



COUNTY OF BRUCE

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS & SPECIAL WASTE COLLECTION SCHEDULE 2009

Now is your chance to clean out your shed/garage/basement and remove potentially dangerous waste products and dispose of them in an environmentally safe manner, at **NO COST**.



CORROSIVE
Batteries -
(household and auto)
Drain Openers
Oven Cleaners
Pool Chemicals



TOXIC
Pesticides
Over the counter
and prescription
medicines,
Cleaners



FLAMMABLE
Gasoline, Paint
B.B.Q. Propane
Tanks
Oils, Solvents
Nail Polish/
cosmetics
Anti-freeze



REACTIVE
Pool Chemicals
Ammonia
Bleach
Fluorescent bulbs
(tubes and compact)

The County of Bruce will be conducting the 2008 Household Hazardous Waste Collection Events at the following sites:

Sites	Location	Date	Time
Walkerton	Bruce County Highways Garage 94 County Rd 2	July 11	8:00 – 11:00
Paisley	Bruce County Highways Garage 242 Canrobert Street	August 22	8:00 – 11:00
Mildmay	South Bruce Municipal Building 169 Bruce Rd 3	August 22	12:30 – 3:00

Commercial, Agricultural, Industrial wastes, or volumes, PCB's, infectious or radioactive wastes will NOT be accepted. To reduce volumes, paints can be combined in one container. Empty paint cans and aerosols are blue box recyclable. Bring gasoline in containers (glass jars, etc.) that can be disposed of. Gas cans will not be emptied and returned.

DISPOSAL OF DEAD ANIMALS

The Contractor for the collections of household garbage has made the municipality aware that there have been situations where dead animals have been disposed of in household garbage. Residents are requested to refrain from this practice.

REMINDER! BROCKTON RECREATION COMMUNITY NEEDS ASSESSMENT MEETINGS

Please feel free to attend any meeting that might suit your schedule, regardless of the proposed topic!

- Community Service Clubs Representatives – Tuesday June 2 – 7:00 pm – Walkerton Library
- Educators and School Interests – Thursday June 4 – 7:00 pm – Walkerton Community Center
- Retirees, Older Adults, Seniors – Wednesday June 10 – 11:00 am – Walkerton Library
- Youth and Teen groups – Monday June 15 – 7:00 pm – Walkerton Community Center

REMINDER!

Dog Tags – increase by \$10.00 on July 1st, 2009



- OFFICE CLOSED -

The Municipal Office will be closed Wednesday July 1st for Canada Day.

**CANADA DAY CELEBRATION - Wednesday July 1st, 2009**

- 11:30 am Central Park (Tot-Lot) judging of Best Decorated Bikes and Kids
- 12:00 pm Children's Parade led by the Legion Colour Party
- 12:30 pm Centennial Park Ceremonies/Entertainment/BBQ/Birthday Cake
- 1-2 pm Children's Games Supervised by Parks & Recreation Staff
- 2-4 pm Free Supervised Public Swimming
- 10:00 pm FIREWORKS display at the Community Centre Grounds



(All events are weather permitting...Donations would be greatly appreciated!)

REGISTER YOUR ACTS OF GREEN

The Municipality of Brockton is participating in the CBC One Million Acts of Green challenge. The idea behind this campaign is that one small act can make a big difference; it's about one act from each individual amassing to a million. It can be as simple as switching to compact fluorescent light bulbs or walking/bicycling to work. Use your imagination and take action. Brockton has created an account on the One Million Acts of Green website (www.onemillionactsofgreen.com) where we are asking you to register your act of green. We have challenged the Municipality of Saugeen Shores to register more Acts of Green than Brockton so we need as many Brockton residents as possible to log on and add their Act of Green.

**How To Register Your Acts of Green!**

1. Go to www.onemillionactsofgreen.com
2. Click on HOME
3. Click on CREATE AN ACCOUNT
4. Give your email address, password, and province – takes a few seconds!
5. Under MY PROFILE, click on EDIT MY PROFILE... here you can create a user/nickname, upload a photo, etc.
6. To register an act of green from the home page:
 - * You can click on ALL ACTS OF GREEN at the top of the page to find your particular act.
 - * You can also scroll down to the green box that says "Perform an Act of Green." Click on the appropriate category to find the appropriate act icon OR click on "See All Acts" to see them all.
7. Once you have clicked on your act, you will have to verify by clicking "Add This Act to My Total."
8. To see your account profile, and the acts you have registered, click on MY PROFILE and then MY GREEN HOME.

IMPORTANT Next you have to join the "Municipality of Brockton" group to register your Act of Green to add your act to the Brockton total. To do this follow the following steps:

To Join a Group:

1. Go to: www.onemillionactsofgreen.com
2. Log in to your account.
3. Under GROUPS AND CHALLENGES, click on "Find Groups."
4. Type in Brockton then **select "Municipality of Brockton"**.
5. Click on "Join" (right hand side of the screen).

Once you have registered your Act of Green the website will calculate the amount of greenhouse gases saved. We encourage you to register as many Acts of Green as possible. Future Acts of Green added to your account will be automatically added to the group total for the Municipality of Brockton.

Thank you for your involvement and check on Brockton's count of greenhouse gases saved on a regular basis!

BULLETIN BOARD

LONGEST DAY OF GOLF FUNDRAISER – K's Kountry Kitchen – Thurs. June 4th -11:00am to 7:00pm - \$6.00 SPECIAL MEAL DEAL! All proceeds to the Longest Day of Golf supporting the Canadian Cancer Society.

WALKERTON WAVE RIDERS SWIM TEAM – Starts June 9th – Tuesdays & Thursdays (Level 4 required). To register call the Walkerton Recreation Centre @ 881-0625 between 8:30am & 4:30 pm Monday to Friday.