

Public Notice

Rules & Regulations of the Cedar Hill Cemetery

Corydon, Indiana 47112 (Revision: 1/11/17)

1. Children playing on or about monuments, mausoleums, walls or fences, persons loitering, dogs, horses, guns, sling shots or BB guns, fireworks or explosives, motor bikes, bicycles and motorcycles are strictly prohibited from being in or about the premises.
2. Cemetery gates will be open from 8-S daily during winter months & Dawn to Dusk in the summer months, at the discretion of the Cemetery Manager.
3. It is forbidden for anyone to be within the Cemetery or on its property without permission when the gates are closed & secured.
4. The speed limit on all streets in the Cemetery shall not exceed 15 miles per hours. Entrances, exits and one-way streets are posted and will be enforced as posted.
5. When weather conditions require, the gates to the Cemetery will be closed to the public for the protection of the Cemetery property by the Cemetery Manager at his/her discretion.
6. All grave sites sold shall be for "full payment" at the time of purchasing. A contribution required for the care of the grave site shall be paid to the Cedar Hill Cemetery Foundation, Inc. The Foundation is a separate not-for-profit corporation and is not controlled or managed by the Cemetery board of Regents.
7. All burials, except cremations, must be in approved steel or concrete vaults or boxes. Any vault or box materials other than indicated above, must be pre-approved prior to use in the Cemetery. /steel vaults may not be less than 12 gauge materials. Burial by cremation shall be in accordance with the laws of the State of Indiana. Scattering of ashes within this cemetery is prohibited.
8. Foundations for all markers and monuments must be set-in six inches from the outside boundary of the lot and require a three inch extension at the base of the marker or monument. The size of the base and depth thereof is provided to installers of markers and monuments, which must be installed only by professionals approved by the Cemetery Manager or its officials. Military type markers must be installed flush to and with the contour of the ground.
9. All graves must be set-in six inches from the outside boundary of the lot. All graves shall normally be dug to a depth of five feet or to a depth which will allow for a coverage of earth not less than two feet at the shallowest point over the other receptacle in which the body is placed. Where burials involve two bodies being buried within the same grave space, (one burial on top of another), the first burial shall be at a depth of nine feet. Please be advised that double burials may not be possible in all areas of the Cemetery due to underground rock formations. Additional equipment required to attain a certain depth for burials are the responsibility of the owner.
10. No grave may be opened nor shall any base for the marker or monument be dug without the approval of the Cemetery Manager or Cemetery Officials.
11. Graves are only dug by persons approved by Cedar hill Cemetery Board of Regents and hired by the mortuary. Any damage caused by grave digging equipment or monument setting equipment or personnel shall be the sole responsibility of the persons performing the work.
12. When in the judgment of the Cemetery Manager, ground conditions requiring, all grave digging or monument setting equipment shall have heavy boards placed down on the ground from the point of leaving the streets to the grave site for protection of grounds.
13. Animal burials are strictly prohibited within the Cemetery grounds.
14. Flower arrangements placed on grave sites at the time of burial are removed by the Cemetery Manager when in his/her judgement they are no longer attractive. This time period will vary with weather conditions, but generally does not exceed one week. Flower arrangements not placed on monuments will also be removed when they no longer are attractive or interfere with mowing, trimming or leaf removal.
15. No plantings will be allowed on any lots.
16. During the mowing season, generally about the first of April to the end of October, all floral arrangement, real or artificial, MUST BE PLACED ON THE MONUMENT ONLY, except for a period of seven days prior to and for seven days following Memorial Day, Father's Day, Mother's Day, Easter Sunday. Flowers placed on lots which are not in compliance with this policy will be removed by the mowers or the Cemetery Manager. Ornamentations other than flowers are not permitted. The Cemetery or its personnel are not responsible for loss of flowers or articles left at grave sites.
17. All containers for flowers either placed on the monument (or for the grave site during permitted times) shall be made of plastic or metal. **GLASS AND OTHER BREAKABLE CONTAINERS ARE HAZARDOUS TO OUR MAINTENANCE EMPLOYEES AND IF USED WILL BE PROMPTLY REMOVED BY THE Cemetery Manager.** Please be advised that metal frames other than aluminum, placed on monuments may cause permanent rust damage to the stones.
18. Any person causing damage to grave sites, plants, stones or markers, whether accidental or intentional shall be held liable for such damage. Under certain conditions, parents may be held liable for damage by minor children. Anyone found damaging or vandalizing any property in the Cemetery will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
19. Fees charged by the Cemetery and prices for grave site sales are subject to change from time to time without public notice. **At this time grave sites are \$500.00 per grave.** Additionally, a minimum of **\$500.00** per grave must be paid to cedar Hill Cemetery Foundations, Inc. to establish an account for care of grave space. A \$100.00 interment administrative fee is charged at the time of burial occurrence.
20. The Cedar Hill Cemetery Foundation Inc. has the authority to set minimum contributions per grave payable to Cedar Hill Cemetery Foundations Inc. The mortuary handling arrangements of Cedar Hill Cemetery will collect the interment fee and minimum perpetual care contributions.
21. Care and Maintenance of grave sites in the cemetery is not free of charge. Payment of these services is the responsibility of the legal owner (s) of the lot. Those lots which have accounts held by Cedar Hill Cemetery Foundation, Inc. are billed by the Cemetery to these accounts. Where the owner does not have an account in the Foundation, the owner or heirs of the owner are billed annually for the care. When any grave not in Perpetual care is to be used, the owner or the estate will be required to make a minimum contribution to the Cedar Hill cemetery Foundations, Inc. plus payment of any annual care that is in arrears.
22. Mowing of lots and setting of monuments, footage, etc., shall be done only by cemetery approved personnel.
23. Owners or heirs to lots in Cedar Hill Cemetery are advised that they may ascertain the status of payment of care of their property by writing to: Cedar Hill Cemetery Board of Regents, Corydon, Indiana 47112, or by leaving their name, address, phone number and a lot description with the Cemetery Manager at the Cemetery.
24. It is generally not possible to create a set of Rules and Regulations to cover every conceivable circumstance which may arise. The Board of Regents reserves their right to add, delete, change or amend these Rules and Regulations, when in their judgement such additions, deletions, amendments or changes are warranted.

REVISED BY THE BOARD OF REGENTS AND ENTERED IN THE MINUTES AT THEIR MEETING ON 4-13-16, TO BE EFFECTIVE ON SAME SAID DATE. A copy of these revised Rules and Regulations shall be maintained at the Cemetery Administrative Office and is available for inspection by the general public.

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