

# Cemetery fees and charges

## 2024–2025

including GST and Cemeteries and Cremation NSW Levy (CCNSW)



### Burial charges

Burial charges are inclusive of a standard memorial base or monumental headstone and standard plaque or direct inscription, relevant to the cemetery section selected. Memorials are arranged through cemetery administration personnel. Any memorial upgrades to the standard inclusions incur additional charges – price on application.

Check with cemetery administration personnel for burial plot availability at Tyalgum General Cemetery. Prices at Tyalgum are the same as at Tweed Heads and Murwillumbah General Cemeteries.

### Burial at Tweed Valley (Eviron) Cemetery

#### Lawn burial with standard memorial base and cast bronze plaque or direct base inscription.

Includes land plot, burial, graveside service and standard memorial base and plaque or direct inscription.

Lawn burial – single plot – adult .....	\$7,369.60
Lawn burial – dual plot – adult (first interment) .....	\$8,017.60
Lawn burial – triple plot – adult (first interment) .....	\$8,475.60
Lawn burial – plot reopening (second and third interments) .....	\$3,681.60
Lawn burial – child from 2 years up to 12 years (40% of adult lawn burial plus memorial expenses) .....	\$3,368.00
Lawn burial – infant 24 months or less (20% of adult lawn burial plus memorial expenses) .....	\$2,194.00
Lawn burial – stillborn – Lullaby Garden .....	\$1,550.00

### Burial at Tweed Heads cemeteries

#### Lawn burial with standard memorial base and cast bronze plaque or direct base inscription.

Includes land plot, burial, graveside service and standard memorial base and plaque or direct inscription.

Lawn burial – single plot – adult .....	\$8,253.60
Lawn burial – dual plot – adult (first interment) .....	\$8,901.60
Lawn burial – triple plot – adult (first interment) .....	\$9,359.60
Lawn burial – plot reopening (second and third interments) .....	\$3,959.60
Lawn burial – child from 2 years up to 12 years (40% of adult lawn burial plus memorial expenses) .....	\$3,708.00
Lawn burial – infant 24 months or less (20% of adult lawn burial plus memorial expenses) .....	\$2,347.00

#### Lawn memorial burial with standard upright headstone and inscription.

Includes land plot, burial, graveside service, memorial works fee and an upright memorial headstone with a direct headstone inscription of up to 80 non-coloured standard characters (font colour additional) and 2 vases with up to 12 characters each.

Lawn memorial burial – single plot – adult .....	\$13,213.60
Lawn memorial burial – dual plot – adult (first interment) .....	\$13,625.60
Lawn memorial burial – plot reopening (second interment) .....	\$4,319.60

#### General monumental memorial burial with standard monument and cast bronze plaque or direct inscription.

Includes land plot, burial, graveside service, memorial works fee and monumental memorial plinth, headstone and standard plaque or direct inscription. Excludes optional memorial desk. Desk – price on application.

General monumental memorial burial – single plot – adult .....	\$11,742.60
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## Burial at Murwillumbah cemeteries

### Lawn burial with standard memorial base and cast bronze plaque or direct base inscription.

Includes land plot, burial, graveside service and standard memorial base and plaque or direct inscription.

Lawn burial – single plot – adult .....	\$8,253.60
Lawn burial – dual plot – adult (first interment) .....	\$8,901.60
Lawn burial – triple plot – adult (first interment) .....	\$9,359.60
Lawn burial – plot reopening (second and third interments) .....	\$3,956.60
Lawn burial – child from 2 years up to 12 years (40% of adult lawn burial plus memorial expenses) .....	\$3,708.00
Lawn burial – infant 24 months or less (20% of adult lawn burial plus memorial expenses) .....	\$2,347.00

### General monumental memorial burial with standard monument and cast bronze plaque or direct inscription.

Includes land plot, burial, graveside service, memorial works fee and monumental memorial plinth and standard plaque or direct inscription. Excludes optional headstone and/or desk – price on application.

General monumental memorial burial – single plot – adult .....	\$11,742.60
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## Burial surcharges

<b>Burial weekend surcharge</b> .....	\$1,220.00
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Covers 2 operators and plant. Charged in addition to the burial charge.

<b>Burial after hours surcharge – per hour</b> .....	\$244.00
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Charged per hour, after 3:30 pm on weekdays. Covers 2 operators and plant.

<b>Burial exhumation</b> .....	\$6,100.00
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Exhumation charges include administration and approval of application, reopening and back filling of the grave, hire of grave shoring used by a suitably trained and qualified third party (usually organised by funeral director) and signage and barricading of the site for workplace safety and privacy.

## Burial memorial services

<b>Graveside memorial services (included within burial charges)</b> .....	N/A
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Includes artificial turf if required, shade cover canopy on request and 12 chairs, set-up and pack down.

Additional tent .....	\$122.00
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## Ash interment

Ash interment charges are inclusive of a standard memorial base and standard plaque, relevant to the cemetery section selected. Memorials are arranged through cemetery administration personnel. Any memorial upgrades to the standard inclusions incur additional charges – price on application.

