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Dear parish council,

My name is Charlotte and I am 12 years old. I have lived here for 8 years and recently I have been noticing litter around the village. I am writing to you because I would like to install recycling bins in the village. If Bomere were to have recycling bins it would mean less plastic and rubbish around Bomere and that the village would keep its natural beauty. Recycling bins would reduce the amount of harm to the wildlife that live here. I recently saw two empty beer cans outside of the park and the lids were open. The sharp bits could hurt children that play here. I usually pass the park on my way to the busstop and almost every time I walk past it I see litter (mainly sweet wrappers or the packaging they use at the fish and chip shop). I have included a picture of an example in Eastborne and I think that Bomere should have something similar to help reduce plastic waste.

Some good sites for the bins are: in/near the park, around the shop or in the village hall/pub car park. If recycling bins were to be put in the park or near it, kids will put their rubbish in it and that will reduce the amount of harm to the wildlife. However, putting these bins near the shops will help because at some point every body has to go to the shop once in a while. My bus stops at the shop and I've seen kids going in to get sweets, crisps ect. If the bins were put here it would give a better chance of no litter. Finally, if they were put in either car parks, people usually go to events like halloween disco or village fete and tend to leave things like napkins or fish and chip bags.

Thank you for your time for reading this letter,

Yours sincerely,

Charlotte Stafford



Recycling bins