

At Railholiday we Reduce, Reuse, Return and Recycle!

Reduce

- Avoid buying items that are heavily packaged.
- Request cardboard packaging from retailers. Do we need it? Have we got something else that would be able to do the job?
- Return all tools after use and make sure they are kept clean to improve shelf life.
- Turn off plugs to extend the lives of electronic equipment.

Reuse

- Paper, envelopes, cardboard boxes (unwanted boxes please remove any sellotape and put by compost bins for use on garden) hoover bags (until ineffective), soap dispensers, shopping bags, plant pots.
- All railway related surplus to be offered to other carriage restoration groups.
- Old duvets, pillows and carpets to be kept for reuse under pond liners etc.

Return

- Apple juice bottles and all boxes. Juice bottles with labels; box up for Donderry community apple pressings. Keep tops.
- Apple juice without labels; return to Karensa Aval.
- Boxes; return to Karensa Aval.
- Excess plant pots; return to Tartendown Nurseries.

Recycle

- Compost all vegetable waste.
- Grass trimmings to be layered with cardboard and garden weeds and composted.
- Peelings, shells and food waste put in large covered compost bin.
- Large prunings to go on open woodpiles.
- Leaves to go in leaf mould bins.
- Put in recycling bags; glass, milk bottles, tins, aluminium, paper too small to use for scrap.
- Steel to go on scrap heap.
- All wood to be re-used. Small off-cuts to go into the kindling bin.
- Rubble to go to woods for use on tracks.
- Sub soil and topsoil to woods for re-use later.
- All old clothing and bedding too worn to go to charity shops should be put on the rag pile.

Engaging guests;

- Make sure that recycling leaflets are in a prominent position and haven't been moved.
- Check information book occasionally to make sure the Green Guest page is up to date.