Ash interment within an existing grave at Tyalgum General Cemetery is priced the same as at Tweed Heads and Murwillumbah General Cemeteries .....	\$1,516.30
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## Ash interment at Tweed Valley (Eviron) Cemetery

**Ash interment within existing grave** ..... \$1,829.30

Includes plaque, base and memorial charges.

**Ash interment within existing grave** ..... \$1,382.30

Includes interment, related administration and standard memorial plaque.

**Ash interment within a coffin** ..... \$636.30

Includes interment, related administration and standard detachable plaque.

**New or refurbished plaque and base** ..... POA

### **Ash interment within Memorial Garden (plaque only)**

Includes land plot, interment and standard memorial plaque.

Memorial Lilly Garden and Memorial Creek Walk Garden – plaque attached to concrete edging ..... \$2,077.30

### **Ash interment within Memorial Garden**

Includes land plot, interment and standard memorial plaque and base, suitable for selected garden.

Pond View Gardens – plaque attached to granite beam or block ..... \$2,836.30

Memorial Creek Walk Garden – plaque attached to sandstone block ..... \$2,594.30

Memorial Rainforest Walk – plaque attached to bush rock ..... \$2,594.30

Memorial Cordyline Walk – plaque attached to granite block ..... \$2,594.30

Children's Gumnut Garden – plaque attached to granite block  
(40% of adult interment plus memorial expenses) ..... \$1,334.00

Infant ash interment – small plaque attached to garden edge  
(20% of adult interment plus memorial expenses) ..... \$1,114.00

### **Ash interment under Memorial Tree or in a garden**

Includes land plot, interment and standard memorial plaque attached to memorial rock.

Ash interment – single ..... \$2,886.30

Ash interment dual – 1st interment ..... \$3,266.30

Ash interment dual – 2nd interment ..... \$1,507.30

### **Ash interment within Memorial Garden under rotunda**

Includes land plot, interment and standard memorial plaque attached to granite beam. Interment is within the rotunda bromeliad, birds nest or majestic memorial gardens.

Memorial Garden under rotunda ..... \$2,964.30

### **Memorial Family Tree purchase**

Includes land plots and family tree. Excludes interments.

Memorial Family Tree – for family members ..... \$5,821.00

### **Ash interment under Memorial Family Tree**

Includes interment and standard memorial plaque attached to memorial rock. Land and family tree already purchased.

Ash interment – single ..... \$2,191.30

Ash interment dual – 1st interment ..... \$2,224.30

Ash interment dual – 2nd interment ..... \$1,629.30

## Memorial at Tweed Valley (Eviron) Cemetery

<b>Memorial Book plaque</b> .....	\$676.00
Includes standard memorial plaque attached to Memorial Book structure. Includes option for ashes to be scattered within memorial gardens.	

## Ash interment at Tweed Heads cemeteries

<b>Ash interment within existing grave</b> .....	\$1,948.30
Includes standard memorial plaque, base and memorial charges.	

<b>Ash interment within existing grave – general cemeteries*</b> .....	\$1,516.30
Includes interment, related administration and standard memorial plaque, no base. For new or refurbished plaque and base – price on application.	

<b>Ash interment within a coffin</b> .....	\$636.30
Includes interment, related administration and standard detachable plaque.	

<b>Ash interment within memorial rockgarden</b>	
Includes land plot, standard memorial plaque and base.	

Flower Gardens – plaque attached to granite block .....	\$2,810.30
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<b>Ash interment within memorial rock garden</b>	
Includes land plot, interment and standard memorial plaque attached to memorial rock.	

Ash interment – single .....	\$3,102.30
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Ash interment dual – 1st interment .....	\$3,391.30
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Ash interment dual – 2nd interment .....	\$1,508.30
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## Ash interment at Murwillumbah cemeteries

<b>Ash interment within existing grave</b> .....	\$1,948.30
Includes standard memorial plaque, base and memorial charges.	

<b>Ash interment within existing grave – general cemeteries*</b> .....	\$1,516.30
Includes interment, related administration and standard memorial plaque, no base. For new or refurbished plaque and base – price on application.	

<b>Ash interment within a coffin</b> .....	\$636.30
Includes interment, related administration and standard detachable plaque.	

<b>Ash interment within memorial garden</b>	
Includes land plot, interment and standard memorial plaque and base.	

Rose Gardens – plaque attached to granite block .....	\$2,810.30
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<b>Ash interment within memorial wall</b>	
Includes interment within memorial wall and standard memorial plaque.	

Memorial Kookaburra Granite Wall – upper and lower levels .....	\$3,273.30
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Memorial Columbarium Brick Walls – Presbyterian and Church of England general sections .....	\$2,074.30
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**\*General cemeteries:** Florence Street; Murwillumbah; Murwillumbah Roman Catholic; Tweed Heads; Tyalgum.

## Ash interment surcharges

<b>Ash interment weekend surcharge</b> .....	\$488.00
Covers one operator and plant. Charged in addition to ash interment charges.	
<b>Ash interment after hours surcharge – per hour</b> .....	\$122.00
Charged per hour, after 3:30 pm on weekdays. Covers one operator and/or plant.	

