

YOUR LITTER PICKING VOLUNTEER PACK





WELCOME TO THE TEAM!

Thank you for joining our team of Love Solihull volunteers! We are thrilled to have you on board, helping us keep Solihull clean and tidy.

Now that your details have been added to our database of registered Love Solihull Community Litter Pickers, you can collect your free litter picking equipment set!





EQUIPMENT

Where do I get my equipment?


- Your equipment can be collected from your local library that you picked when registering with us.

Please note, stock is subject to availability and library staff will aim to fulfil your request, however, if any items are out of stock, you may be asked to return at a later date.

- If someone else will be collecting equipment on your behalf, please forward this confirmation email to them for reference, as they may be asked for proof of registration.



Don't forget to check the library's opening hours before making your journey.



LITTER PICKING

Once you have your equipment, you can start litter picking your local neighbourhood, parks and green spaces.

You will be given a roll of green Love Solihull bags to use for collecting your litter. You can collect a new roll of bags whenever is required from your chosen library hub. It is important that you **ONLY** use the green Love Solihull bags for litter picking.

Please remember to follow the safety guidance provided in the risk assessment.



BAG COLLECTION

Once you have completed a litter pick, we will need to collect your bags.

- For 3 bags or less– please leave these next to a SMBC owned public bin and they will be collected during usual bin emptying rounds.
- For more than 3 bags (or when leaving a bag next to bin has not been possible) – please use the bag collection reporting form which can be found on our Love Solihull website or call 0121 704 8000. Each request will be recorded on the system providing you with a case number.

NITROUS OXIDE CANISTERS

If you stumble across a nitrous oxide canister when out litter picking, please do **NOT** collect it in your green Love Solihull bags.

Given the combustible nature of these canisters, we have a separate disposal procedure for them.

Option 1: Nitrous Oxide canisters can be left **LOOSE** (unbagged) by the side of any public SMBC bin for collection.

Option 2: Blue nitrous oxide disposal bags can be obtained upon request from your local library. The N.O canisters can be collected in this blue bag and placed by the side of any public SMBC bin for collection.



FLY TIPPING

If you happen to unearth or stumble across any fly tipping, you can report it via our council website, or by calling 0121 704 8000

Reporting Form



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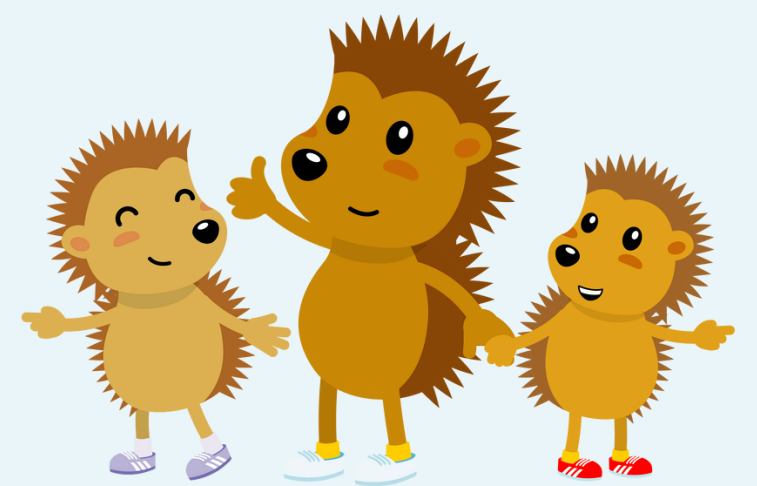


LITTER PICKING GROUPS

We have a number of well established litter picking groups across the borough. If you did not select to join a group when registering with us as a volunteer, but would like to at a later date, you can email us the name of the group you would like to join and we will put you in contact.

Groups

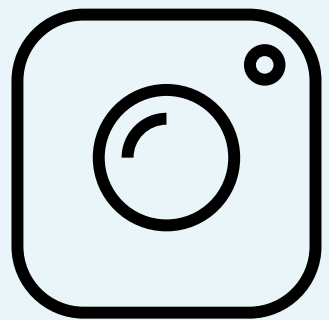
- Balsall Common Litter Pickers
- Castle Bromwich Litter Pickers
- Clean & Green (Kingshurst)
- Damson Wood Litter Pickers
- Olton & Hobs Moat Litter Pickers
- Tidbury Green Litter Pickers



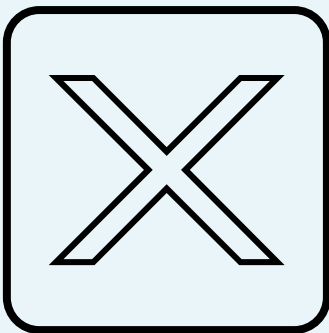
You can find more information about each of these groups on our Love Solihull website.

STAY IN TOUCH

You can keep up to date with all things Love Solihull by following us on our social media platforms.



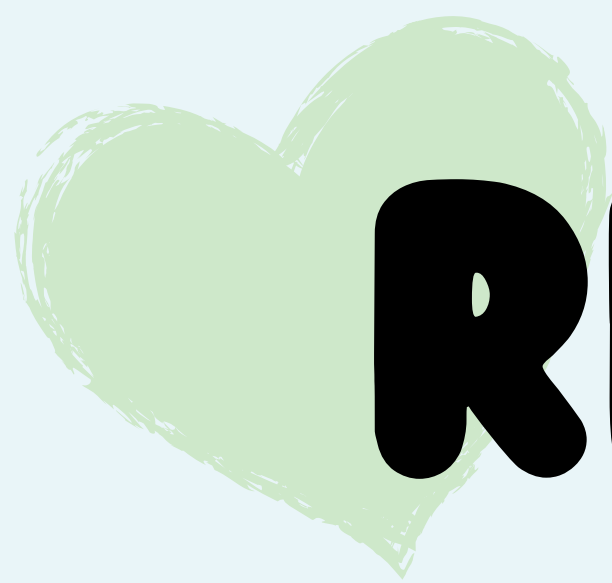
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Don't forget to check out the Love Solihull website for more information.

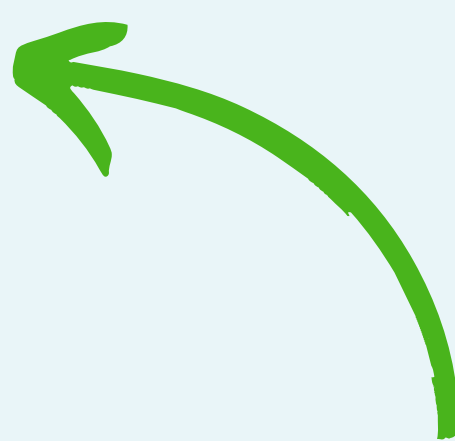




RETURNING YOUR EQUIPMENT

If at any point you wish to revoke your registration with us, you can do so by filling out our online revocation form, which can be found on the Love Solihull website.

Once you have revoked your registration with us, please return your litter picking equipment to your chosen library hub.



Revocation Form