

# **Much Wenlock Town Council**

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## **APPLICATION TO PURCHASE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL**

#### **Plot Purchase Information**

All ground in the cemetery is consecrated and you may only purchase plots in certain parts. You should decide what type of interment it will be (full burial in a coffin or cremated remains casket). When purchasing a plot at Much Wenlock Cemetery you are buying the Exclusive Right of Burial for a period of 100 years. The Town Council issues a Deed of Grant when the plot is first purchased. The Council's records contain details of all registered grave owners, but it is important that each grave owner keeps their Deed of Grant document in a safe place, as it is proof of ownership. Possession of the Deed does not in itself signify ownership of the Exclusive Right of Burial.

### **Extending Ownership**

The Exclusive Right of Burial may be renewed for a further term towards the end of the lease, but the further term must not exceed 99 years.

To purchase the Exclusive Right of Burial, please complete the form below and post or email it to the Town Council address, provided above.

I wish to purchase the Exclusive Right of Burial for a burial plot at Much Wenlock Cemetery for a period not exceeding 100 years.		
Full name:		
Address:		
Telephone number and email address:		
Full burial plot or cremated remains plot:		
Exclusive Right of Burial Fee:	£	
Payment may be made by cheque made payable to Much Wenlock Town Council or by bank transfer to the following account:  Account Name: Much Wenlock Town Council, Account Number: 20321727, Sort Code: 60-83-01		
Signature:		
Date:		

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Grave number:	Date of purchase:
Lease End Date:	Date of approval:
Deed of Grant Number:	Receipt Number:
Approved by (Name):	Signature:

## **Transferring Ownership**

A Plot owner/s may apply to transfer grave ownership, if their circumstances change. Please contact the Council Offices in the first instance to enquire about this process.

### **Memorials**

Before installations of monuments, gravestones, tablets and inscriptions the plot owner must complete a Memorial Application Form and produce their Deed of Grant along with any requested identification.