Refuse collection at Blaen y Nant

The refuse collection from Blaen y Nant has recently changed, so that collections are only once every four weeks.

Also the collectors will only collect non-recyclable waste, which has to be contained in bags. Any loose rubbish in the bin results in them not emptying the bin.

So, what we have to do is:

* Take all recyclable waste home in the black plastic bags provided or to a nearby collection point\*. This includes bottles, tins, plastic containers or cartons, cardboard etc.
* Put non-recyclable waste in the white plastic bags provided, and then place them carefully in the wheeled bin. Bear in mind that food waste will be in the bin for up to a month, so make sure that the bags are not overfilled and very well sealed. Do not put in sharp objects like BBQ skewers which might puncture the bags
* Try to minimise what you put in the bin - it has to hold a month's worth of waste.
* Report back to us if the bin is overfull, or any of the bags have burst.

It is important that the above procedures are followed, otherwise, the council will not empty the bin. We are then faced with dealing with split bags of rotting food waste, more often than not crawling with maggots.

\*Collection points for recyclables

Bins opposite the woolen mill in Trefriw

Co-op car park in Llanrwst