

SHIRLAND AND HIGHAM PARISH COUNCIL

SHIRLAND CEMETERY

SCALE OF CEMETERY FEES AND CHARGES FROM JANUARY 1ST 2024

Exclusive Right of Burial and Interment Charges

1. Purchase of Exclusive Right of Burial (including first interment)	£550.00
2. Interment of a stillborn child or child under the age of 7 years	No charge
3. Interment of a child of 7 years but under 16 years of age	£250.00
4. Interment of a person whose age at death exceeds 16 years of age	£500.00
5. Interment in a bricked grave	£200.00
6. Where depth exceeds 8 feet, for each additional foot or part thereof	£100.00
7. Cremated remains Exclusive Right (including first interment)	£250.00
8. Subsequent cremated remains interment	£200.00

Notes

1. Term of Exclusive Right deed is 50 years
2. Except in the case of an emergency certified by a Coroner or by a Medical Practitioner the above charges will be **doubled** in respect of:
 - (a) Any interment not within the prescribed hours of **9.00am to 4.00pm Monday to Thursday and 9.00am to 3.00pm on Friday.**
 - (b) Any interment on **Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday and Bank Holidays.**
 - (c) **The interment of any person not resident in the Parish of Shirland and Higham at the time of death.**
3. Burial service fees are paid direct to the Vicar.
4. **Current grave digging fees are £499 per new single grave, £499 for a new double grave (dependent on ground conditions are okay), £499 for a re-open and £139 for an ashes plot but due to coffin size, lining requirements etc. may be higher. Grave digging fees should be paid to the Parish Council who will then reimburse the grave digger.**

Fees for Memorials and Inscriptions

1. Erection of a headstone not exceeding 3ft (900mm) high by 2ft (600mm) wide by 4 inches (100mm) thick	£99.00
2. Vase block with an inscription and not exceeding 12 inches Square (300mm)	£55.00
3. For each additional inscription	£35.00
4. Cremated remains memorial plaque not exceeding 16 inches By 16 inches by 2 inches thick (400mm x 400mm x 50mm)	£50.00

Notes

1. Headstones are to be erected using the NAMM approved fixing system.
2. Kerbstones are not permitted.
3. Only memorials of the above-mentioned types and flowers are permitted. Toys etc. are not allowed.

Other Charges

1. Searching Register of Burials and certified copy of entry	£40.00
2. Copy of grave grant certificate	£20.00
3. Exhumation fee (excluding cost of exhumation)	£500.00