

# Hamble-le-Rice Parish Council

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# A meeting of the Burial Ground Committee will be held on Wednesday 20th September 2017 10.00am at Memorial Hall, High Street, Hamble-le-Rice

### **AGENDA**

- 1 a. Apologies for absence
  - b. Declaration of interest and approved dispensations
- 2 Public Session
- 3 Review of charges and fees
- 4 Review the Guidelines and Rules
- 5 Agree process to ensure ongoing adherence to rules
- Agree scope and remit of a task and finish group to review the current layout of the burial ground, in particular the area for internment of ashes

Clerk to the Parish Council

Date 15.09.2017



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# TABLE OF INTERMENT FEES WITH EFFECT FROM 1 APRIL 2017

### 1. EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL

Exclusive right of burial for a period not exceeding 75 years:

Child not exceeding 12 years	£125
Body of person over 12 years	£225

Please note: No headstone/memorial may be placed on a grave without Exclusive Right of Burial

2. INTERMENT FEES			Total including Exc. Right of Burial
Burial:	The body of a still-born child	FREE	£125
	The body of a child up to three years of age	FREE	£125
	The body of a child three to twelve years	FREE	£125
	The body of a person over twelve years	£150	£375
Cremated Remains:	All cremations	£125	not applicable

### 3. FEES FOR MONUMENTS, TABLETS, INSCRIPTIONS etc for a period not exceeding 75 years:-

Headstone	£100.00
Tablet (all sizes)	£100.00
Small wooden cross	£25.00
Small vase	£25.00
Additional inscription	£25.00

### 4. MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES

For the right to scatter ashes	FREE
Exhumation	AT COST

- Please note that no monument can be erected unless exclusive right of burial has been purchased
- No monuments shall be erected without prior permission of the Clerk to the Council
- The Funeral Director is responsible for arranging for the grave digger. All soil must be removed from the Cemetery. Any soil left behind will incur a £50.00 'Fly tipping' fee.
- Where no Funeral Director is used, the applicant is responsible for arranging for the grave digger. All soil must be removed from the Cemetery. Any soil left behind will incur a £50.00 'Fly tipping' fee.
- Double-depth graves (& triple-depth) are permitted, but no plots may be purchased in advance.
- Non-parishioners may no longer be interred in St Andrew's Cemetery (if former parishioner please give details to the Clerk if in exceptional circumstances permission granted double fee rate applies)

# **Burial Fees Comparison 2017**

All fees relate to period ending 31st March 2017

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	Hamble	Hound	ind	Curdridge	Bishopstoke	toke	Hedge End	End )	Fair Oak
Interments:		Parishioners	Non				Parishioners	Non	
Still born child	No Charge	No Charge	No Charge	No Charge	No charge	Φ	No charge	No charge	No Charge
Child up to 3 years of	No	No Charge	No		No charge	Ф	No charge	No	No charge
Child 3 – 12 years of age	No			£110.00	No charge	Φ	No charge	No charge	No charge
Persons over 12 years	£125	£152.50	£458	£200.00	£300 single depth £350 double depth	gle ble	£595	£915	£189
All Cremations	£125	293	£201	£150.00	£150		£180.00	£385	£127
Exclusive Right of Burial for 75 years					30 years	60 years			30 years
Child under 12 years of	£125	£158	£4750	£50.00	£375	£750	£90.00		£186
Person over 12 years of age	£225	£198.00	£594.00	£250.00	£375	£750	£195		£373
Cremation Plot		£132	£395.00	£110.00	£275	£220	£105		£246
Monuments, Tablets inscriptions:									
Headstone	£100	263	263	£100.00	£175				£127
Tablet	£100				£125				
Small Wooden Cross	£25								
Small Vase	£25			£50.00	£125				763
Additional Inscription	£25			Free	Free				

Please bear in mind during your considerations that these are the current charges and will be reviewed by all Parish Council's as part of their own budgeting exercise.

The main area of discrepancy to note is exclusive right of burial for ashes plots, currently Hamble do not charge, and it is recommended a charge is implemented.

Fees for replacement headstones or tablets - are not included on our fee table at present however please consider if the fee should be the same as original headstone/tablets?



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# **GUIDELINES & RULES FOR ST ANDREW'S CEMETERY, HAMBLE-LE-RICE**

There must be no kerbs, no railings, no bird baths and no chippings or ceramic photographs.

The headstone/monument must be made from a natural material.

A cremation tablet/plaque must not exceed 1 foot 10 inches (559mm) square and must not be made of any synthetic material. In the ashes area, small headstones are permitted but must not exceed 1 foot 6 inches (457mm) in height.

No advertisement or trade mark shall be inscribed on a gravestone. The mason's name may be inscribed at the side or reverse of the gravestone in unpainted and unleaded letters no larger than half an inch in height.

# WREATHS, PLANTS AND FLOWERS

Low level plants only are permitted on the grave on the understanding that the family or friends are responsible for their upkeep and the regular mowing of the cemetery is not affected. If such plants are not attended, those responsible for maintenance of the cemetery may return the plot to grass to permit mowing.

Roses can be planted in the memorial garden bed, anyone wishing to do this should contact the Clerk to the Council.

Wreaths and flowers may be laid directly on any grave. No artificial flowers are permitted, except Remembrance Day poppies and traditional Christmas wreaths, which must be removed after a period of no more than two months. Persons responsible for the day to day upkeep and maintenance of the cemetery may remove them when they appear to be withered and may also remove flowers, vases or wreaths not complying with these regulations

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