

## Household Recycling & Refuse Collections Bank Holiday Day Changes for 2012/13

### Christmas and New Year 2012/13

Usual collection day		Revised collection day	
Monday	24 December 2012	No change, usual collections	
Tuesday	25 December 2012	Thursday	27 December 2012
Wednesday	26 December 2012	Friday	28 December 2012
Thursday	27 December 2012	Saturday	29 December 2012
Friday	28 December 2012	Sunday	30 December 2012
Monday	31 December 2012	No change, usual collections	
Tuesday	1 January 2013	Wednesday	2 January 2013
Wednesday	2 January 2013	Thursday	3 January 2013
Thursday	3 January 2013	Friday	4 January 2013
Friday	4 January 2013	Saturday	5 January 2013

No change to subsequent dates, all collections resume on usual days.

**Garden waste** collections are suspended from Monday 24 December 2012 and resume from Monday 7 January 2013 on usual days.

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

In **severe weather**, check our website or local radio for information.

**Natural Christmas trees under 6ft** can be collected. If you pay for garden waste collections you can put them out on normal garden waste collection days for composting. Otherwise, take to Recycling Centre or put out the tree on your normal refuse collection day between 7 and 18 January 2013 for disposal. Place the tree next to your bin or sack. **Remove all decorations.**

### Recycling Centres and Community Recycling Sites

See our website or call Somerset Direct on 0845 345 9188 for recycling site opening times. All sites are closed Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day, and, this year (2012), will close at 4pm on Monday 24 December and Monday 31 December.

### Easter, May and August Bank Holidays 2013

Usual collection day	Revised collection day
Good Friday 29 March	Saturday 30 March
Easter Monday 1 April – Friday 5 April	All collections one day later, including Friday pick-ups on Saturday 6 April
May Day 6 May – Friday 10 May	All collections one day later, including Friday pick-ups on Saturday 11 May
Spring Bank Holiday 27 May – Friday 31 May	All collections one day later, including Friday pick-ups on Saturday 1 June
Summer 26 August – 30 August	All collections one day later, including Friday pick-ups on Saturday 31 August

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