

# Bishop's Stortford Town Council

## Burial Charges Effective 1st April 2023

Funeral times at graveside are 9.00am - 3.45pm Monday - Friday. A Premium will be incurred outside these hours. (See Other Charges)

\* Charges for Child Interments up to the age of 18 will be covered by BSTC from the CFF (Childrens Social Fund for England Regulations 2019 No. 1064)

**Bishop's Stortford Resident** (resident within the Civil Parish at the time of death)

Type of Grave and Interment	** 50 Year ERB	Interment	Total
Adult new grave in lawned areas in Old & New Cemeteries	£1,190	£590	£1,780
Adult new grave in Old Cemetery in areas where kerbing is permitted	£1,430	£590	£2,020
Re-open existing plot for burial	N/A	£590	£590
Child new single grave for child < 18 years *	£840	£540	£1,380
Stillborn/Infant *	£400	£540	£940
Cremated remains	£400	£240	£640
Re-open existing plot for cremated remains	N/A	£240	£240
25 Year extension of 50 year ERB ***	£600	N/A	£600
25 Year extension of 50 year ERB for grave in Old Cemetery where kerbing is permitted ***	£720	N/A	£720
Uplift for casket (over 80 inches) or oversize coffin	N/A	£230	£230

**Previous Resident** (resident within the Civil Parish for at least 5 years within the 20 years prior to death, but not resident at the time of death)

**Bishop's Stortford Resident Charges x 1.8**

Type of Grave and Interment	** 50 Year ERB	Interment	Total
Adult new grave in lawned areas in Old & New Cemeteries	£2,150	£1,070	£3,220
Adult new grave in Old Cemetery in areas where kerbing is permitted	£2,580	£1,070	£3,650
Re-open existing plot for burial	N/A	£1,070	£1,070
Child new single grave for child < 18 years *	£1,520	£980	£2,500
Stillborn/Infant *	£720	£980	£1,700
Cremated remains	£720	£440	£1,160
Re-open existing plot for cremated remains	N/A	£440	£440
25 Year extension of 50 year ERB only within 5 years of ERB expiry ***	£1,080	N/A	£1,080
25 Year extension of 50 year ERB for grave in Old Cemetery where kerbing is permitted only within 5 years of ERB expiry ***	£1,300	N/A	£1,300
Uplift for casket (over 80 inches) or oversize coffin	N/A	£420	£420

**Non Resident** (resident in the Civil Parish for less than 5 years within the 20 years prior to death)  
**Bishop's Stortford Resident Charges x 3**

Type of Grave and Interment	** 50 Year ERB	Interment	Total
Adult new grave in lawned areas in Old & New Cemeteries	£3,570	£1,770	£5,340
Adult new grave in Old Cemetery in areas where kerbing is permitted	£4,290	£1,770	£6,060
Re-open existing plot for burial	N/A	£1,770	£1,770
Child new single grave for child < 18 years *	£2,520	£1,620	£4,140
Stillborn/Infant *	£1,200	£1,620	£2,820
Cremated remains	£1,200	£720	£1,920
Re-open existing plot for cremated remains	N/A	£720	£720
25 Year extension of 50 year ERB only within 5 years of ERB expiry ***	£1,800	N/A	£1,800
25 Year extension of 50 year ERB for grave in Old Cemetery where kerbing is permitted only within 5 years of ERB expiry ***	£2,160	N/A	£2,160
Uplift for casket (over 80 inches) or oversize coffin	N/A	£690	£690

**\*\*ERB = Exclusive Right of Burial**

**\*\*\*This may be requested not more than 5 years before the expiry of the ERB. Requests made after the expiry of the ERB will not be accepted. The total duration of the ERB, including the extension, will not exceed 75 Years.**

**Grave plots located in the historic Old Cemetery have previously been used**

## Additional Charges

### Gravestones, Monuments and Monumental Inscriptions

Permit for Initial Headstone and Inscription	£185
Permit for Additional Headstone Inscription	£90
Permit Granite Vase	£15

### Other fees

Time at graveside after 3.45pm (Summer only)	£200 premium
Saturday - Burial or Ashes interment	£200 premium
Scattering of Ashes (Place to be agreed)	£140
Scattering & Plaque on bench for 10 yrs (Old Cemetery)	£420 incl VAT
Remembrance Memorial (No Interment or Scattering)	£280 (incl £50 Permit Charge)
Copy / Assignment of Grant of Exclusive Right of Burial	£60
Transfer of Exclusive Right of Burial	£115
Use of Chapel - Seating for 20	£115 + £25 for extra chairs (max 12)
Use of PA system	£25
Admin charge for Interment Form completion	£60

## Telephone numbers

Bishop's Stortford Cemetery Administrator	01279 712148
Bishop's Stortford Town Council	01279 715000

**Website: [www.bishopstortfordtc.gov.uk](http://www.bishopstortfordtc.gov.uk)**