



Feature Product GUASDON G-THRU

To assist in their battery and E-Waste initiatives, Southern Queensland University has taken possession of some new Glasdon C-Thru bins.

The C-Thru is a large 180ltr capacity container with a clear body that allows easy inspection to minimise crosscontamination.

Previously, adapted wheelie bins were used to collect the recycling streams, but contamination hampered efforts.

Reports to date confirm that contamination has significantly reduced and the bins are popular with staff and students alike.

Glasdon supplies the London Olympics

The London Olympics have been widely reported as a major success, and in a small way Glasdon UK, one of two bin suppliers selected to supply the waste management systems for the games has contributed to that success. As many visitors to London will know, the streets in this major city are not exactly flush with waste bins, this is a result of many years of terrorist threats to the city of London. This bin shortage was not as apparent during the games!

The Olympic Park and all other venues sought to separate waste into three streams, recyclable, organic and landfill. The challenge was to have a system that would be easily identified and adopted by the huge numbers of visitors packing into the Olympic Venues, whilst providing a level of transparency that reduced the risk of a bin being part of a security breach.

Glasdon were selected to supply large numbers of its C-Thru bin with a number of modifications incorporated into the design. The first modification was the apertures; these were designed as a "hood" with waste entered from the side to avoid rainwater entering the bin liners. Secondly the size of the bin was modified to include a smaller 80 litre model to be used for "Landfill" waste.

Why you may ask did the London organisers wish to have one mini bin in the trio of bins? Eva Scott-Alvarez from Glasdon UK comments "We decided to make people think, make them understand that much of what they were disposing was actually recyclable, and the simple process of having to reach down to dispose waste into the landfill bin ensured some thought was put into the disposal process". Eva continues "in regard to the security implications - the see through bin offers transparency of the contents, making it very difficult to hide a unique object, and was therefore considered the ideal solution for the games.

The games have finished and it will be great to hear in the coming weeks as to the success of the recycling strategy adopted by the organisers. We hope to provide some statistics as to the success of this solution in our next edition of our RUD Recycling newsletter.





RUD Installations Update

Department of Foreign Affairs

R.G. Casey Building, Barton, Canberra

Product selected: EcoNexus 60 open top waste (red) and open top recycling (yellow), plus Nexus 30's with similar apertures.

Application: To separate landfill and recyclables in large and small kitchens throughout the facility, which has upwards of 40 kitchen spaces.

Philip Island Nature Park

Penguins Parade

Product selected: A range of Nexus 140's and EcoNexus 60's

Application: The cafeteria area at Penguins is undergoing a renovation and in line with new measures to reduce landfill it was deemed the old cabinetry was simply not working. As such the Penguin management sought to introduce the Nexus 140 due to the flexibility it would provide them in terms of aperture types, and the ability to move the recycling pods if and when necessary.

SBS

Head Office at Artarmon, Sydney

Product selected: Nexus 50's and Nexus 30's

Application: SBS's head offices at Artarmon are large open plan offices covering two levels. Management have decided to push recycling within their sustainability plan and, as such office desk bins have been removed from desks and recycling pods introduced within a short distance of workers to dispose of their waste. A variety of Nexus 50's were used throughout the major floor plan, with Nexus 30's used in large meeting rooms.

Australian Catholic University

Daniel Mannix Building, Fitzroy Campus

Product selected: Nexus 100 open top red and open top yellow units.

Application: The Daniel Mannix Building is a new \$75 Million dollar development that has attracted a 6 Star Rating from the Building Council of Australia for its design, innovation and sustainability features. The University purchased over 90 Nexus 100 bins to line the pathways of the building.

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New Products

This quarter we are highlighting our extended range of "see through", persuex bin outlons

These bins are becoming increasingly popular for the collection of e-type recycling and specific waste streams such as aluminium and glass.

Nexus 100 C-Thru

The Nexus C-Thru body is a new product recently introduced in the UK. The castor wheels that hold the bin liner unit remain the same with the difference being the Perspex frontage. In the UK, it has been used in such applications as the collection of 3D glasses in movie theatres.

C-Thru TRIO

As you can see from the image the 180 Litre C-Thru Trio allows you to capture three recycling streams within a relatively small "footprint", and the Perspex nature of the bin seeks to enforce the correct disposal and

separation of waste streams.

Nexus 30 C-Thru

The Nexus 30 is a small yet smart bin that as demonstrated in the picture is ideal for specific requirements such as

requirements such the collection of batteries.

The unit can also be wall mounted, another feature, particularly in universities and other educational institutions that encourage greater recycling.