



Summer Kick-Off Litter Pickup Challenge



Pick up litter and record your progress using the Litterati app. Scan the QR code below for instructions on how to use the app and for further information about the challenge.

JUNE 1 - JUNE 30

Our goal is to collect 1,250 pieces of trash in the greater Bordentown area to celebrate the start of summer!

*Sponsored by the Earth Care Team of the
First Presbyterian Church of Bordentown*



LITTERATI APP & LITTER COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS

1. If you don't already have the Litterati app on your phone, download it from the Apple App Store or Google Play, or scan the QR below (which will take you to a website that provides options for downloading the Litterati app).
2. Log in or create an account (it's free!). Be sure to allow the app to use your location so that the data can be used to study locations of litter in our area and that policies can be written to best reduce litter in the greater Bordentown area based on this data.
3. Click the "Challenges" tab and select "Join a Challenge with a Code." Our challenge code is **907716**.
4. Choose an area where you would like to collect litter along a roadway that is ***within a fifteen-mile radius of downtown Bordentown.***
5. Please use appropriate safety measures when collecting litter, including wearing gloves, using a tool to grab litter, wearing bright colored clothing or a high visibility safety vest, and being aware of traffic. For more safety tips, go to <https://www.litterbegone.org/safety-tips/>.
6. It helps to bring two large garbage bags: one for items that can be recycled (glass bottles and jars, cartons, paper, cardboard, metal cans, plastics [1, 2 & 5 in Burlington and only 1 & 2 in Mercer], and metalcans) and one for trash.
7. When you are ready to collect litter, click on the small blue button that looks like a camera.
8. Take individual photos of each piece of litter, right where you find it. Past experience has shown that it's advisable to take pictures of all the litter in a certain area and then collect the litter in that area rather than taking one picture at a time followed by picking up the litter item just photographed!
9. Every so often, click on the blue "Up" arrow to upload your photos to the app. If you are enrolled in the challenge, it will automatically count your photos toward our total! You can also see progress of the entire challenge and monitor statistics of others who are participating. If you're competitive, aim to collect more pieces than any other participant!
10. Dispose of the recyclables properly and discard the trash.

