



2025 BEACH CLEAN DATA

Leave No Trace Brighton and Sea Lanes have been working together since 2019 to run monthly beach cleans during the Spring and Summer months. These cleans are well-attended and see the Brighton community come together to protect our beautiful beaches.

The aim is to educate, encourage, and empower individuals, communities, and businesses to reduce waste, recycle, and properly dispose of rubbish. Together, we can keep our beaches and seas clean for everyone to enjoy.

The data collected from the beach cleans provides valuable insights into the types and quantities of waste found along our shores. By analysing this data, we can identify trends, track the effectiveness of our efforts, and develop strategies to reduce marine pollution.

	RECYCLED PLASTIC	METAL/ ALUMINIUM	GLASS	PAPER/WOOD	FISHING WASTE	NON RECYCLED WASTE	TOTAL	TOTAL PARTICIPANTS
30/03/25	4.2 kg	7 kg	5 kg	7.8 kg	8 kg	19.5 kg	51.5 kg	75
27/04/25	4 kg	3 kg	4 kg	11 kg	3 kg	31 kg	56 kg	43
25/05/25	Cancelled - Bad Weather							
29/06/25	11 kg	7 kg	5.5 kg	15 kg	0.5 kg	14 kg	53 kg	75
27/07/25	6 kg	2 kg	6 kg	0.5 kg	0.5 kg	20.5 kg	35.5 kg	52
31/08/25	4.7 kg	3.2 kg	3.7 kg	4.9 kg	0.5 kg	16 kg	33 kg	45
28/09/25	5 kg	2 kg	7 kg	9 kg	2 kg	18 kg	43 kg	50
TOTALS	34.9 kg	24.2 kg	31.2 kg	48.2 kg	14.5 kg	119 kg	272 kg	340

THE DIRTY DOZEN



3,749

#1 Plastic food packaging



1,472

#2 Paper tissues/napkins



912

#3 Plastic fragments 2.5-50cm



830

#4 Aluminium drinks cans



782

#5 Plastic drinks bottles



532

#6 Plastic single use cups



518

#7 Mixed bottle caps/lids



506

#8 Cigarette butts



489

#9 Plastic fragments 0-2.5cm



411

#10 Plastic cable ties



388

#11 Paper/Card takeaway container



376

#12 Plastic fishing waste 0-50cm