

KYOGLE COUNCIL

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Kyogle High School, Kyogle Council and North East Waste have joined forces to promote recycling in the Kyogle Local Government Area (LGA)

Council's Regulatory Officer David Bevan suggested that Kyogle High School students may be interested in painting artwork on one of Council's plain white recycling skip bins.

When the school was approached it jumped at the chance.

One of the school's teachers, Rebecca O'Meara, drafted some designs based on recycling messages and local area scenes, and the students did the rest.

Council's Senior Environmental Health Officer David Bell said Rebecca and the students had done a tremendous job in a short space of time.

"The environmental benefits of recycling are well understood, however there are real financial benefits as well." he said.

"Hopefully the great artwork will assist with getting the message out to our wider community."

Kyogle High School's principal Gae Masters said the school was thrilled with the results.

"We are very proud that our students can contribute to the Council's focus on beautification for the community to appreciate."

Keep an eye out for the recycling bin at one of Council's waste facilities.

Caption for attached photo: Kyogle High School staff and students join with David Bell and David Bevan of Kyogle Council to admire the new artwork on the recycling skip bin.

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