

# Summertime... and the recycling is easy!

It's a bumper summer for celebrations but don't forget to recycle while you toast the Diamond Jubilee and the Olympics.

All your glass bottles and jars, plastic bottles, cans, paper and card go to the Materials Recycling Facility (MRF) in Ford where they are sorted and then sent on to manufacturers who turn them into something new.

We are asking residents to be careful that when they recycle after their party they are not recycling the wrong things as this could lead to some of their hard work literally going to waste – please make sure all items are not wet, dirty or tied up in plastic bags.

## Let's get this party started!

- Place a container next to the barbecue for people to pop their empty drink cans and bottles in
- Consider using washable plates and cutlery rather than plastic knives and forks and paper plates
- If you are using packets of burgers and sausages, remember the card outer can be recycled, but the plastic inners cannot!

## The party's over...

- Make sure drink cans and wine bottles are totally empty and put them LOOSE in the recycling bin
- Don't recycle paper plates which have leftovers on them
- You can't recycle plastic knives and forks
- Ensure everything is DRY
- Tip the cans and bottles straight into the recycling bin

## For more information:

Call: 01243 642106

Website: [www.recycleforwestsussex.org](http://www.recycleforwestsussex.org)



## What to recycle:

		✓ Yes please	✗ No thanks
Dry	paper & card	Junk mail, Cereal & egg boxes, Newspapers, Telephone directories, Catalogues & magazines	Shredded paper, Paper towels
	foil	Clean takeaway containers, Tin foil	Pet food pouches, Crisp packets
	glass bottles & jars	Wine bottles, Beer bottles, Jam jars, Sauce jars	Pyrex®, Drinking glasses & Crockery
Clean	metal cans & aerosols	Food cans, Drink cans, Pet food cans, Empty hairspray & deodorant, Aerosols	Batteries, Electrical items
	cartons	Fruit juice cartons, Soup cartons, Milk cartons	
	plastic bottles	Drink bottles, Milk bottles, Shampoo bottles, Detergent & washing-up liquid bottles	Plastic bags, Tops, Plastic containers

