

# Waste Management in the Mt Buller and Mt Stirling Alpine Resort

#### Dear Guest,

Mt Buller and Mt Stirling Alpine Resort is a special and unique place, a destination of natural beauty and exciting activities. The alpine environment is a rarity in this dry, flat, hot contintent and the plants, animals and communities that exist here are found nowhere else.

Mt Buller and Mt Stirling Management Board are proud to be part of an extensive waste management program in which we support recycling. We've made it easy for you to actively help us preserve and protect our special environment. You too can be proud of playing your part by utilising the recycling bags provided.

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### What can I recycle?

You can recycle any plastic, glass, aluminium, steel, paper and cardboard simply by putting it in a clear recycling bag. Organic food waste can also be recycled in a separate bag.

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- Put all garbage in black garbage bags.
- Put all recyclables in clear plastic recycling bags available from garbage huts. (Keep food waste separate).
- Tie and secure knot in the top of each garbage bag when full.
- Take full garbage or recycling bags to the nearest garbage hut (see map on reverse).
- Clean up any mess you make.
- Close the door when you leave to prevent animal access and contain odours.

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#### **DON'T**

- Don't overload garbage or recycling bags.
- Don't put garbage in recycling bags.
- Don't leave hard waste, building waste, automotive parts, furniture or chemicals in the garbage hut.
- Don't block the doorway in garbage huts.

## 'The Living Bin' organic recycling

Did you know that food waste comprises 50% of all waste in Alpine Resorts. By collecting food waste we have increased our recycling levels to over 40%. You can help create organic soil by placing your organic waste in the bags and bins povided.

# What you can put into the organic bin:

- All organic/living food scraps.
- Fruit and vegetables.

# What you cannot put into the organics bin:

- NO plastics! This includes glad wrap, plastic containers, sauce sachets, straws, plastic forks & knives.
- No metals including foil.
- No broken glass or crockery.
- No nappies.

## What happens next?

Recycling and food waste organics bags are collected from the garbage huts in one truck and taken to Boggy Corner Recycling Depot. General waste is collected in a second truck and taken to Boggy Corner Recycling Depot. The collected bags are then separated and distributed to appropriate waste and recycling centres.

# Where do I get Recycling and Food Waste Organics bags?

Recycling bags are provided free of charge by the Mt Buller Resort Management Board. They are available in the garbage huts.

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