

At _____ Cemetery

Area/Section: _____ Row: _____ Plot: _____

The above plot is located in the non-decorated area of the cemetery and maintained as a lawn cemetery; therefore the following rules apply:

1. Wreaths, flowers and adornments may be left on top of the grave for up to 28 days following an interment.
2. After this time all adornments must be relocated to the concrete berm or removed. Any items that do not fit on the concrete berm or are inhibiting maintenance of the area will be removed and discarded. The burial mound will then be levelled and prepared for resowing.
3. No above ground memorials of any kind, including railing, fencing, tiles or stones can be constructed on or placed around the plot as they create issues for the lawn maintenance. These will be removed.
4. All flowers and adornments must be confined to approved receptacles, and kept to the concrete beam without encroaching onto the lawn area (after the 28 days) or neighbouring plots.
5. Breakable items are not permitted as adornments, including jars, vases or receptacles used as flower containers.
6. The Council may remove unapproved receptacles, ornaments or memorabilia from graves at any time to facilitate the operation of the cemetery.
7. All memorials, headstones and plaques must have an approved permit and be installed by a Monumental Mason who is registered with the Auckland Council. Once the headstone has been installed all wooden crosses and grave markers are to be removed.
8. Memorials and the associated plot must be kept in good repair by the holder of the Exclusive Right of Burial or their assignee.
9. The Council may remove any unauthorised memorials from the cemetery.
10. Your unveiling day, date and time must be booked with the cemetery administration office to ensure there is no conflict with burial services.
11. Notify the cemetery office if any of your contact details change.

Please advise family and friends of the adornment requirements so they are aware of the 28 day period and have the opportunity to remove adornments. This will help our staff maintain the cemetery so it can be safely enjoyed by everyone.

Bylaws:

This document must be read with the Cemeteries and Crematoria Bylaws.

Agreement:

This document must be signed at time of purchase/prior to burial and in conjunction with the Burial Rights Holder Agreement and Headstone Guidelines.

Full name of applicant: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

