



We always encourage our members to take a greener path when planning and producing events, and with the market now filled with amazing ideas and more sustainable options, it couldn't be easier to adjust your mindset from disposable to reusable or recyclable.

Here's our 5 top tips on how to host a party that all ages will enjoy.

- **Reduce party waste** by dispensing with plastic plates, cutlery and cups. Instead, use real crockery, cutlery and cups as these are easy to clean and reuse.
- **Always dispose of your balloons properly.** Each balloon should be popped with a pin and placed in the bin or better still recycled. Contact your local NABAS member to see if they are part of our recycling scheme with Terracycle.

- If you want to give your guests traditional paper invites, opt for ones made from recycled paper. You can also buy seeded paper invites which, when planted, grow into stunning wildflowers.
- If you want to decorate your tables with something colourful, **confetti made from tissue paper** is a lovely option.
- **When it comes to party bags**, why not opt for paper bags that can easily be recycled, or reusable tote bags personalised with each of your guests's names.

