

OLD BASING & LYCHPIT PARISH COUNCIL

ADDENDUM TO CEMETERY RULES & REGULATIONS

(The following are amendments or additions to the Rules & Regulations booklet dated January 2012)

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6. Coffins and grave-digging

Wording in sub-paragraph (a) to read:

- a) Coffins of wood or suitable natural materials only shall be used in all graves where the exclusive right of burial is not purchased.

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15. Regulations relating to headstones

Wording in sub-paragraph (c) to read:

- c) The ruling in item (b) above does not apply to new graves where a settlement period of 12 months is recommended prior to a headstone being erected. In this instance flowers and acceptable tributes may be placed on the grave itself. One month after the date of burial one tribute, such as a potted plant or a container (not glass) of artificial flowers may be left at the head of the grave until a headstone is erected. All other items with the exception of fresh flowers should be removed.

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The following to be added:

GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE

The Garden of Remembrance is solely for the interment of ashes and the following regulations apply specifically to this area:

- a) The garden is divided into areas by pathways and relatives may select a preferred area for the interment.
- b) No headstones are permitted. Graves may be marked with a commemorative plaque measuring 30 x 25 cms. lying flush with the ground.
- c) No tributes are permitted other than one bouquet/spray of **fresh** flowers laid on or alongside the plaque. Dead flowers will be removed by the grounds staff.
- d) No vase or other container is permitted.
- e) As stated in 5(g) of the Rules & Regulations, 2 sets of ashes may be interred in a plot.