

# **Rules and Regulations**

made by the

**Parish Council of Goxhill  
in the County of North Lincolnshire**

acting as the

**Burial Authority  
for the Parish of Goxhill**

with a

**Table of Fees and Payments**

relating to

**The Cemetery  
Horsegate Field Road, Goxhill**

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**Rules and Regulations**  
**Goxhill Cemetery, Horsegatefield Road, Goxhill, North Lincolnshire**

1. Notice of Interment is to be given to the Clerk of the Parish Council at least two days prior to any interment. This notice to be given on the official form provided by the Council. No application will be received on Sundays.
2. All fees and charges due to the Council are to be paid to the Clerk on or before the day of interment.
3. No burial can take place before 10.00am or after sunset, without special permission.
4. The selection of the grave space is to be subject to the approval of the Council, but the wishes of the applicants will be met as far as is practicable.
5. Earthen graves must not be less than 4½ feet in depth. Only one burial per grave space is permitted.
6. Earthen graves will be of traditional lawn style. No new kerbed graves will be permitted with effect from the date of these regulations.
7. All memorials, vases, tablets, plaques, inscriptions and plantings are subject to the approval of the Parish Council and a drawing showing the form, dimension and inscription on any such memorial must be left with the Clerk to the Council at least one month for approval.
8. All memorials, vases, tablets, plaques, inscriptions and plantings are to have Parish Council approval. Any item sited without prior approval may be resited. A charge will be made.
9. Any person found wilfully damaging any part of the cemetery is liable to prosecution.
10. Children under the age of 14 will not be admitted unless accompanied by an adult.
11. All visitors are requested to behave in a right and proper manner and where possible to keep to the paths and roadways.
12. No dogs are allowed to enter the cemetery.
13. The cemetery will be open to the public from 9.00am to sunset.
14. There will be no scattering of ashes in the cemetery. Cremated remains will be interred.
15. The Parish Council is not liable for damage to any memorial.

## **Table of Fees, Payments and Sums, fixed and settled under the Local Authorities Cemeteries Order 1974**

At a meeting of the Parish Council of Goxhill held 6<sup>th</sup> day of December 2018, the foregoing fees, payments and sums payable under the Local Authorities Cemeteries Act 1974, are hereby fixed and settled by the said Parish Council

The fees, payments and sums set out apply where the person to be interred or in respect of whom the right is granted is an inhabitant or parishioner of the Parish of Goxhill or, in the case of a still born child, where the parents (or one of them) are inhabitant or parishioners.

In all other cases the fees, the charge will be the same as the unitary authority for the area in which the person/applicant resides. This rule will be waived only where the applicant has moved from the Parish of Goxhill into a Nursing/Care Home elsewhere.

**PART 1 - EXCLUSIVE RIGHTS OF BURIAL** No interment may take place without first obtaining the Exclusive Rights of Burial. These may be pre-purchased, or obtained prior to interment.

All rights for burial are valid for 50 years however this can be extended by contacting the burial authority

(i)	For the exclusive right of burial for a resident of Goxhill	£540
(ii)	For the exclusive right of burial for a non-resident of Goxhill	£997
(iii)	For the exclusive right of burial of cremated remains for a resident of Goxhill	£252
(iv)	For the exclusive right of burial of cremated remains for a non-resident Of Goxhill	£578

**PART 2 – INTERMENTS** where the Exclusive Rights of Burial have previously been purchased. These fees do not include the digging of the grave.

i)	For the interment of the body of a still born child, or of a child whose age at the time of death did not exceed sixteen years.....	No Fee
ii)	For the interment of a person whose age at the time of death exceeded Eighteen years.....	No Fee
iii)	For the interment of cremation remains.....	No Fee

**PART 3 - MEMORIALS, VASES, TABLETS, PLAQUES AND INSCRIPTIONS,**  
 for the right to erect or placed on a grave in respect of which an Exclusive Right of Burial has been granted:

**For the cemetery area: (maximum memorial height – 3 feet or metric equivalent)**

- (i) a memorial not exceeding 3 feet (or metric equivalent) in height..... £120  
 For memorials exceeding the single plot width, a double plot must be purchased.  
 For each additional inscription the fee will be..... £108
- (ii) For a memorial between 4 inches and 8 inches in height..... £60  
 For each additional inscription the fee will be..... £48
- (iii) A vase not exceeding 4 inches in height and 6” diameter – to be placed at the headstone end only..... No fee

**For the Gardens of Remembrance: (maximum memorial height 4 inches or metric equivalent)**

- (i) a tablet or plaque in the Garden of Remembrance not exceeding 4“ height, 18” length x 12” width (or metric equivalent)..... £60  
 For tablets exceeding 12 “width, a double plot must be purchased.  
 For each additional inscription the fee will be..... £36
- (ii) A vase not exceeding 4 inches in height and 6” diameter ..... No fee

## Addendum Part 2

**The below prices will apply to all plots purchased prior to 1<sup>st</sup> February 2019**

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| (i)  | For the Exclusive Right of a Burial Plot for a period of 50 years.....                     | £300 |
| (ii) | For the Exclusive Right of Burial of a Cremated Remains Plot for a period of 50 years..... | £144 |

### **PART 2 – WALLED GRAVES AND VAULTS**

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| (i) | For the Exclusive Right of Burial and the right to construct a walled grave or vault for a period not exceeding 100 years..... | £900 |
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**PART 3 – INTERMENTS** where the Exclusive Rights of Burial have previously been purchased. These fees do not include the digging of the grave

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| i)    | For the interment of the body of a still born child, or of a child whose age at the time of death did not exceed sixteen years..... | No fee |
| ii)   | For the interment of a person whose age at the time of death exceeded sixteen years.....  | £240   |
| (iii) | For the interment of cremated remains.....  | £108   |

**PART 4 - MEMORIALS, VASES, TABLETS, PLAQUES AND INSCRIPTIONS,**

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- (ii) For a memorial between 4 inches and 8 inches in height..... £60  
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**For the Gardens of Remembrance : (maximum memorial height 4 inches or metric equivalent)**

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For tablets exceeding 12 “ width, a double plot must be purchased..  
For each additional inscription the fee will be..... 36
- (ii) A vase not exceeding 4 inches in height and 6” diameter ..... No fee