



# CENTRE COUNTY

# Recycles

Winter 2023

## Centre County Recycling and Refuse Authority

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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

Christmas Holiday

New Year's Day

See page 3 for details.

## 2024 Green Business Partnership Applications are Open

The Centre County Recycling and Refuse Authority and the Centre Region Council of Governments are partnering to recognize Centre County businesses, institutions, community programs, organizations and schools, etc., as "Green Business Partners" who take pride in their recycling programs.

We have designed a "green" window cling to proudly display at our local businesses, institutions, organizations and schools. This window cling serves as a visual indicator that our local community is committed to the well-being of the county by following proper waste management and recycling practices.

Many of our clings are proudly displayed on windows across the area. If your business recycles and would like a "Recycling Works For My Business" window cling, please contact Amy Schirf at [aschirf@centrecountyrecycles.org](mailto:aschirf@centrecountyrecycles.org) or at 814-238-7005.

We invite area businesses, institutions, organizations, community programs and schools that have outstanding recycling programs to complete and submit a Centre County Green Business Partnership Application. We want to recognize you! Our application can be found and completed online at [www.centrecountyrecycles.org](http://www.centrecountyrecycles.org).

We want to hear about what is going on locally in the following areas: recycling, composting/organics, special event recycling, reuse, environmental rehabilitation and recycling innovation. Visit our website and complete your application today!

The deadline to submit the application is January 31, 2024. Successful candidates will be invited to an awards event in spring of 2024. Successful candidates will be featured in our newsletter, on our website and our social media pages. We can't wait to recognize those who are going above and beyond.

We hope you will consider becoming a Green Business Partner. Please contact Amy Schirf at 814-238-7005 or [aschirf@centrecountyrecycles.org](mailto:aschirf@centrecountyrecycles.org) with any questions you may have about the Green Business Partnership Program.



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## Recycle this Holiday Season

Be environmentally conscious this holiday season. Check out our tips on what to do with corrugated cardboard, wrapping paper and Christmas trees.

### Corrugated Cardboard Boxes

Corrugated cardboard boxes can be recycled if they are flattened and free of all “peanuts.” Curbside customers can place flattened boxes beside, in or under their curbside recycling bins (do not place flattened cardboard in a box - all corrugated cardboard must be flattened). Residents may also bring their flattened cardboard boxes to any drop-off recycling container labeled “Corrugated Cardboard.”

### Wrapping Paper & Gift Boxes

Gift boxes and non-metallic wrapping paper can be recycled. CCRRA curbside recycling customers can recycle their gift boxes, non-metallic wrapping and tissue paper with their curbside recyclables. Please bag these with mixed paper. Non-curbside customers wishing to recycle gift boxes, non-metallic wrapping paper and tissue paper can bring it to any drop-off recycling container labeled for “Mixed Paper.”

For a recycling drop-off location nearest you, call our office at 814-238-7005 or visit our website, [www.centrecountyrecycles.org](http://www.centrecountyrecycles.org).

### Christmas Trees

Be sure to check with your local municipality for Christmas tree recycling options.

### Buy Recycled This Season

Purchase holiday cards and wrapping paper that are labeled “made from recycled material.”

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

**Pre-Registration will be Required - Look for Information in 2024**

### What to Bring

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

### Questions?

Event details and registration information will be posted on [www.centrecountyrecycles.org](http://www.centrecountyrecycles.org)

Look for information early next year on how to register.

**This is a free event**

### DO NOT BRING

latex paint  
motor oil  
medications  
batteries  
ammunition  
explosives





# Calendar of Events / Holiday Collection Schedules

## 2023 Centre County Recycling and Refuse Authority Board Meetings

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

December 18

2024 dates coming soon!

## Recycle Electronics Properly

CCRRA offers a free drop off recycling program for many electronics.

Bring items such as televisions, computers and cell phones to our facility located at 253 Transfer Road, Bellefonte Monday - Saturday from 8am - 4pm.

Follow signs to the "Scales" upon entry.

A complete list of acceptable electronics can be found at [www.centrecountyrecycles.org](http://www.centrecountyrecycles.org).

## CCRRA's Holiday Collection Schedule

The Centre County Recycling and Refuse Authority's office and Recycling Processing Facility will be closed on Monday, December 25 and Monday, January 1.

See the charts below for possible changes in recycling collection during the holidays.

### State College Borough Holiday Collection Schedule

Holiday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Christmas Week of Dec. 25	NO Bulk/Brush Collection	Regular Collection	Regular Collection	Regular Collection
New Year's Day Week of Jan. 1	NO Bulk/Brush Collection	Regular Collection	Regular Collection	Regular Collection

### Bellefonte Borough Holiday Collection Schedule

Holiday	Normal Date for Refuse/ Recycling Collection	Alternate Date for Refuse/ Recycling Collection
Christmas Holiday	Monday, Dec. 25 Tuesday, Dec. 26	Wednesday, Dec. 27 Wednesday, Dec. 27
New Year's Day	Monday, Jan. 1	Wednesday, Jan. 3

## Centre Region COG Holiday Collection Schedule

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

**Christmas Day; December 25** - Recycling collection will be delayed one day from Monday on, for the rest of the week (recycling normally collected on Monday will be collected on Tuesday, and so on).

**New Year's Day; January 1** - Recycling collection will be delayed one day from Monday on, for the rest of the week (recycling normally collected on Monday will be collected on Tuesday, and so on).

*\*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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### Did You Know?

Curbside recycling service has expanded to Marion Township, Walker Township, Howard Township and Howard Borough. If you live in one of the above municipalities, and do not currently have curbside recycling service, you can sign up! We are offering weekly curbside collection of recyclables on Fridays only, for \$9 per month (payable in two semiannual installments). Give our office a call for more information at 814-238-7005.

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