

Wimborne Cemetery

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Wimborne Cemetery is situated in the Parish of Pamphill and is supported by them and both Colehill and Wimborne Minster Town Council. The Cemetery was inaugurated in 1856, and contains more than 12,600 graves, including many well-known names.

The first interment was of a two year old child, Walter Noah Cull, of the union workhouse, Wimborne. The interment is in Section 1 on the 1st April 1856, there is no headstone to denote the position of the grave.

The fourth interment was of John Eaton, a builder aged 41. He was the builder of the chapel and died through being thrown from his horse whilst inspecting work at the Cemetery. Interment was on the 5th April 1856 in grave No. 4 in Section 7. There is a Portland Headstone near the chapel.

Comprising both consecrated and unconsecrated ground, The Cemetery provides for both Full Burials, and Ashes. It is maintained by full time staff to a high quality, with outstanding views.



There are over 120 trimmed trees in the 20 acre site, together with grade 2* Chapel, Workshop and Lodge.

Both Parishioners and Non-Parishioners may be interred in the Cemetery. Plots may be purchased in advance, and will be maintained for a term of 100 years. Full burial can be for a maximum of two people, whilst plots in the Garden of Remembrance can be for up to four.



Garden of Remembrance

Purchase of a plot will entitle the owner, or his/her heirs, to place a memorial headstone or cremation tablet on the site, on payment of a standard fee.

We recommend a visit to this tranquil Cemetery, and make contact with the staff on site to choose a plot, or answer any questions. The Cemetery is open every day 9.00am to 5.00pm October to March and 9.00am to 9.00pm April to September, and manned 9.00am to 5.00pm weekdays.