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To all Funeral Directors

**New Farm Lane Cemetery, Nuthall**

We are writing to advise you of our current pricing rates, grave digging arrangements and the new creation of an ashes area within the Cemetery. We try wherever possible to reflect Broxtowe Borough Council charges and procedures and these are reviewed every April. The cemetery regulations will remain on our website as these are specific to New Farm Lane and should be referred to in the event of any customer query.

Grave digging.

Due to health and safety concerns the current grave digging arrangements have been revoked. All full graves at New Farm Lane are now being dug by Broxtowe Borough Council staff and contractors. If you have an interment you should contact the office at the Crematorium and arrange a mutually convenient date/time. Nuthall Parish Council will invoice the funeral directors for the grave digging and pay Broxtowe Borough Council.

You will note that there are various prices quoted on the price list. Unfortunately we are unable to give a single price per depth as Broxtowe BC are charging according to what type of digging is permissible (ideally JCB but may be by Mini-digger or hand depending on location and access issues). Nuthall Parish Council are not charging any premium for grave-digging but merely passing on the charges that we are having to pay for the service.

Ashes interments will be dug by Nuthall Parish Council staff as they always have been and arrangements should be made with the Parish office directly.

New Ashes Section.

After a resident request and a meeting with a local funeral director the Council have set aside a number of plots 24" square to hold two ashes interments immediately to the right as you enter the cemetery. The area will be marked out, edged and stoned over the winter period. Due to a lack of space generally within the Cemetery and in line with Broxtowe BC

policy we are unable to offer pre-purchase. We want families to have as much freedom as possible on choosing memorials for these plots and will approve suitable requests via the Parish office.

We very much appreciate that we are all in the front line when dealing with bereaved relatives and it is important that between us we provide a caring and efficient service. As a Council we appreciate and thank you for all the help that you continue to give our residents and hope that it will be a successful partnership in the future.

Yours faithfully,

Susan Stack  
Clerk & Responsible Financial Officer  
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