

Visiting the Muswellbrook Waste & Recycling Facility

Handy Tips for Your Onsite Visit

- Wear enclosed footwear.
- Ensure you allocate sufficient time for waste unloading. Please plan to arrive at least 15-20 minutes prior to the closing time.
- Please provide a minimum of 24 hours' notice to schedule any disposal of asbestos waste. For additional information, refer to Muswellbrook Shire Council's website: www.muswellbrook.nsw.gov.au
- Before departing, ensure any litter or debris is cleaned up, leaving the area tidy for the next visitor.
- If you have any questions, don't hesitate to call ahead. Our weighbridge operators are on hand to assist with any inquiries you might have.
- During your visit to the Waste and Recycling Facility, be sure to stop by the End of the Road Reuse Shop and discover some amazing bazaar bargains!

Recycling household quantities of the following items is available at no charge:

- Commingled Recyclables such as paper, card, aluminium and glass beverage containers, steel cans.
- Refrigerators, Freezers, and Air Conditioners: Ensure a CFC degassing certificate is provided. A charge applies if no certificate is provided.
- Scrap Metal such as steel, iron, brass, aluminium.
- Household Problem Waste: Domestic quantities of the following items may be dropped off for free at the Community Recycling Centre:
 - Gas Bottles & Fire Extinguishers - Handle and store safely before disposal.
 - Paint (Water or Oil-Based): Seal containers and label clearly.
 - Waste Motor or Cooking Oil: Store in leak-proof containers.
 - Fluorescent Tubes and Globes: Handle carefully to avoid breakage.
 - Aerosol cans.
 - Electronic Items (E-Waste).
 - Household Batteries: Sticky tape over terminals to prevent fires.
 - Smoke detectors.
 - Automotive batteries: Placed in designated collection areas.

Denman Domestic Waste Transfer Station

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- Separate your general waste from your metal, e-waste and recycling.
- Tidy up after yourself.

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- Electronic items (E-Waste)
- Motor Oil
- DrumMuster
- Scrap metals such as steel, iron, brass, aluminium.

Muswellbrook Waste & Recycling Facility
252 Coal Rd, Muswellbrook NSW 2333

Denman Domestic Waste Transfer Station
Rosemount Road, Denman NSW 2328

*Limited services available,
only household quantities accepted.*

(02) 6549 3852

www.muswellbrook.nsw.gov.au/waste-and-recycling/

For insights on minimising your waste footprint,
consider joining the Sustainability Hub

 Sustainable Futures – Muswellbrook

 sustainability@muswellbrook.nsw.gov.au

 www.muswellbrook.nsw.gov.au/rethink-your-waste/



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Muswellbrook Shire Waste Guide





- Paper: Including newspapers and magazines.
- Carboard : Must be clean and flattened.
- Glass : bottles and Jars, Labels are okay, but please remove lids.
- Foil: Clean and scrunch it into a ball.
- Tins and Cans: aluminium and steel, clean and empty.
- Plastic : Only containers with the recycling symbol. ♻️
- Cartons: Ensure egg, milk and juice cartons are empty and clean.

Tips

- > No general rubbish in the yellow bin.
- > Ensure your waste is loose and not in bags.
- > Flatten your carton waste to make more space in your bin.
- > Rinse items before disposal.
- > No disposing of plastic bags in the bin.
- > No disposing of batteries in any bin.



- Plate scrapings, including all types of food remnants.
- Expired foods: remove all packaging before disposing.
- Meat: Beef, pork, lamb, chicken, fish, shellfish, bones or other meat products.
- Dairy: Cheese and other dairy products.
- Bread, pasta, rice, cake, biscuits, and cereals.
- Tea leaves & coffee grounds: Exclude bags and strings.
- Fruit & vegetable remnants: Peels, scraps, eggshells
- Garden organics: Weeds, grass clippings, fresh or dry leaves.
- Cooking fats, oils and cooked bones.
- Floral waste: Cut flowers and pruned bushes.
- Wood waste: Twigs and sticks. Nothing over 100mm in diameter.

Tips

- > No disposing of plastic bags in the bin. Keep waste loose, wrap in newspaper or use compostable bag liners certified AS4736 and ABAP10039.
- > Consider composting fruit and vegetable scraps in a compost bin or worm farm at home.
- > Batteries are not to be disposed of in any bin.



- Cigarette Butts: Ensure they're extinguished before disposal.
- Plastic Bags and other soft plastics.
- Disposable nappies, sanitary items and medical dressings: wrap securely to help prevent odour
- Broken mirrors or glass, crockery, ceramics & pyrex.
- Kitty litter, dog poo and other pet waste: wrap securely to help prevent odour

Tips

- > Place food scraps in your FOGO bin or in a worm farm or compost bin and utilise the homemade compost to enrich your garden.
- > **Recyclables:** Put recyclable materials in your yellow lid bin so they don't go to landfill.
- > **Batteries** must not be disposed of in any bin.