

Headon Lea Burial Ground

Alum Bay New Road, Totland Bay, Isle of Wight

Rules and Regulations of the Cemetery

Headon Lea Burial Ground welcomes people of all denominations or beliefs and offers a natural form of burial where the graves will remain in a natural, meadow setting. Various shrubs and small trees will be planted from time to time bringing environmental benefits and encouraging wildlife.

- Each grave will be numbered on the burial plan, and a bronze marker plaque or flat grey granite tablet (not exceeding 15” square) may placed on the grave after the burial, **both to be ordered through R & P Everson.**
- For Memorial Benches **please enquire of the Burial Authority.**
- Any memorial so placed will be entirely at the family’s risk, with **no liability** for the burial authority to replace.
- **No other monuments, memorials, flower vases, glass jars, kerbs, toys or decorations including but not limited to photographs or artificial grass shall be placed on the grave site or in the Burial Ground.**
- Planting bulbs and wild flowers (eg: Poppies, Cornflowers, Cowslips, Primroses etc) is encouraged to create a delicate floral setting.
- Large trees are discouraged due to the ground conditions being unsuitable.
- Any tree, shrub or plant remains the family’s responsibility.
- **The Burial Authority reserves the right to remove anything which it deems unsuitable for the nature of the natural burial ground.**
- Floral tributes placed at the time of burial **should be removed** after two weeks, or sooner if deemed appropriate by the burial authority.
- **No** scattering of Ashes over the Burial Ground is permitted.
- **Please** take any litter home with you.
- **No** skateboards, roller blades, bicycles or unauthorised motorised vehicles to enter the burial site.
- Cars are to be parked sensibly in the car parking area, and at owner’s risk. **The Burial Authority is unable to accept responsibility for cars and their contents.**
- Dogs **must** be kept on a lead and any mess **must** be removed by their owners.
- Any person who wilfully damages or destroys any fence, hedge, memorial, tree or plant within the area of the Burial Ground will be liable to prosecution.

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These conditions are regularly reviewed and updated. Clients agree to abide by current and future rules and regulations.