

TEDBURN ST MARY PARISH COUNCIL **CEMETERY CHARGES & RULES 2025 - 2026**

As approved by the above Council; item 11 at their meeting on 3rd February 2025.

The Rules and Fees stated below come into force on the 3rd February 2025 in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1972 and are reviewed annually.

QUALIFICATION

The person to be interred, or in respect of whom the exclusive right is granted, must be, or have been an inhabitant of the civil Parish of Tedburn St Mary or have close associations with the parish.

FEES

- The Fees are separated into three sections dealing with the plots (burial and cremated remains), interments and the memorials
- All charges contribute towards the ongoing cost of administration and maintenance of the cemetery.
- Charges will be applied in all cases, booked in advance or not.
- Interment charges apply when the deceased is 18 years and over.

GRAVES

For the exclusive right of burial in an earthen grave 9' x 4' in perpetuity **SINGLE** depth. **£440.00**

For the exclusive right of burial in an earthen grave 9' x 4' in perpetuity **DOUBLE** depth. **£630.00**

CREMATED REMAINS AREA

For the exclusive right of burial in an area not to exceed 15" x 15" **SINGLE** depth **£200.00**

For the exclusive right of burial in an area not to exceed 15" x 15" **DOUBLE** depth **£255.00**

Please note that when Exclusive Right of Burial/Cremated Remains is purchased, in advance or at the time of interment, the Parish Council reserves the right to allocate the plot number.

INTERMENT CHARGES

For Interments in a Grave **£250.00**

For Interments in a Cremated Remains Plot in an area not to exceed 15" x 15" **£115.00**

MONUMENTS - gravestones, tablets and inscriptions

Please note that the kerbstones, trees, shrubs, plants or any obstruction that might prevent the maintenance of the cemetery are not permitted in or around any grave or cremated remains plot.

For the right to erect or place on a grave a headstone not to exceed 4' in height, 12" in depth, 2'6" wide with a foundation base of 3'. One vase may also be placed. **£280.00**

A horizontal tablet, not to exceed 18" x 18" on any grave **£90.00**

For the right to place on a cremated remains plot a flat slab not to exceed 14" x 14" x 2" **£85.00**

Cremation Tablets must be bedded into the ground level with the surrounding soil.

Additional inscriptions on any memorial **£70.00**

If a search of register books is requested there will be a charge of £45.00 and a charge of £10.00 for a certified copy of entry of burial in the register