## Memorial works fees

### Memorial headstone and monumental works fees

New monumental work – any value (\$440 included within burial charges) .....	N/A
Refurbishment work – any value .....	\$333.00

### Memorial plaque and base site works fees

Refurbishment work – any value .....	\$111.00
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## Memorial refurbishment fees

<b>Memorial administration fee – per hour</b> .....	\$122.00
<b>Memorial plaque and base dismantling and replacement fee – per hour</b> .....	\$122.00
<b>Memorial (plaque/base and block/headstone and monument) refurbishments</b> .....	POA

## Cremations at Tweed Valley (Eviron) Cemetery

### Cremation

Includes administration and cremation with a viewing room if required.

Adult – 12 years and over .....	\$720.10
Child – from 2 years up to 12 years (40% of adult cremation) .....	\$270.00
Infant – 24 months or less (20% of adult cremation) .....	\$135.00

<b>Bariatric cremation – general cemeteries</b> .....	POA
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<b>Cremation reservation – reservation fee</b> .....	\$122.00
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<b>Cremation and ash interment reservation package – reservation fee</b> .....	\$366.00
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<b>Cremation weekend surcharge</b> .....	\$488.00
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Covers one operator and plant. Charged in addition to cremation charges.

<b>Cremation after hours surcharge – per hour</b> .....	\$122.00
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Charged per hour, per operator, after 3:30 pm on weekdays.

## Chapel and Tree Stump memorial services at Tweed Valley (Eviron) Cemetery

### Chapel service – indoor memorial (seating for up to 90 attendees)

Includes use of pa/multimedia system and live streaming if required.

**Chapel Hall hire for up to 3 hours** ..... \$488.00

**Chapel kitchen hire – use of kitchen during Chapel Hall hire** ..... \$122.00

**Tree Stump service – outdoor memorial** ..... \$488.00

Includes 12 chairs around the tree stump tent on request by the pond for up to 3 hours.

## Administration fees

**General administration fee – per hour** ..... \$122.00

Administration fee for processing of refunds, conducting family research or providing other general administrative support.

### Memorial administration fees

Plaque ordering and liaising (\$122.00 included within burial and ash interment charges) ..... N/A

Plaque and base ordering and liaising (\$244.00 included within burial and ash interment charges) ..... N/A

**Burial or ash plot reservation administration fee\*** ..... \$366.00

Administration fee for plot reservation record keeping, customer site plot inspection, plot selection and customer confirmation letter. This is a non-refundable fee. Related interment charges will not be raised in the year of reservation. They will instead be raised in the year of need at the relevant year's prices and payable before the date of interment.

\*Burial reservation not available at Murwillumbah Lawn Cemetery.

### Ash rock interment – Tweed Heads and Tweed Valley cemeteries.

Ash rock – single ..... \$561.00

Ash rock – dual ..... \$594.00

## Pricing components of the least expensive burial and ash options

### Burial single adult – lawn – Tweed Valley Lawn Cemetery

Burial single adult – lawn (includes \$535.00 maintenance in perpetuity (MIP))	\$2,942.50
Land plot including right of burial – adult	\$2,922.70
Memorial administration fee	\$244.00
Base charge	\$445.50
Plaque and base, mounting and placement fee	\$244.00
Plaque charge or direct inscription	\$399.30
CCNSW Burial Internment Levy	\$171.60
<b>Total cost (including maintenance in perpetuity)</b>	<b>\$7,369.60</b>

### Ash Interment – Memorial Garden – Tweed Valley Lawn Cemetery

Land plot including right of burial – adult	\$365.20
Garden structure charge	\$330.00
Ash interment adult – Memorial Lilly Gardens or Memorial Creek Walk Garden (includes \$63.55 MIP)	\$731.00
Memorial administration fee	\$244.00
Plaque and base, mounting and placement fee	\$122.20
Plaque charge	\$215.80
CCNSW Ash Internment Levy	\$69.30
<b>Total cost (including maintenance in perpetuity)</b>	<b>\$2,077.30</b>

### Ash Memorial Book – for ash scattering – Tweed Valley Lawn Cemetery

Book structure charge	\$110.00
Memorial administration fee	\$244.00
Plaque and base, mounting and placement fee	\$122.00
Plaque charge	\$200.00
<b>Total cost</b>	<b>\$676.00</b>

## Pricing components for cremations

Administration	\$244.00
Gas	\$60.50
Crem OH	\$290.20
Transfer to cremator reserves	\$63.00
Urn and packaging	\$17.30
Transport and storage	N/A
CCNSW Cremation Levy	\$45.10
<b>Total cost</b>	<b>\$720.10</b>

## Bookings and enquiries

All bookings for burials and cremations must be made through a funeral director.  
Ash interment booking can be made with cemetery personnel.

Memorial monuments or plaques and bases are arranged through cemetery administration personnel.

General enquiries please email [cemeteries@tweed.nsw.gov.au](mailto:cemeteries@tweed.nsw.gov.au) or phone 02 6670 2400.  
(office hours 8:30 am to 4 pm).

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