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(AS OF MARCH 31, 2012)

SINCE 1992, ENCORP ATLANTIC HAS RECYCLED OVER 2.8 BILLION CONTAINERS IN NEW BRUNSWICK

SPRING

SPILLAGE FROM BULK BAGS

Don't make it easier for containers to fall out! Current bags have been designed to prevent any spillage of containers when closed properly. Recent visits to redemption centres has allowed Encorp staff to witness certain bad practices pertaining to bag closures. Avoid problems by making sure that bags are completely sealed before they leave your centre. It is the centre's responsibility to assure this is done prior to collection.





HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



20 years of successful beverage container recycling in N.B.

20 ans de gestion des récipients à boisson au N.-B.

As you probably know by now, The New Brunswick Beverage Containers Program celebrates its 20th birthday this year. We at Encorp Atlantic, representing the over 80 distributors in New Brunswick are extremely grateful for the immense work done everyday by the 75 plus redemption centres in this province. The contribution to the recycling efforts in New Brunswick by the over 300 redemption centre workers, truckers and processing personnel is the cornerstone of the success of the Beverage Containers Program.

As recognition, Encorp Atlantic is gathering a list of all workers with 10, 15 and 20 years of service to recycling efforts in NB. We ask centres to provide Encorp with the names and years of service. Names can be called in at 1-877-389-7320.

Billy's

Diane Poirier 17 years Kenneth McLaughlin 17 years

CEC - Caraquet

Allain Claude Chiasson 20 years Claude E Chiasson 20 years

Charlotte County Can & Bottle Todd Cheney 10 years

Chipman Redemption

Gerard Joudrey 11 years

Denton's

Pamela Denton Lockhart **20 years**

Entreprise A. Richard - Cap-Pelé

André Richard 20 years Chris Richard 20 years

Friendly's Bottle Exchange Carolyn Demarchant 18 years

Gaetan Bossé – St. Quentin Francine Michaud 10 years

Golden Mile

Chris Taylor 20 years Debbie Taylor 20 years

Gorber's Moncton

Roger Richard 20 years Dave Elliott 20 years Roland Boudreau 13 years

Harris Redemption Centre Jonathan Harris 10 years

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Maple View

Laura Clark 13 years

Maurice Thibodeau Redemption Centre

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Miramichi Metal & Redemption Centre

Arthur MacDonald 20 years Ralph McCray 14 years Donald McCray 11 years

Northside Redemption Centre

Kevin Colsord 10 years Chris Matheson 10 years Benoit (Ben) Savoie 15 years Jean-Guy Gallant 10 years

Shediac Redemption Centre

Charles Gallant 20 years Francine Gallant 15 years Eric Boudreau 15 years Armand Gallant 15 years Michel Gallant 10 years

Recyclage Kent Recycling

Maurice Robichaud 12 years Marina Robichaud 12 years

Riverview Bottle Exchange

Steve Hope 20 years

Savage Bottle

Lawrence Goddard 17 years

Southside Redemption Centre

Wanda Hood 17 years David McCarthy 11 years

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ATTENTION

Every so often customers walk in with containers that look more like UFO's than any deposit-bearing container. A foreign object in a recyclable beverage container can play havoc on the health and safety of workers and on sorting equipment. Customers and workers alike need to be reminded of this serious problem.



Over the past few months, Encorp has distributed to all RC's in New Brunswick, signage designed to inform customers on the do's and don't. In addition, we've supplied RC with handout cards: "How to prepare your recyclables" and a poster: "Attention", showing some example of foreign objects. A second poster in this series has been distributed in the past few days. Encorp Atlantic is committed to the safety of all workers and will act aggressively to correct this issue. We must all be extremely vigilant on this matter.



Roger Richard
must have started
working when he
was 3 or 4? In fact,
Roger started working
when he was only 13
or so and has been a
permanent fixture at
Gorber's Recycling in
Moncton since 1968.
That adds up to 44 years
of service. At the time. Go

of service. At the time, Gorber's & Savage was a bottle exchange depot

for refillable beer. This was prior to

the establishment of the New Brunswick Beverage Containers Program that was officially launched on April 1, 1992.

NEW BAGS

A series of new bulk bags will start appearing at a redemption centre near you! In an effort to constantly replenish our inventory of bags, 3000 new bags will be introduced in the system starting in mid-April. Bags are the same size (1 m³) as the current bulk bags with the exception of a being a heavier stock (200 vs. 180 grams) and dark green in color. At first glance, the new bags have 2 sets of straps (inside & outside cover). This is a manufacturing defect and will be addressed prior to distributing to centres.

TRISHA'S NEW WHEELS!

When you call Hebert's Recycling in Miramichi you will likely be greeted by the friendly voice of Trisha Donovan. Well good things can happen to good people! A few weeks ago, when Trisha rolled up the rim she had the shock of her life when she saw: **«WIN/GAGNEZ CAMRY»**. We congratulate Trisha and wish her happy motoring!

