

Recycle your real Christmas tree

Real Christmas trees can be recycled into good quality compost or soil conditioner, or into chippings.

You can take them to your local [household waste recovery centre](#) during normal site opening times- 8am to 6pm – where they are collected and recycled along with other items of garden waste.



After Christmas, to make it easier to recycle your tree, we have arranged additional collection points across the county. Please ensure that you have deposited your tree there by the end date.

North area

You can take your Christmas tree to one of the sites below **from 1 January** until the chipping day. Please make sure that there is no string or metal attached to it. If you would like a bag of chippings please call at a site during the chipping time.

Collection site	Chipping day	Time
Alnwick - Greenwell Lane car park	Monday 7 January	9.00 am - 11.30 am
Warkworth - Beach Road car park	Tuesday 8 January	9.00 am - 10.30 am
Amble - The Braid car park	Tuesday 8 January	11.00am - 12.30am
Longframlington - football field	Wednesday 9 January	9.00 am - 10.30 am
Felton - lay-by at north end of the village	Wednesday 9 January	11.00 am -12.30 am
Rothbury - Beggars Rigg car park	Thursday 10 January	9.00 am -12 noon
Powburn - Hedgeley Services	Friday 11 January	9.00 am - 10.30 am
Embleton - recycling site	Friday 11 January	11.30 am - 1.00pm

Collection site	Dates
Homebase car park, Tweedmouth	Monday 7th January to Friday 11th January
Bamburgh recycling centre	
Beadnell car park	
Ellingham recycling centre	
Holy Island at Green Lane car park	
Horncliffe Village Hall	
Norham recycling centre	
Lowick recycling centre	
Seahouses car park	

Central area

Collection site	Date
Ponteland Leisure Centre	Wednesday 2nd January - Friday 11th January
Morpeth Riverside Leisure Centre car park	
Pegswood Welfare car park	
Ellington Library	

West area

Collection sites	Dates
Heritage Centre, Bellingham	Monday 7th January - Monday 14th January
The Old Playground, Riding Mill	

South East area

Collection sites	Dates
Ravensworth Terrace car park, Bedlington station	Wednesday 2nd January - Wednesday 9th January
Marketplace car park, Bedlington	
B&M Bargains car park, North Seaton	
Newbiggin Sports Centre car park	
Wansbeck Square car park, Ashington	
ASDA – Blyth	
Alexandra Park – Cramlington	
Ranch Car Park, Links Rd	
Manor Walks South, Cramlington	
East Cramlington Nature Reserve car park - NE23 6XG	

Garden waste reminder

Garden waste collections will start again in March 2019. Existing users will receive a letter inviting them to renew their subscription. New customers will be able to apply for the service in January / February 2019.