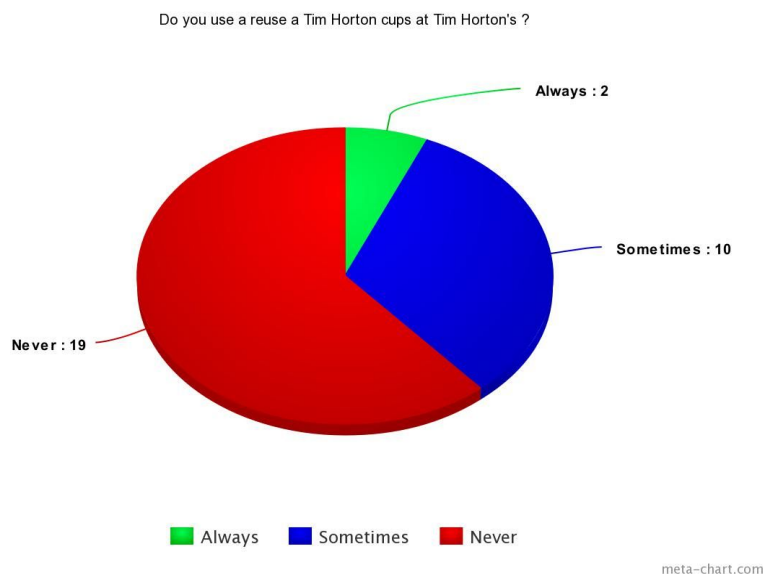


Roll up the rim to see the darkside of coffee cups



Coffee Cups ARE EVERYWHERE! On roads, floating in creeks and in cities. Coffee cups are affecting the environment heavily. You can see it everywhere you walk.

When walking you would usually see used Tim Horton's coffee cups laying on the floor or sitting in an aisle in stores. So Jay decided to do a survey asking people at Tim Horton that if they reused their Tim Hortons paper cup.(Do you reuse a Tim Hortons paper cup at Tim Hortons?). The answers from people were horrible! 19 said that they never reuse their plastic cup! 2 answered always which is just very sad. 10 answered sometimes which is good.

This is the final example of the pie chart showing the data that we collected from the survey. This pie chart very important because it shows the number of people who care about plastic pollution in our community. The data was collected at two local Tim Horton's by surveying 40 people."

Plastic consumption in our community is very common. When going somewhere you would see more fast food restaurant plastic and waste. This shows that it's not really plastic bags that cause most of the pollution because when walking around you usually see more fast food restaurants waste more than plastic bags laying on the ground. Plastic patches are made from fast food restaurants.

One really famous part that is full of plastic, It is the plastic patch. There are many plastic patches but the biggest is the Great Plastic Patch, which is now bigger than Texas and Ontario combined!. If the fast food restaurants cause a lot of the plastic pollution, the plastic patch is probably filled with Tim Hortons and other fast food restaurants. This is usually caused by floods and rains because the rains takes it to the sewers and the sewers take it to the nearest lake or river and then they carry it to the ocean which then creates gigantic plastic patches. People usually think that when they throw plastic outside its good even though its a law violation. When they think that it's good, that's bad, like that is a very bad mindset for adults and kids.



down to the river.

Reaction in the food chain

When the Tim Hortons plastic waste into the sea, it breaks down into tiny toxic bits and is digested by fish. Then pelicans will eat those fish and all the toxic bits of plastic will poison the pelicans. Then the toxic plastic will then release from the dead body of the pelicans and end up killing other animals.

Things we need to control and avoid

How much plastic we should use because if we use too much plastic it will take longer to degrade them because it takes at least a 1000 years to degrade a single piece of plastic

Throwing plastic on the sidewalks because if there is even the slightest rain the garbage could get washed

We need to enforce the rule that people shouldn't be lazy enough to throw garbage on the floor and, people should not waste a lot of plastic and, we can start by doing what Sweden did to help the environment by picking up garbage while jogging (also called plogging) and we can give out flyers to people so they know what to do. Talk to your friends and family and they will spread the word to their friends and some on. Go digital, don't use because you can use Spotify and other music apps.

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