Parish Council of Coleford

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Cemetery Rules

The management of the cemetery extension to the right of the church lies with the Parish Council, the earlier graveyard being run by the Parochial Church Council.

- 1. An owner of a memorial is responsible for its maintenance and safety.
- 2. Trees, shrubs and other perennials must not be planted without express permission of the Parish Council.
- 3. Grave plots may however be planted with native early spring bulbs, but only aconite, snowdrop and crocus may be planted without specific permission.
- 4. No ornamental edging of any sort is permitted around the grave mound.
- 5. No glass ornaments or glass vases are allowed.
- 6. Vases (non-glass) should not be taller than 450mm and should be of a design that will not blow over. Vases and ornaments are only to be placed adjacent to the headstone.
- 7. There is no water supply available at the cemetery therefore users must provide their own if wishing to water flowers, clean memorials, etc. Glass or china containers should not be used as water carriers and must not be left behind in the cemetery. Abandoned water carriers will be disposed of.
- 8. All dead flowers, wreaths, trimmings or other refuse must be taken away or placed in the waste container provided.
- 9. No refuse of any sort is to be thrown over the wall or hedge.
- 10. The Council reserves the right to remove any unsightly items from graves.
- 11. No dogs will be admitted (except guide dogs).

For full rules and regulations please contact the Parish Clerk on 07971 516916