

### Collections during road closures & adverse weather conditions

We will always try to collect your refuse/recycling on your normal collection day; however due to adverse weather conditions or road closures this is not always possible.

When bad weather/road closures occur we will still attempt to collect on the normal day or within the next **48 hours**.

If we cannot collect your refuse/recycling within this time frame, then on the next collection day, residents can put out:

#### Refuse

- Three extra bags of refuse with their refuse bin; **or**
- up to six purple bags of refuse (if the property receives a purple bag collection **instead of** collections from a green refuse bin).

#### Recycling

- Extra recycling will be collected throughout the year. Please check the waste policy below for details.

Updates on waste collection during adverse weather will be on our website.

### Amber Valley Borough Council's waste collection policy

- Recycling and refuse bins must be put out with the lids closed.
- Extra recycling will be collected throughout the year. Mixed recycling must be put out in containers or bags. Please keep glass separate in a box. **No black bin liners please.**
- Refuse bins will not be emptied if they contain: building waste, soil/turf, paint, car batteries, tree roots/branches over 7cm wide.
- Bins/Bags should be available for collection from **6.30am**

**Please report missed collections by 12 noon on the next working day.**

Recycling & Refuse Helpline: 01773 841326

Email: [refuse@ambervalley.gov.uk](mailto:refuse@ambervalley.gov.uk) or visit [www.ambervalley.gov.uk](http://www.ambervalley.gov.uk)

Address: Amber Valley Borough Council, Town Hall,  
Market Place, Ripley, Derbyshire DE5 3BT

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## What can I put in my Grey Bin/Inner Caddy?



### Grey Recycling Bin



#### ✓ Yes Please

- Newspaper
- Magazines
- Directories
- Catalogues
- Junk mail
- Envelopes
- Cardboard
- Plastic bottles
- Plastic food containers i.e yoghurt pots/margarine/ice cream tubs
- Food/drink cans
- Empty aerosols (except from DIY or gardening)
- Biscuit/sweet tins
- Clean aluminium foil

#### ✗ No Thanks

- Laminated paper
- Padded envelopes
- Tissues/kitchen towels
- Tetra Pak/drink cartons
- Garden waste
- Food waste
- Plastic bags
- Polystyrene
- Cling film
- Electrical items
- Metal pipes
- Oil tins/paint tins
- Chemical containers
- Batteries
- Clothing or shoes
- General waste



### Inner Caddy



#### ✓ Yes Please

- Glass bottles (any colour)
- Glass jars (any colour)

#### ✗ No Thanks

- Chinaware
- Mirrors
- Windowpanes
- Glass cookware e.g Pyrex
- Drinking glasses



## Did you know?

In 2012/13 you helped us recycle, reuse and compost 28% of your waste. Well done!

**Thank you for supporting this scheme**

 **recycle**  
for Amber Valley  
Working in partnership

  
Amber Valley  
Borough Council

  
VEOLIA  
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**STOP!**  
COLLECTION DAYS  
WILL CHANGE  
OVER CHRISTMAS  
AND NEW YEAR  
PLEASE CHECK THIS  
CALENDAR FOR  
DETAILS

**Refuse & Recycling Collection  
Calendar  
December 2013 - November 2014**

# Key

Bank Holiday Changes:  Refuse Collection:  Recycling Collection: 

### DECEMBER 2013

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### APRIL 2014

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### MAY 2014

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### JULY 2014

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Good Friday Collection As Normal.

### AUGUST 2014

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### SEPTEMBER 2014

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### OCTOBER 2014

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### NOVEMBER 2014

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Please note collection time and day will change during the festive season and after Bank Holidays. Please put your bin/bags out for collection by 6.30am on your collection day.

## Important Bank Holiday collections 2013/2014

### Christmas Collections

Collections due on	Will be collected on
Monday 23 December	<b>Saturday 21 December</b>
Christmas Eve – Tuesday 24 December	<b>Monday 23 December</b>
Christmas Day – Wednesday 25 December	<b>Tuesday 24 December</b>
Boxing Day – Thursday 26 December	<b>Friday 27 December</b>
Friday 27 December	<b>Saturday 28 December</b>

### New Year Collections

Collections due on	Will be collected on
Monday 30 December	<b>Monday 30 December</b> (normal collection)
New Year's Eve – Tuesday 31 December	<b>Tuesday 31 December</b> (normal collection)
New Year's Day – Wednesday 1 January	<b>Thursday 2 January</b>
2 and 3 January	Collections will be one day late

### Information about waste collections over the festive season

#### Refuse

On the first collection after Christmas we will **only** collect:

- your refuse bin and two extra bags of waste; **or**
- up to six purple bags of refuse (if the property receives a purple bag collection **instead of** collections from a green refuse bin).

#### Recycling

Extra recycling will be collected throughout the year. Please check the waste policy overleaf for details.

### Recycling of real Christmas trees

You can recycle your tree at the Recycling Centre at Taylor Lane, Loscoe.

### Bank Holidays 2014

Collections due on	Will be collected on
Good Friday 18 April	<b>18 April</b> (normal collection day)
Easter Monday 21 April	<b>22 April</b> (collections one day late this week)
May Bank Holiday 5 May	<b>6 May</b> (collections one day late this week)
Spring Bank Holiday 26 May	<b>27 May</b> (collections one day late this week)
Summer Bank Holiday 25 August	<b>26 August</b> (collections one day late this week)

Merry Christmas from the Recycling and Refuse Team 