

ASHOVER PARISH COUNCIL - TABLE OF CEMETERY CHARGES

Fixed and settled under Statutory Instrument 204/1977 Section 15 by the Parish Council for Ashover acting as the Burial Authority for the Parish of Ashover. A summary of the relevant Burial Authority Regulations can be obtained from the Burial Clerk for the Parish of Ashover

- The fees below only apply to interments between the hours of 10.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. Monday to Saturday unless a coroner or registered medical practitioner issues a certificate for an immediate interment. In all other cases a 50% increase in fees is payable.
- The fees do not include the digging of the grave, erection of gravestones, fixing of plaques or laying of cremation slabs unless otherwise stated on the grave deeds.
- Only contractors approved by the Burial Board and instructed by the appointed Undertaker will be allowed to carry out this work.
- Transferring of Grave Rights – Refer to Information Leaflet available at www.ashover-pc.gov.uk.

Part 1 - Purchase of Grave

1. For the exclusive right for a nominated person and the exclusive right of interment in an earthen grave 244cms (8ft) x 122cms (4ft) for a period of 75 years suitable for up to 3 interments in the same plot, a single payment of :-
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| (a) for anyone who at the time of death was a rate payer to and living in the Parish of Ashover | £305.00 |
| (b) for any other person whatsoever | £2000.00 |
- N.B. - Those wishing to purchase a grave space at the parishioner rate will require proof of residency within the Parish. All other reservations will be charged at the non-parishioner rate.

Part 2 - Interments and the Right to Erect a Headstone

In addition to Part 1 Purchase of Grave

1. For the first interment and the right to erect a headstone not exceeding one metre (3ft 3ins) in height & 76cms (2ft 6ins) in width:-
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| (a) for anyone who at the time of death was a rate payer to and living in the Parish of Ashover | £190.00 |
| (b) for any other person whatsoever | £800.00 |
- N.B. - Where a headstone is not erected, a commemorative slab 600cms x 600cms (2ft by 2ft) **MUST** be placed on a grave within 6 months of the first interment.
2. For subsequent interments and the right to append an additional inscription to an existing monument:-
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| (a) for anyone who at the time of death was a rate payer to and living in the Parish of Ashover | £95.00 |
| (b) for any other person who so ever | £350.00 |

Part 3 - Garden of Rest

1. For up to two interments of Ashes in the memorial Garden in one earthen grave 600cms x 600cms (2ft x 2ft) for a period of 75 years and for the right to place an inscribed vase not exceeding 20cms (8ins) square by 30cms (12 ins) high, a commemorative slab 600cms x 600cms (2ft by 2ft) on a cremation plot a single payment of :-
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| (a) for anyone who at the time of death was a rate payer to and living in the Parish of Ashover | £160.00 |
| (b) for any other person whatsoever | £600.00 |

Part 4 - Headstones, Slabs, Vases and Plaques

To be applied to an existing grave where no monument exists and prior to all inclusive fees having been charged(01.08.1996)

1. Erection of headstone not exceeding one metre (3ft 3ins) in height & 76cms (2ft 6ins) in width above ground:-
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| (a) for anyone who at the time of death was a rate payer to and living in the Parish of Ashover | £100.00 |
| (b) for any other person who so ever | £100.00 |
2. For the right to place an inscribed vase not exceeding 20cms (8ins) square by 30cms (12 ins) high, a commemorative slab 60cms x 60cms (2ft by 2ft) on a cremation plot or a plaque on the Commemorative Bank.
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| (a) for anyone who at the time of death was a rate payer to and living in the Parish of Ashover | £100.00 |
| (b) for any other person whatsoever | £100.00 |

NB: No kerbstone sets or fencing of any type around the perimeter of the grave space is permitted.

Part 5 - Search Fees

For each and every request for a search to be made of the Burial Registers (other than by an appointed Funeral Director or Monumental Stonemason) a fee of £20.00 is payable in advance. (Section 8 of the Burial Act 1853 applies)

Part 6 - Removal and Replacement of Headstones

Any headstones which is removed to allow for subsequent interments, additional inscriptions or replacement of the memorial must be replaced within six months from the date of removal. Failure to do so will result in fresh approval being required and further fees being payable.

***It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that Grave Rights are authorised.
Please ensure that the Privacy Notice has been read and Consent Form signed by the applicant and next of kin.***
All enquiries or queries regarding any of the above charges should be addressed to The Clerk to the Burial Board, Ashover Parish Council, The Sports Pavilion, Milken Lane, Ashover, Chesterfield S45 0BA