

# Chaotic Times

Organised Chaos Newsletter

"Helping you to  
clear clutter and  
feel -

Better!"

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'Do I need a skip?'

# Dear Friends of Organised Chaos

Welcome to the October edition of **Chaotic Times!**

This month's issue is all about the benefits of skip hire when you're de-cluttering.

One challenge I have in marketing Organised Chaos is the preconceived ideas people might have about such a business. I recognise that hiring someone to help with de-cluttering is a big step and some clients have confessed to being quite scared by the prospect of me coming into their homes!

I often joke with them that I don't book a skip and insist on filling it with their belongings. Of course I hope that by meeting people I can dispel these negative impressions. There really would be nothing to be gained if I bullied people into parting with their cherished treasures and left them in tears!

Having said that, there are occasions when a skip can be just the thing you need, so I thought I'd have a look at the benefits and points you need to consider before hiring your skip.

## **Benefits of Hiring a Skip:**

- ✓ **Saves time travelling to and from the tip**
- ✓ **Helps focus your mind on the task!**
- ✓ **Value for money is achieved by filling the skip to maximum load level. This prompts effective de-cluttering.**
- ✓ **Particularly suited to large bulky items which might not fit in your car.**
- ✓ **Flinging your clutter into a skip and then watching it get taken away is an empowering experience not to be underestimated.**



However, skip hire is not always appropriate. There are certain points you need to consider before going down this route.

### **Points to Consider Before You Hire a Skip:**

- 1 You must be prepared to blitz the clutter as the hire period is limited.**
- 2 Make sure you hire the correct size - if in doubt the skip hire company will advise you**
- 3 Is all your clutter actually rubbish? It may be possible to sell or donate to charity instead**
- 4 Make sure the company that supplies the skip is fully licenced to carry waste. If your waste is dumped illegally you could face an expensive fine.**



The skip featured here is supplied by Skipy Skip Hire who operate in the Daventry area.

Should you wish to contact them, check out their website,

[www.skipy.co.uk](http://www.skipy.co.uk)

Or call them on 01327 704507 / 842182

Speak direct to a driver on 07836 657792 / 07748 367001

Just to conclude, if you've got anything like this:



- a skip could be just the thing to get you started. I have clients who have hired a skip as part of the de-cluttering process and it certainly helped motivate them to tackle the job and gave them a real sense of satisfaction.

Well, hopefully that's given you some food for thought - until next time,

*Best regards,  
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