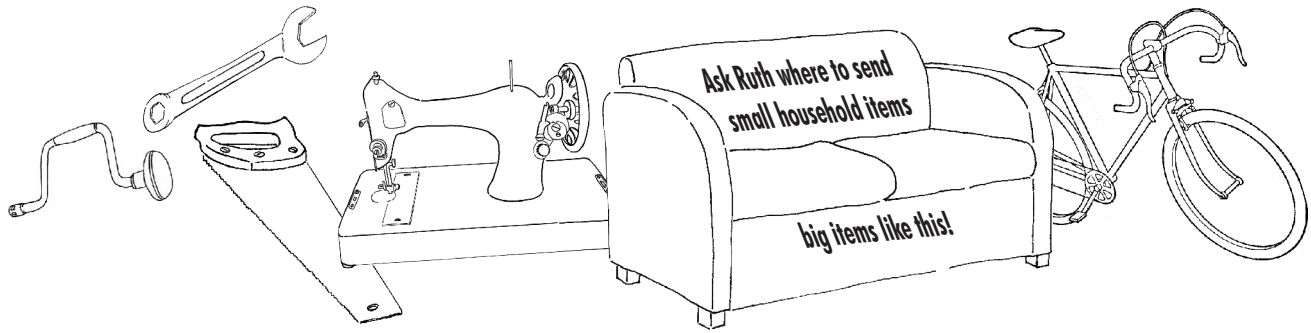
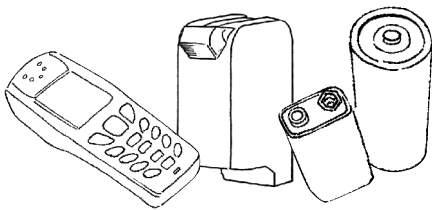


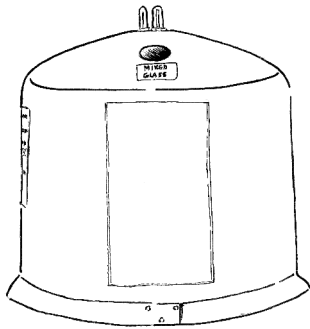
# Local Recycling Opportunities



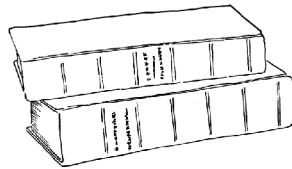
**Re-cycling stable at Cock farm, Polstead.** Alan and Ruth Riddleston will take in your un-needed **tools** for all trades (carpentry, car mechanic, leather working, plumbing etc.) Also knitting machines, sewing machines, gestetner machines, **bikes** (and bike parts) . These will be sent on to local organisations such as Tools with a Mission, Re-Cycle and Emmaus for re-use by charities overseas and within the UK. **Please phone Ruth before you deliver..01206 262631**



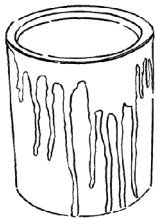
**Battery Boxes in Stoke by Nayland Church Porch and Polstead shop.** These take **used batteries** which are disposed of safely, old **mobiles**, **computer cartridges** and **old specs** - all of these are passed on to charities to raise funds or for re-use.



**Local bottle bank.** Available at Leavenheath Village Hall and the Cock pub at Polstead.



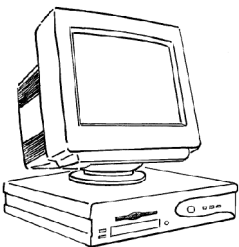
**Children's books.** Children's reading books and text books from pre-school to A level are needed for schools in Africa where children study in English. Books need to be in good condition (no graffiti) and less than 15 years old. Contact Carol on 01206 263670.



**Paint.** Try Re-Paint at [www.repaintessex.org.uk](http://www.repaintessex.org.uk) who re-cycle left over paint to needy organisations & households. (No toxic paint accepted.)



**Old clothes, shoes, curtains and household linens** can be taken to charity shops or TEXTILE BANKS in Hadleigh or Sudbury.



**Old computers** can be taken to Mill Race I.T. in Witham. [www.millraceit.co.uk](http://www.millraceit.co.uk) or 01376 504259. This is a charity which will clean off all personal data and completely re-cycle very old computers (small charge.) Computers which are capable of re-use will be serviced and sent on to charities in UK and overseas.

**Small bits of metal?** Save them up until you have enough to justify a trip to the Household Waste & Recycling centre in Hadleigh or Sudbury. Scrap metal is sorted and sold to dealers.

**Other household items**, including toys, too good to throw away. Try re-homing them via **Suffolk Freecycle**. <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/suffolkfreecycle>

**This information sheet has been produced by the Village Green Teams with help from Babergh District Council. For further information on recycling in our villages 01206 262459 or call The Refuse Hotline on 0800 0185989.**