



# Grave Adornments

## Seaview Cemetery

### A guide to flowers and graves

Seaview Cemetery is a place of solace and tranquility, where the beauty of the landscape is a source of comfort for all who come to visit.

We kindly ask for your support in preserving this cherished sanctuary for everyone's enjoyment by following these guidelines:

- **Thoughtful placement of flowers and plants:** Please place flowers or potted plants on the grave. This not only maintains the cemetery's aesthetic appeal but also assists our efforts in ensuring that flowers can be moved and replaced during lawn maintenance and ensures that they don't directly impact adjacent graves.
- **Avoid breakable containers:** To prevent accidents, please refrain from placing glass, ceramic, or breakable containers on the graves.
- **Other items of remembrance:** Out of consideration for all visitors, we ask that you refrain from placing items such as planters, picture frames, lanterns, toys, or any other non-floral objects on the graves.
- **Candle safety:** For everyone's safety, we kindly remind you to never place candles or any open flames, even when using containers.

Maintenance, including mowing, trimming, garbage collection, and tidying, is carried out regularly. Due to the size of the cemetery, not every area can be attended to each time maintenance takes place.

Have questions or require assistance, please contact [parks@scrd.ca](mailto:parks@scrd.ca).



### General regulations

**Caring for Flowers:** Cut flowers, wreaths, and floral arrangements may be placed on graves. These may be removed by staff when they are no longer in good condition.

**Eco-conscious choices:** To protect local wildlife, we request that you consider asking your florist to avoid using foam or plastic ornaments such as artificial berries.

**Planting restrictions:** Please refrain from planting anything on a grave or within the cemetery grounds.

### New burials

**Funeral tributes:** On the day of the service, you may place funeral flowers, wreath stands, baskets, and casket sprays on the grave.

**Grace period for funeral flowers:** We will leave these flowers in place until they begin to wilt. If you wish to preserve them, we kindly ask that you retrieve them as soon as possible.

**For more information** or to purchase a plot or niche, please contact Parks Services between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday, by phone at 604-885-6802, or email at [parks@scrd.ca](mailto:parks@scrd.ca).