



RAVEN REPORT

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Turn Left Where The Cinema Used To Be

We're not the only ones working on projects in this area. As the roadworks move towards the traffic lights we'll be asking people to take a different route to get to Raven. Simply turn onto Tlingit Street by the animal shelter and turn right at A-1 Autobody then along Galena to our side gate. We'll have some signs set up to help everyone along as well as maps in the depot before the diversion is set up. Industrial Road will remain open but it will be more difficult to drive along so you'll be doing yourself a favour by taking the 'scenic' route.

It's Summer, It's Construction Season

Work is continuing on the Raven improvements. We're having new fencing and gates installed and we'll be rearranging the drop off area at the front of the building. We are also finalising our plans for the new-look depot. It will be in the same place we normally have the depot but completely revamped and improved. It's a bit too early to reveal what we're going to do but we think you'll like it. It won't be opening until September but it'll be worth waiting for.

The Editor is IN

If you have an idea for something you'd like to see in the newsletter then let us know at members@ravenrecycling.org. Want to be a writer? We will also take submissions of articles. Any articles we use will come with a byline so you get full credit. You also get a free copy of the newsletter! Wait, you do anyway. Oh well. We do reserve the right to edit submitted articles before they are published.

RECYCLING CLUB NEWS

Recycling Club certificates are already going out to eager collectors. Points can be collected until 17th November but you can collect certificates as soon as you have enough points for what you want. Come in to Raven and see Gloria or give us a call to order your prize certificates.



♪ Summertime and recycling's busy, the depot's jumpin' and the temperature's high. ♪ Along with the extra recycling we also get students working in the summer. If you see a new face in the depot over the summer then it likely belongs to one of them. Not only do they earn money to help with school but they get workplace experience as well. Raven is lucky enough to get people returning year after year, we recycle staff as well.

DID YOU KNOW?

The story of plastics continues...



Plastics with this number are made from...High Density Polyethylene (CH₂CH₂)_n! HDPE, as it's easier to type, is formed from petroleum. In total it takes 1.75kg of petroleum to produce 1kg of the plastic. HDPE can be found without pigments in milk jugs and pigmented in items like containers for laundry detergent and shampoo bottles. It's also used by plastic surgeons. You may have been wondering why Raven asks you to separate the dyed HDPE containers from the plain ones. Even if you weren't, it's because the unpigmented ones are worth more than the containers with added dyes.



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