

Containers for Change @ the Greendale Centre



Supporting Dale Cottages Inc.

We are pleased to announce that we have sourced a collection bin for residents, friends and families of the Dale Cottages Community to dispose their empty cans & bottles as part of the Containers for Change Initiative. Each eligible container collected will contribute 10c to the total refund. Any refund received will go towards improving the facilities at Dale Cottages, for residents who reside within the Village and patrons of the Greendale Centre.

WHAT CAN I RETURN?

*Please note not all containers are eligible. To find out what can and can't be returned, please see over the page.

Here's a way to remember which ones you can return:

WARRRL aims to recover and recycle 65% of eligible containers in W.A. by 30 June 2021

*'Aluminium is a win.
Glass and plastic are always in.
Steel and paper are good to go.
But milk and wine bottles are a no.'*

DID YOU KNOW?

Every year in W.A. we use 1.3 billion drink containers!!!

WHERE DO THE CONTAINERS GO?

Once you've returned your containers, refund point operators sort them into material types before a logistics provider transports them to be processed. The containers are then prepared for recycling at the processing facility before accredited recyclers purchase the processed materials which they transform into new containers and products.

If you would like to contribute your empty, eligible containers, please bring to the Greendale Centre Monday – Friday, 9am – 3pm and pass to a staff member or Greendale Volunteer. For delivery after hours, please head to the rear of Greendale Dining Room and place in the labelled bin ensuring all lids are removed. You can donate the lids separately and place them in the bag attached to the bin. If you have any questions please phone 9497 3200 and speak with Jessica.

Dale Cottages Scheme ID: #C10461074

For those who wish to donate the proceeds of their own refund to Dale Cottages Inc., please state the Scheme I.D. at any collection depot.

CHOOSE TO RE-USE

Wondering what to do with ineligible containers? Sure, you can pop them in your kerbside recycling bin but why not think outside the box and turn your trash into an item to treasure.

- Use bottle caps to create a DIY paint palette
- Turn bottle caps into a work of art in their own right
- Create a hanging herb garden from old milk bottles
- Create a self-watering pot with an old wine bottle
- Turn old milk bottles into handy craft containers



WHICH CONTAINERS CAN YOU CASH IN?



✓ ELIGIBLE CONTAINERS



Most glass, plastic, aluminium, steel and paper-based cartons between 150mL and 3L.

Glass, plastic, steel, and liquid paperboard containers between 150ml and 3 litres can be returned. You will receive a 10 cent refund for every eligible beverage container.

To be eligible the beverage container must:

- Have contained a beverage product that is not excluded from the scheme.
- Display the refund mark. This is so we can identify if the container is part of the scheme.
- Be an approved container. Some containers are made out of materials that cannot be recycled.



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INELIGIBLE CONTAINERS



Most glass, plastic, aluminium, steel and paper-based cartons between 150mL and 3L.

Beverage containers not eligible for a refund include those that are smaller than 150ml or larger than 3 litres.

Other exclusions include:

- Plain milk containers
- Glass containers that have carried wine or pure spirits
- Flavoured milk, fruit or vegetable juice and cask wine containers 1 litre or larger.
- Concentrated/undiluted cordial or syrup containers
- Wine sachets 250ml or larger