



Much Wenlock Cemetery

FEES

Monuments, gravestones, tablets and monumental inscriptions

For the right to erect or place on a grave in respect of which the exclusive right of burial has been granted (subject to approval regarding design, colour and material).

SECTION A, B, C, D

FLAT STONE

Not exceeding 6' height x 3' width

£120

FLAT STONE

Exceeding 6' x 3'

£175

HEADSTONE

Not exceeding 4' in height

£120

FOOTSTONE

Not exceeding 18" in height

£100

KERBSTONE OR BORDER STONE

Enclosing a space not exceeding 6' x 3'

£120

KERBSTONE OR BORDER STONE

Enclosing a space between 6' x 3' and 6' x 6'

£230

VASE

Not exceeding 12" in height

£40

TABLET

Not exceeding 18" x 18" on any grave

£75

TABLET

Not exceeding 18" x 18" in the chapel (not currently available)

£350

ANY OTHER MONUMENT

Not exceeding 4" in height and occupying a space not exceeding 6" x 3" for each additional 3' or part thereof in width an additional

£300

REPLACEMENT MEMORIAL

No charge

All above fees are for the first inscription only.

ADDITIONAL INSCRIPTIONS

£38.50 each

SECTION E

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For the right to erect or place on a grave in respect of which the exclusive right of burial has been granted (subject to approval regarding design, colour and material)

HEADSTONE

Full size plot with headstone not exceeding 30" high x 24" wide x 4" deep with rectangular or oval fronted base 30" x 12" x 4" incorporating a flower container or containers in base

£100

The above fees are for the first inscription. The cost for each additional inscription will be £38.50.

NO KERBSTONES ARE ALLOWED IN THIS SECTION

The erection of headstones, installation of separate vases, all inscriptions, materials and colours must have signed approval from the Town Clerk.

The Town Council reserves the right to remove any unapproved memorial and re-charge the cost.

A NAMM approved ground anchor must be fitted to all memorials on all plots.

Whilst all memorials are owned by the family of the deceased the Town Council is not responsible for their safety and security.

The Town Council reserves the right to remove any hazardous headstones.

SECTION F

(CREMATED REMAINS)

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HEADSTONE

Plot containing cremated remains with a headstone not exceeding 19" high x 15" wide x 3" deep with a rectangular or oval fronted base 16" x 12" x 3" incorporating a flower container

£75

NO KERBSTONES ARE ALLOWED IN THIS SECTION

MISCELLANEOUS FEES

For searches of register books and copies of extracts therefrom for a period not exceeding one year

£30

For searches of register books and copies of extracts therefrom for each additional year

£20

Each certified copy of an entry of burial in the Register books

£20

MAINTENANCE OF GRAVE SPACES

Laying prepared soil on a single grave

£100

re-turfing of grave

£200

Twice yearly planting of seasonal plants, periodic grass cutting and tidying of a single grave space

£200 per annum

Cutting grass and tidying of single grave space

£200 per annum

maintenance of grave spaces for 100 years is negotiable.

PLEASE NOTE:

Interments on Saturdays must be between 9 am and 2 pm

In pursuance of the Local Authorities Cemeteries Order 1977 the following applies:

18. (1) No person shall:

- (a) Willfully create any disturbance in a cemetery;
- (b) Commit any nuisance in a cemetery;
- (c) Willfully interfere with any burial taking place in a cemetery;
- (d) Willfully interfere with any grave or vault, any tombstone or other memorial, or any flowers or plants on any such matter, or
- (e) Play at any game or sport in a cemetery.

(2) No person not being an Officer or Servant of the Burial Authority or another person so authorised by or on behalf of the Burial Authority shall enter or remain in a cemetery at any hour when it is closed to the public.

19. Every person who commits an unlawful act shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £100 and in the case of a continuing offence to a fine not exceeding £10 for each day, which the offence continues after conviction thereof.

The above fees were considered and approved by the Finance & Resources Committee on 21 February 2017 [minute no. 10].