Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands

Public Notice
General Waste Collection & Transfer Station Opening Hours

Please be advised of the following changes to general waste collection days and Transfer Station opening hours for Home Island and West Island, commencing Monday, 9 November 2026.

General Waste Collection

Location	Collection Days
Home Island	Monday and Thursday
West Island	Monday and Thursday (no change)

Recycling – Home Island and West Island
Fortnightly collection remains unchanged.

Transfer Station Opening Hours
The updated opening hours for both Transfer Station are as follows:

Home Island	
Tuesday	10:00am – 12:00pm
Friday	7:30am – 10:00am
Sunday	3:00pm – 4:00pm

West Island	
Tuesday	10:00am – 12:00pm
Friday	7:30am – 10:00am

Additional Waste Disposal Arrangements
The Transfer Stations will also be available by appointment outside the above opening hours to accept commercial and residental waste. Fees must be paid at the Shire Office or through an additional arrangement.

Payment for waste disposal can be made over the phone through the Home Island office or in person during Home Island or West Island office hours.

To arrange an appointment for waste disposal, please contact the Home Island Shire office on (08) 9162 6649.

Important Reminder

Please ensure all rubbish bins are placed kerbside **before 7:00am on collection days.**

If your bin is damaged and requires repair or replacement, please contact the Shire Office on (08) 9162 6649.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in keeping our islands clean and tidy.

Brian Wall
Infrastructure Manager

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