

CITY OF MOUNT GAMBIER

NATIONAL RECYCLING WEEK

13 - 19 NOVEMBER 2023

Let's all become better at recycling
and managing our rubbish!



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PLANET ARK

WATCH IT!

Monday 14 – Friday 18 November

City of Mount Gambier is launching some great new educational videos on socials throughout the week.

Keep an eye out for:

Sort and Save | ReUse Market | Waste Transfer Station

SEE IT!

Monday 14 – Friday 18 November

City of Mount Gambier is introducing temporary signage at Council facilities and popular sites such as the Blue Lake / Warwar. This signage is to educate the public with the following messages:

- Choose the right bin, don't just throw it in!
- Keep bins 1m apart
- Download the My Local Services app

REUSE MARKET DAYS

Wednesday 8 November and Saturday 25 November

10:00am - 1:00pm

From plants to crockery, TVs to tables, mattresses to bikes ... so many wonderful items recovered for you to purchase at a bargain price!

WASTE SITES TOUR

Tuesday 14 November at 1:30pm

Waste Transfer Station – 5 Eucalypt Drive

Where do the contents of your rubbish bin end up? Join us for a free guided tour of the Waste Transfer Station, ReUse Market and Caroline Landfill - where local residents and businesses send over 30,000 tonnes of rubbish annually!

This tour will give you an exclusive insight into the city's reuse, recycling and safe disposal options of everyday products and household items. From free disposal of polystyrene, batteries, liquid paint, metals etc. through to reuse of household items.

Attendees go into the draw to win a free Green Cone Solar Composter! Valued at \$299!

Spaces strictly limited – bookings essential 8721 2540.

COMPOSTING: WASTE TO GARDEN

Wednesday 15 November at 2:00pm

Mount Gambier Library

Looking at getting your compost started? Did you know over 40% of the average Mount Gambier household general waste bin is kitchen and garden waste?

Composting has many benefits and is a wonderful way to reduce your food waste, grow a thriving garden, and contribute to a healthier planet.

Join this free workshop to find out the basics of composting, how to do it the easy way, and to help reduce your impact on the environment in the process.

Attendees go into the draw to win a free compost tumbler! Valued at \$269!

Bookings 8721 2540.

SECONDHAND ART & ART SUPPLIES MARKET

Saturday 18 November 10:00am – 2:00pm

City Hall, The Riddoch Arts & Cultural Centre

Do you have cupboards full of old art and art supplies that are gathering dust? Book a stall to start to declutter and stop goods from going to landfill. This is also your chance to stock up on items for your studio. From scrapbooking and papercraft painting to jewellery making – there will be plenty of affordable supplies for you to grab!

Cost: \$20.00 for stall holders – Bookings 8721 2563.

Entry free.

Application for stall holders here:



TOY SWAP

Drop off: Thursday 16 & Friday 17 November

Redeem: Saturday 18 November 9:00am – 1:00pm

Mount Gambier Library

Children outgrow their toys at a rapid pace. Why not save some \$ and update their toybox for free?

Participants must drop off their clean, as new toys on Thursday or Friday and will receive one token per item, maximum 3 items per child. Tokens can be redeemed at the swap on Saturday. We are unable to accept electrical or battery operated toys.

Free.

Download our 'What to Recycle and Where in Mount Gambier' Guide here:



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