



# BLANDFORD FORUM TOWN COUNCIL

## BLANDFORD FORUM CEMETERY FEES AND CHARGES 1<sup>st</sup> APRIL 2019 – 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2020

	RESIDENT OF BLANDFORD FORUM <sup>1</sup>	NON RESIDENT OF BLANDFORD FORUM
<b>INTERMENTS</b>		
Still born child or up to 28 days	No Charge	No Charge
Child up to 16 years (burial or cremated remains)	£97.00	£194.00
Adult (burial or cremated remains)	£120.00	£240.00
Scattering of ashes on an existing grave space	£42.00	£84.00
<b>PURCHASED GRAVES IN ROTATION<sup>2</sup></b>		
A single grave (Adult or Child)	£220.00	£440.00
Double depth grave (must be purchased before the first interment)	£353.00	£706.00
Exclusive right of burial of cremated remains in an earthen grave (half grave space)	£146.00	£292.00
<b>PURCHASED GRAVES ON A SELECTED SITE (not available in the top field)</b>		
A single grave (Adult or Child)	£422.00	£844.00
Double depth grave (must be purchased before the first interment)	£700.00	£1400.00
Exclusive right of burial of cremated remains in an earthen grave (half grave space)	£283.00	£566.00
<b>MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS</b>		
Transfer of Exclusive Rights of Burial	£29.00 + VAT	
Use of Cemetery Chapel <sup>6</sup>	£64.00 + VAT	
Excavate and prepare an ashes grave	£28.00 + VAT	
Prepare turf for under turf scattering of ashes	£20.00 + VAT	
Overtime for Saturday interments <sup>3</sup>	£31.00 + VAT	
Search of burial records <sup>4</sup>	£20.00 + VAT	
Administration Charges	£28.00 +VAT	

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<b>MONUMENTS<sup>5</sup></b>		
<b>TOP FIELD</b>		
Headstone (with first inscription) including flush stone base (not to exceed half a grave space)	£155.00	£310.00
Second inscription on existing headstone	£31.00	£62.00
Memorial Book	£109.00	£218.00
Memorial Seat Plaques (5 year lease)	£160.00	£320.00
Memorial rose bush plaque (5 year lease)	£160.00	£320.00
<b>OLD CEMETERY</b>		
Headstone (with first inscription) including flush stone base (not to exceed half a grave space)	£155.00	£310.00
Second inscription on existing headstone	£31.00	£62.00
Memorial Book	£109.00	£218.00
Flat Stone (flush to the ground)	£60.00	£120.00
Kerbing	£154.00	£308.00
Fixed vase or memorial tablet with flush stone base (per item)	£75.00	£150.00
<b>MEMORIAL PLAQUES</b>		
Memorial Plaques <sup>7</sup> (Rose bush and Memorial garden)	£160.00	£160.00

<sup>1</sup> Must have been a resident in Blandford Forum within the last five years or is a resident at the date of purchase (with the exception of children under five years of age).

<sup>2</sup> In view of the reduced land availability, the exclusive rights of burial for a purchased grave space will expire on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2104. This will mean that the 99 year right will gradually reduce to 50 years and is currently at 85 years.

<sup>3</sup> Saturday interments will be permitted in special circumstances only and permission must be sought from the Town Clerk.

<sup>4</sup> This is a minimum charge. The Town Clerk will agree a charge for a detailed search.

<sup>5</sup> For the right to erect or place (monuments may only be erected on purchased graves). All monuments must be approved by the Town Clerk.

<sup>6</sup> Proof of hirers Public Liability Insurance if £1,000,000 is required. Otherwise the Town Council will arrange liability cover at a cost of 11% of the hire charge plus VAT.

<sup>7</sup> Offered on a five year lease.

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