

PUTTENHAM PARISH COUNCIL

PUTTENHAM CEMETERY

The cemetery is maintained primarily for the burial and internment of deceased residents of the parochial parish of Puttenham. Available space is limited and so it is only possible to accept a few burials of those who live outside the village and provided that the families claim close association with Puttenham. The cemetery is closed to all those who cannot claim any association.

Charges from 1st September 2015 are listed below. These charges are subject to review every year.

	Parishioner	Non Parishioner
1. EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL IN AN EARTHEN GRAVE INCLUDING THE PLOT:-		
a. of a body of child whose age at the time of death does not exceed 12 years	£155	£590
b. of the body of a person whose age at the time of death exceeds 12 years	£360	£1020
2. EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL IN AN EARTHEN GRAVE RESERVED IN ADVANCE:-		
a. of a body of child whose age at the time of death does not exceed 12 years	£130	£590
b. of the body of a person whose age at the time of death exceeds 12 years	£310	£1020
3. CREMATED REMAINS:-		
a. Into an existing family grave or other existing plot	£80	£310
b. Into a new exclusive plot or earthen grave	£155	£490
c. Internment of cremated remains into an already reserved plot	£80	£310

There is no requirement for there to be a memorial but if the family wishes to place one it must measure 30cm x 30cm and be entirely sunk 3cm below the surface of the grass

4. RESERVING AN EXCLUSIVE PLOT:-

Applicants wishing to reserve a plot for future use will be charged as follows
(and then at the rate for burial prevailing at the time of commitment will be charged)

a. An earthen grave for burial	£590	£1540
b. An earthen grave for cremated remains	£155	£515

5. MONUMENTS:-

For the right to erect or place on a grave in respect of which the exclusive right of burial has been granted:-

a. A flat stone not exceeding 260cm x 106cm	£105
b. A headstone not exceeding 46cm in height	£135
c. A headstone exceeding 46cm in height	£155
d. A tablet	£80

e. The fees include the first inscription only and for each subsequent inscription a fee of £35 will be charged.

6. BURIAL ARRANGEMENTS:-

An application for burial, or for design approval for placing a memorial must be lodged together with the appropriate fee with the Parish Clerk, who will reply following approval from the Parish Council that it is acceptable.

Please note that Puttenham Parish Council expects to raise all above fees every year in line with the retail price index. In case of genuine financial hardship the Parish Council reserves the right to agree a lower fee or waive it entirely for residents of Puttenham only.

7. THE BURIAL AUTHORITY IS NOT ABLE TO PROVIDE A GRAVE DIGGING SERVICE.

Signed.....John Green
(Chairman)

Signed..... Wendy Hazzard
(Clerk)

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