

Monthly NewsShot
March 17



For **Hygiene Reasons**, all residents must now ensure the refuse bin lids remain closed after use.

We have found leaving the refuse bins open attracts flies, mosquitoes & vermin. This increases the health risk for residents.

The refuse bins are cleaned by a professional bin sanitising company on a quarterly basis by disinfecting the outer and inner parts as well as the bin lids.

The refuse bins are collected every **Monday** by Barnet Council.

For your convenience the estate teams rotate the refuse bins every **Thursday** by pushing the full ones back and bringing forward the empty ones. During this process the refuse bins and bin stores are once again disinfected to ensure that hygienic conditions are maintained. There are now automatic hands free sanitising units in all bin stores for residents to use.

Please try to use the recycling bins as much as possible - be advised that plastic bags are not permitted and the Council will not collect them. Sorting out misplaced refuse & recycling is done by a contractor and will result in costs being incurred & applied to the service charge.

Do not put your rubbish on the floor, this will encourage **FOXES, RATS & Other UNWANTED VERMIN!**

We appreciate your cooperation with regards to the above.