PADSTOW TOWN COUNCIL

Cemetery Fees As From 1 April 2026

Fees Payments and Sums fixed and settled under Section 34 of the Burial Act 1852 and by the Town Council under Section 214 of the Local Government Act 1972

Fees are payable in advance by BACS to Padstow Town Council, sort code 30 98 98, account number 00620229, address: Lloyds Bank, Wadebridge. Alternatively, cheques made payable to Padstow Town Council can be sent to Station House, Station Road, Padstow, Cornwall PL28 8DA. In both instances please state the grave number as reference.

The interment fees (no.1-10) set out below do not include the grave excavation fees (no.11-13). An Exclusive Right of Burial must be purchased for all new graves. For Non-Residents of Padstow Parish some fees and charges are treble, please refer to the Non-Resident scale of charges as appropriate.

A Resident will be defined as:

- Any person who has resided in the Parish of Padstow for not less than one year immediately prior to death;
- Anyone who, at any time, has lived in the Parish of Padstow for at least five years;
- Patients in hospitals or institutions normally resident in the Parish of Padstow;
- In addition, the interment of ashes on existing earthen grave spaces will be charged using the Resident scale of charges, irrespective of residential status.

INTERMENTS

The fees given below in respect of earthen graves are for a depth of up to 2 metres. An Exclusive Right of Burial must be purchased for each grave.

		Resident	**Non Resident**
1	Interment of the Body of a still-born child or a child not exceeding 12 years in the Children's Section	No Charge	No Charge
2	Interment of the Body of a person exceeding 12 years	£200.00	£600.00
3	Interment of cremated remains in a cremation plot	£120.00	£360.00
4	Interment of cremated remains on an existing earthen plot	£120.00	£360.00
5	FIRST Interment of cremated remains in a new earthen grave purchased solely for cremated remains	£200.00	£600.00

6	SECOND Interment of cremated remains in an earthen grave purchased solely for cremated remains	£200.00	£600.00
7	For each interment of cremated remains AFTER the FIRST and SECOND in an earthen grave purchased solely for cremated remains (maximum 6)	£120.00	£360.00
8	Surcharge where an interment takes place or involves work on a Saturday	£90.00	£270.00
9	Surcharge where an interment takes place or involves work on a Sunday or Bank Holiday	£180.00	£540.00
10	Exhumation	POA	POA

GRAVE EXCAVATION

The fees below are in addition to the interment fees above. An external sexton is arranged for all earthen burials. In most instances, excavation of an area for the interment of cremated remains will be undertaken by Padstow Town Council employees. In any circumstance where a sexton is employed these fees will be a direct re-charge of the sexton's services and as such are subject to change.

		Resident	**Non Resident**
11	Sexton's fee for excavation of an earthen grave (maximum double depth) Fixed until Feb 2024	£600.00	£600.00
12	Fee for excavating area for cremated remains (all cremation plots are double depth)	£90.00	£90.00
13	Exhumation	POA	POA

EXCLUSIVE RIGHT OF BURIAL

An exclusive right of burial **must be purchased for all new graves in Padstow Cemetery only** and will be granted for a period of 99 years. An exclusive right of burial information sheet can be viewed online at www.padstow-tc.gov.uk or requested from the Council Offices.

		Resident	**Non Resident**
14	For Exclusive Right of Burial in the Children's Section	No Charge	No Charge
15	For Exclusive Right of Burial in an earthen grave	£300.00	£900.00

		Resident	Non Resident
16	For Exclusive Right of Burial in a cremation plot	£150.00	£450.00

MONUMENTS, TABLETS AND INSCRIPTIONS

For regulations relating to memorials including permissible sizes, stone and responsibilities, please refer to the Padstow Town Council Cemetery Regulations.

		Resident	Non Resident
17	For permission to erect a monument not exceeding 2'6" x 3'0"	£140.00	£420.00
18	For permission to erect a tablet or tablet with integral vase holder	£85.00	£255.00
19	For each additional inscription after the first	£60.00	£180.00
20	For permission to replace an existing kerb memorial on a grave prior to 1974 on a "like for like" basis	£150.00	£450.00

OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE FEES

		Resident and Non Resident
21	Transfer of Exclusive Right of Burial including preparation of relevant documents	£60.00 max 2 hours, £30.00 per hour thereafter
22	Research of burial records to include up to 2 x A4 hard copies of an entry or a scanned copy.	£60.00 max 2 hours, £30.00 per hour thereafter

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