



# Resources for Hire

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## 01. Water Stations

The EMRC have two water stations (a drink fountain and a water bottle refill station) for free hire to our member Councils and community groups for events. The water is filtered and safe for drinking, and must be placed close to a tap connection for use. It reduces dependency on expensive bottled water and reduces litter.



Instructions on how to set up are provided. This item comes with two "Drinking Water" banners.

## 02. Portable Bicycle Parking

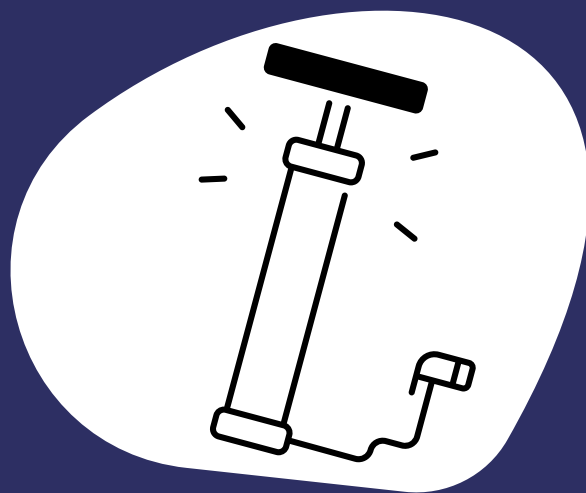
The EMRC has 13 portable heavy-duty bike rails which hold a total of 26 bikes (one bike on either side of each rail). The rails are portable and are available for use by member Councils and community groups free of charge. Also included are two "Bike Friendly" banners.



## 03. Portable Bicycle Pump

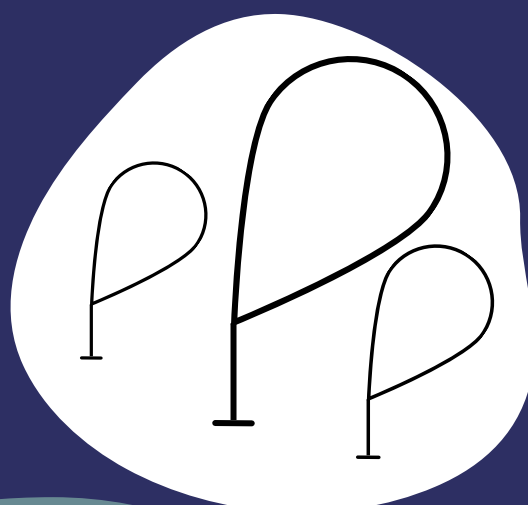
The EMRC has a large control tower 3 bicycle pump, which inflates up to 160psi. It is portable and available for use by member Councils and community groups free of charge.

Features: 2"-gauge, Steel barrel and stable plastic base, Auto Head - Presta and Schrader valve compatible, automatic switches, ergo handle with internal storage, 160psi



## 04. Banners

In addition to the banners mentioned above, the EMRC also has two "Parking" banners for use by member Councils and community groups. It is recommended to tie or weigh down all banners, as they are 400cm high.



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## 05. Paper Making Loan Box

Suitable for all ages, paper-making highlights the process of recycling where something old is turned into something new.

The paper-making kit includes instructions, three paper-making screens and a hand blender. You will need access to warm water, used paper (newspaper, egg cartons or shredded paper), a power supply, and a place for the paper to dry.



## 06. Mini Bin Waste Sort Loan Box

The mini bin waste sort kit is suitable for schools grades 2 to 6.

The kit includes miniature bins of your council's bin system and sorting cards. The activity can be extended by the use of the waste hierarchy. The activity can be used to assess students' and community groups' knowledge before or after a waste-related unit. This kit comes with six sets of mini bins (1 general waste bin, 1 recycling, and one food organics and garden organics bin per set) plus six sets of sorting cards (one set per group).



## 07. Nature's Recyclers Loan Box

This kit is suitable for all ages and will enable your class to examine the 'bugs' found in compost bins and worm farms which play a vital role in recycling our organics.

The kit contains 5 magnifying glasses, 5 magnifying cups, 12 pairs of garden gloves, compost and worm farming activity ideas, storybooks and fact sheets. An iScopeStand which turns an iPad/tablet into a microscope is also included in the kit.



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## 08. Book Loan Box

This box contains storybooks relating to waste, recycling, the natural environment and sustainable communities. Books are suitable for primary school-aged children and cater for different reading levels. Titles include Why Should I Recycle; Lady Marmalade; Hope: 50 Ways to Help our Planet Every Day; The Mark of the Wagari; Leaf Litter; Drawn to Change the World.



## 09. Waste Audit Loan Box

Waste auditing is the first step in understanding what types of waste are being generated by your group and helps start conversations around what you can do to avoid and reduce waste.

Our Waste Audit Loan Kit aligns with the State Government's WasteSorted Schools Program, but the kit is also suitable for community groups and businesses. Schools are advised to conduct a waste audit every six months to track their progress.



## 10. Early Years Resource Loan Box

The kit contains:

- Story books and rhymes about recycling and worm farming,
- teacher resources and fact sheets on becoming a lower waste-friendly service.

The box also contains a wooden recycling centre play set, plus recycling bingo and waste and ladders games.



## 11. Plastic Not so Fantastic Loan Box

This resource is great to tie in with Plastic Free July, it is recommended to borrow the Waste Audit Loan Kit before or after. This Kit consists of 3 separate boxes and contains:

- variety of books,
- worksheets and
- hands-on activities.

It is designed help create an understanding of the types of waste which are being generated. Learn about the history and consequences of the global plastic problem as well as simple steps you can take to reduce your impact and live more sustainably.



## 12. Party Loan Box

Reduce your single-use footprint and party sustainably with this kit. It includes:

- 48 reusable plastic plates, bowls and cups, plus metal cutlery and cloth napkins,
- Fabric tablecloth
- A 15L watercooler,
- Cake slicer and 3 serving platters,
- 2x4.5m fabric bunting

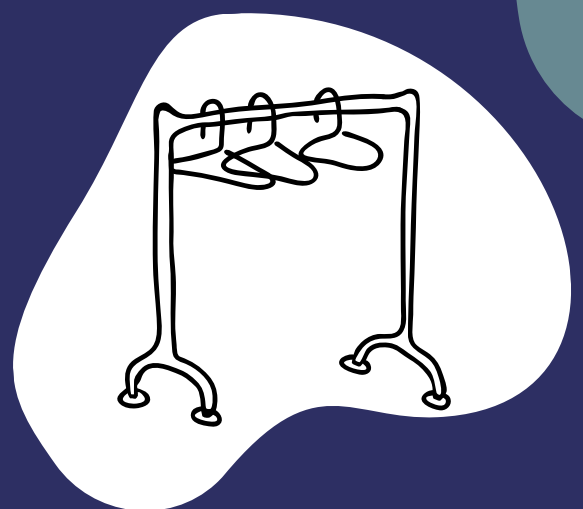


Winter options can be requested; They include a 15L soup pot and hot water urn. Please specify this in the notes section on the form if desired.

## 13. Clothing Rails

Clothing rails are for temporary storage of hanging clothes for events run by local Councils and community groups.

Ideal for use as a coat rack, backstage event or clothing swaps. Each rack is collapsible via buttons and adjustable in height and length. Maximum height of 1700mm and width 1890mm. All racks have wheels and stoppers. There are 10 available for hire.



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