

Litter Warden - Lingwood and Burlingham Parish Council



Clean-Up & Recycle



Report 20

25-07-11 The usual circular tour started litter picking on Norwich Road found a sink plastic waste pipe section outside the Village Hall. Visited the Car Park, field and youth shelter opposite a few bottles and cans picked up otherwise quite tidy today. Removed some cardboard cartons stowed between the bins. Progressed along Norwich Road picking up a quantity of electrical wire, lottery scratch cards, plastic bottles and sweet wrappers.

Next Chapel Road, Post Office Road and finished on the Millennium Green.

(2 Hours)

(1 Picker 1 small bag collected)



30-07-11 Returned to Lodge Road and Acle Road via Station Road and School Road. Our job was made a little easier along here today as the grass verges had recently been cut back which exposed even more rubbish. Cans, and Plastic Bottles were in abundance some of which had been partially shredded by the grass cutting machine. Several discarded McDonalds brown paper fast food meal bags and cardboard drink cartons with some remaining deteriorating contents. (Yuk) Terminated pick at Glebe farm and returned via the Kings Head using the skip there to dispose of all the rubbish.

(2 Hours)

(2 Pickers 1 large bag collected)



This label was removed from a plastic water bottle picked up locally recently. It had a return deposit of 5cents printed on the label. This bottle would probably not have been dropped as litter if there was a Bottle Return Refund System running in this country.

Countries with Bottle Deposit Laws

Australia, Austria, Barbados, Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Guam, Israel, Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, Switzerland and the USA.

So far we have not got the bottle to adopt a similar system here.



02-08-11 Covered Granary Close, Station Road, Playing field area, Norwich Road, The Highway, Chapel Road, St Edmunds Road and Post Office Road. In the ditch behind the youth shelter we removed a foil barbecue plus a quantity of bottles and cans. Cleaned up some more broken glass in the shelter together with other accumulated litter. Picked up about thirty metal bottle caps next to the litter bin. Picked up some more rubbish on and around the Spar car park and road junction.

(2 Hours)

(2 Pickers 1 large bag collected)



Millennium Green 29th July - 4th August Decided to try and cover the Green daily due to the introduction of the BMX track which has attracted a lot of interest. The young people have used a bucket to put in much of their rubbish, which is a great help in sorting out the recyclable items.. Hopefully people who use the top end of the Green will deposit their litter in a new litter bin once this is provided. It is amazing how much litter there is in a week on the green. A total of 5 buckets and 12 carrier bags collected

(5 hours)

(1 picker 3 large bags collected)

