



BREAKABLES PROHIBITED IN THE CEMETERY

CEMETERY LOCATIONS

- *Arakoon, Lighthouse Road*
- *Bellbrook, Armidale Road*
- *Crescent Head, Loftus Road*
- *East Kempsey, Bloomfield and Naiooka Streets*
- *Euroka, Euroka Road*
- *Kinki, Stuarts Point Road*
- *Toms Gully, Toms Gully Road*
- *West Kempsey, Tozer, River and Broughton Streets*



FLOWER AND ORNAMENT REGULATIONS

Would you like
Further Information?

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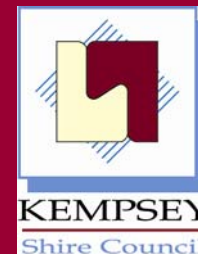
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Keeping our Cemeteries
**Safe and
Looking Great**

FLOWER AND
ORNAMENT
REGULATIONS



Our cemeteries are special places in our community. We take care in maintaining and servicing our unique places, we seek your help to ensure they are safe and beautiful.

Why do we need regulations?



The regulations have been introduced to ensure that you can visit and reflect in an environment that is safe, clean and tidy.

To enable Council to maintain the cemeteries to a high standard and to provide a safe environment please follow these conditions:

Plants

- All plants (flora) within the cemetery including their selection, planting, maintenance & removal, are the sole responsibility of the Council.
- You are **not allowed** to plant flowers, shrubs, bushes, trees etc.
- Picking of flowers and plants within the cemetery is prohibited.

Floral Tributes

- The use of glass bottles or breakable vases for the purpose of flower arrangements is prohibited.
- Use only plastic or metal vases, we welcome placement of fresh or artificial flowers at burial and/or memorial sites. Visitors are encouraged to remove such items when they become unsightly, weathered or withered.
- Aged flowers and wreaths will be removed at Council's discretion and **without notice**.

Conditions continued:-

Prohibited Items

- No breakable items, including ornaments e.g. glass or ceramic statues / crosses to be placed in the cemetery.
- No Flags and decorations on spikes.

Lawn Cemetery Graves

- Markers of any kind outlining a gravesite or rocks, pebbles, or pavers / bricks are **not** permissible over the grassed areas within the **lawn section**.
- Markers, rocks, pebbles or pavers / bricks will be removed immediately from these areas.
- *Please limit the number of permissible items placed over new graves in the lawn as staff are required to top-dress the graves.*

Solar Powered Lights

- The placement of solar powered lights with spikes are prohibited. Solar lights included in the permanent monument, as illustrated below, via local Funeral Directors.



Collection of Non-approved items

Should it become necessary for Council Staff to remove vases and other items they will be registered and stored at Council's Customer First Centre, 22 Tozer Street, West Kempsey and be available for return to owners on request, for a period of up to **THREE (3)** months, after which they will be disposed of.

Respect your neighbour.

It is important to respect your neighbour and ensure that your tributes do not encroach upon your neighbour's memorial. This can cause unnecessary distress to other families.

Council will ensure that:-
We conduct regular clearance of deteriorated flowers, breakable vases and prohibited items.

KEEPING OUR CEMETERIES SAFE AND TIDY

A BIG TASK AND ONE THAT WE CAN'T DO WITHOUT YOUR ASSISTANCE

Thank you