



Cemetery

INFORMATION

Pre-Planning

When somebody passes away without prearranging their cemetery and funeral services, their loved ones can be left with tough decisions and a great deal of uncertainty during an already difficult time. By pre-planning, you make your wished known, provide direction to the executor of your estate, and avoid any important decisions being influenced by grief or other emotions.

Planning ahead can be very comforting because it gives you the opportunity to make an informed decision about the funeral, cemetery services and memorial you prefer.

By purchasing your services at today's prices, you can have peace of mind knowing that your family and friends will be relieved of any financial burden associated with making arrangements when a death occurs.

The Vermilion Cemetery *Memorial Fund*

Vermilion is a thriving community that has a great deal to show for all of the people who have lived here and played their part. A number of these people are buried or inurned in the Vermilion Cemeteries.

Town Council developed the Vermilion Cemetery Memorial Fund to be used for perpetual care of the cemeteries. Tax deductible donations are received by the Town and placed into an interest bearing reserve. The interest from the account is used to help defray the cost of maintaining the cemeteries. It is anticipated that if the reserve becomes large enough and the cemeteries are full, the interest from the reserve will pay for their yearly maintenance.

How can you help?

By providing a tax deductible donation to the Vermilion Cemetery Memorial Fund. Donations can be made at:

- Town of Vermilion
5021 - 49 Avenue, Vermilion, AB T9X 1X1
Scotiabank
5037 - 50 Avenue, Vermilion, AB T9X 1A7
- Creech's Lakeland Funeral Chapel
4824- 51 Avenue, Vermilion, AB T9X 1T6
- Reflections Funeral & Cremation Services
4902B- 50 Avenue, Vermilion, AB T9X 1A4

A Legacy

This is the final resting place for your loved ones.

Cemeteries are not simply a place where you bury the dead, they are places where a life is celebrated and honored.

If you received this pamphlet on the occasion of the death of a loved one, we offer sympathy.



Directions

Public Cemetery & Columbarium

44th Street south on Highway 16, or traveling south on Highway 41, proceed over the overpass, turn east onto the golf course road and follow it for 1 km past the golf course.

Catholic & Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery

48th Avenue and 32nd Street.
Approximately 2 km east of Fountain Tire/Southview Trucking or 2 km north of Agricore United Distribution on Highway 16.

For more information, contact:

Town of Vermilion
5021 49 Avenue
Vermilion, AB T9X 1X1
P: 780.853.5358
F: 780.853.4910
E: cemetery@vermilion.ca

Cemetery Rates

Columbarium

Niche \$1,210.00 +GST
Two urns can be inurned in one niche (first open/close and first engraving is included).

Replacement Plaque w/engraving \$515.00 +GST
Second Engraving \$201.00 +GST
Second Open/Close \$105.00 +GST

Urn Burial

Open/Close \$405.00 +GST
Plot \$605.00 +GST
(up to 4 urns can be interred in one plot)

Traditional Burial

Open/Close \$618.00 +GST
Plot \$605.00 +GST

Double Depth (Conditional availability)

Open/Close \$655.00 +GST
Plot \$655.00 +GST

Late Charges

For services outside of regular working hours (8 am – 4 pm) during a regular work week. \$52.00/hr. +GST

Weekend Open/Close

(Friday after 4:00 pm, Saturday, Sunday and Holidays)

Niche \$105.00 +GST
Urn Burial \$225.00 +GST
Traditional Burial \$390.00 +GST

Columbarium Niche

To help select and purchase a niche, please contact Community Services at 780.853.5358.



Cemetery Bylaw Highlights

In all interments, with the exception of urn plots, caskets shall be placed in an outer receptacle, of which the standard of construction shall be a concrete rough box.

Grave covers are not allowed.

Flat markers may be placed on a grave plot at the head or foot, but must be flush with the surrounding ground.

The Town of Vermilion is responsible for opening/closing all burials and inurnments.

All artificial wreaths, flowers and other such tributes left on a grave plot may be removed by cemetery caretakers after the elapse of two months after interment.

The Town shall not be responsible for any damages accidentally or willfully inflicted to any marker, monument or other surface structure not installed by the Town within the cemeteries.