

# Ongar

## Town Council



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## FEES & CHARGES 2016

FROM 2 JUNE 2016

The fees, payments and sums set out on the following pages apply where the person to be interred, or in respect of whom the Right of Burial is granted, is either:

- 1 a resident of Ongar at the time of their death;
- OR
- 2 was a resident of Ongar during the three years immediately before their death.

The Council reserve the right to waive any additional fee if the applicant has lived in Ongar for an enduring period.

In the case of a still born child, the fees, payments and sums apply where any one of the parents are or at the time of the interment were, such inhabitants or parishioners.

**In all other cases, the fees, payments and sums will be trebled**, except where the exclusive Right of Burial in the grave in question, or the right of constructing the grave, was acquired at the single fee as set out in Part 2. In this case, unless the grave is subsequently used by a relative who is not such an inhabitant or parishioner, those charges set out in Parts 1 & 3 will not be trebled.

PART:

- 1 INTERMENTS
- 2 EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL IN EARTHEN GRAVES
- 3 MONUMENTS, GRAVESTONES, TABLETS AND MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS
- 4 OTHER CHARGES

## PART 1 INTERMENTS

The fees indicated for the various heads of items 1 and 2 below

- a) Do not include the digging of the grave or any further work such as the erection of a memorial
- b) Apply only where the interment is made between the following hours:  
Monday to Friday 10.00 - 13.00, 14.00 - 16.00 (April to September inclusive)  
10.00 - 13.00, 14.00 - 15.30 (October to March inclusive)

Non-resident fees are shown in brackets.

- 1 For the interment in any grave
  - a) of the body of a child less than 28 weeks gestation NIL
  - b) of the body of a still born child or a child whose age at the time of death did not exceed 16 years £30.00 (£90.00)
  - c) of the body of a person whose age at the time of death exceeded 16 years £214.00 (£642.00)
- 2 For the interment of cremated remains in a grave in respect of which the exclusive right of burial has been purchased or in a special grave 600mm x 600mm (2' x 2')
  - a) of the body of a child less than 28 weeks gestation NIL
  - b) of a child whose age at the time of death did not exceed 16 years £30.00 (£90.00)
  - c) of a person whose age at the time of death exceeded 16 years £214.00 (£642.00)

## PART 2 EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL IN EARTHEN GRAVES

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| 1  | For the exclusive right of burial  |         |            |
| a) | for a period of 50 years in an earthen grave 1.98m x 0.7m (6'6" x 2'6")                          | £562.00 | (£1686.00) |
| b) | for an additional period not exceeding 25 years  | £214.00 | (£642.00)  |
| 2  | For the exclusive right of burial of cremated remains in a special grave 600mm x 600mm (2' x 2') |         |            |
| a) | for a period of 50 years   | £265.00 | (£795.00)  |
| b) | for an additional period not exceeding 25 years  | £90.00  | (£270.00)  |

The Council will consider applications for the repurchase of ERBs in a grave space. The sum repaid will represent the sum paid less an administrative charge of £50.

## PART 3 MONUMENTS, GRAVESTONES, TABLETS AND MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS

For the right to erect a headstone, plaque or hardwood memorial

£91.00 (£273.00)

N.B. The fee indicated in this Part includes the first inscription. For each subsequent inscription, or to add or change a photograph, a further fee of £79.00 (£237.00) is payable.

For the maintenance of a Memorial bench for the life of the bench

£169.00 (£507.00)

#### PART 4 OTHER CHARGES

Registration of transfer of Exclusive Right of Burial	£69.00
Registration of probate or letters of administration	£19.50
The interment of any person outside the prescribed hours	£53.50
Every search of register books covering a period of not more than one year	£19.50
Every search of register books covering a period of more than one year for the first year:	
	£19.50
For each additional year:	£7.00
Providing a copy of the Deed of Grant for ERB	£30.00
Every certified copy of an entry of burial in the register books	£30.00