and wrap for recycling. Acceptable items include but are not limited to: newspaper bags, dry cleaning bags, bread bags, produce bags, food storage bags, plastic cereal box liners, bubble wrap, air pillows and product wrap (used on paper towels, diapers, bathroom tissue, water bottles, etc.). Many grocery stores have a sign above their plastic bag/film recycling bin to explain proper film recycling. It is important to note that all plastic bags, film and wrap must be clean and dry before recycling.

### Spiral cans

“Spiral cans” are accepted in our recycling program. Spiral cans have a thin cardboard body with a metal bottom and/or a metal rim on the top. Examples of spiral cans include: coffee cans, lemonade mix cans, potato chip cans, peanut cans, etc. These cans may be placed in your curbside recycling bin or brought to any of our recycling drop off locations and placed in the compartment labeled for “metal cans.”

### Shampoo bottles and pill bottles

All plastic bottles, jugs and jars can be recycled regardless of the number that is inside of the recycling area on said item. If you would consider your plastic items a bottle, jug or jar we will accept it for recycling. We just ask that items are rinsed before recycling.

If you have a recycling question, please email Amy Schirf, the Authority's Education Coordinator at [aschirf@centrecountyrecycles.org](mailto:aschirf@centrecountyrecycles.org).



# Calendar of Events / Holiday Collection Schedules

## Upcoming 2024 Centre County Recycling and Refuse Authority Board Meetings

Check the Calendar of Events on our website for meeting times, agendas and information.

- March 25; 4:30pm
- April 22; 4:30pm
- May 20; 4:30pm
- June 24; 4:30pm

## COG Spring Bulk Waste Collection Week / Recycle Coach App

Spring Bulk Waste Collection for the Townships of Benner, College, Ferguson, Harris & Patton will be held May 13-17.

Bulk Collection will occur on your normal day of service. Items must be properly prepared. Loose piles will not be collected.

Tires, Appliances, Scrap Metal and Electronics will be collected separately and RECYCLED.

Download the new Recycle Coach app to receive notifications on special collections as well as any collection changes/ delays.

## CCRRA's Holiday Collection Schedule

The Centre County Recycling and Refuse Authority will be **closed** on Monday, May 27 for Memorial Day. We will also be **closed** on Thursday, July 4 for Independence Day.

## State College Borough Holiday Collection Schedule

Holiday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Memorial Day Week of May 27	NO Bulk/ Brush Collection	Regular Collection	Regular Collection	Regular Collection
Juneteenth Week of June 17	Bulk/Brush Collection	Regular Collection	Collection Delayed to Thursday	Collection Delayed to Friday
Independence Day Week of July 1	Bulk/Brush Collection	Regular Collection	Regular Collection	Collection Delayed to Friday

## Bellefonte Borough Holiday Collection Schedule

Holiday	Normal Date for Refuse/ Recycling Collection	Alternate Date for Refuse/ Recycling Collection
Good Friday	Friday, March 29	Wednesday, March 27
Memorial Day	Monday, May 27	Wednesday, May 29
Independence Day	Thursday, July 4	Wednesday, July 3

## Centre Region COG Holiday Collection Schedule

The following applies to residents living in the Townships of Benner, College, Ferguson, Harris and Patton.

**Memorial Day; May 27** - Recycling collection will be delayed one day from Monday. Monday's recycling will be collected on Tuesday and so on throughout the week.

**Independence Day; July 4** - Recycling collection will be delayed one day from Thursday. Thursday's recycling will be collected on Friday and so on throughout the week.

*Reminder: Collection in the COG begins at 6am from Memorial Day through Labor Day.*

\*For all other municipalities, please contact your trash hauler for a list of possible holiday delays.

### Guide to Curbside Recycling



CENTRE COUNTY RECYCLING & REFUSE AUTHORITY

# RECYCLE

#### MIXED PAPER, PAPERBOARD, MAGAZINES & NEWSPAPER

Must be bagged or bundled together or they will not be accepted. Bag shredded paper. Place inside bin.



#### PLASTIC - BOTTLES, JUGS & JARS

Rinse containers. Lids and labels acceptable.



#### GLASS - BOTTLES, JUGS & JARS

Rinse containers. Lids and labels acceptable.



#### CORRUGATED CARDBOARD

Break down all cardboard boxes. Place beside bin.



#### STEEL & ALUMINUM - CANS & FOIL

Rinse and remove food residue. Labels acceptable.



**WHEN IN DOUBT, CHECK IT OUT**

NO Batteries  
NO Styrofoam™  
NO Paper Plates/Cups  
NO Glassware/Ceramics  
NO Miscellaneous Plastics

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*Thank You*

The Authority would like to recognize and thank Joanne Shafer for her 33 years of service. We wish her a wonderful and fulfilling retirement and are grateful for everything she has done for recycling in both Centre County and Pennsylvania.

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