



## East Ridgelaun Cemetery & Crematory

### Menorah Cemetery

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### **THE CEMETERY IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANYTHING THAT IS LEFT AT THE GRAVE SITE.**

1. The following items are **PROHIBITED** on graves: brick, stones (including crushed stone,) wire enclosures, glass containers, bushes, plants with thorns, toys, balloons, pinwheels, animal figures, open flame candles, wooden crosses or markers. **All means of enclosing a grave, including any kind of plantings or fencing is NOT ALLOWED.** The use of metal stands, legs or hooks is strictly prohibited. Any structure, planting, or decoration deemed to be offensive or improper, or if it impinges on another grave, the authorities of the cemetery shall have the right to remove said structure. This applies to the Columbarium niches as well. **NO OPEN FLAMES, including BARBECUES. NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON GROUNDS.**
2. Natural cut flowers are approved and should be kept 6 to 8 inches in front of the marker or monument. No bushes or trees are permitted. The cemetery has a large deer population that may eat the natural cut flowers, bulbs, or perennials.
3. Foundation charges are NOT included in the opening of the grave charge. Foundation charges vary according to the size of the marker or monument permitted in that section of the cemetery. A completed permit with a drawing of the monument or marker including sizes must be on the permit. The cemetery will install the foundation after approval. **A local, licensed monument dealer must set the stone. The cemetery will NOT set the stone. Individual families are NOT PERMITTED to set the stone.**
4. The American, or other national flags, are permitted. They are required to be in flag holders to protect them. If not in a flag holder, they are permitted Memorial Day to Labor Day.
5. No transfer or assignment of any grave(s) shall be valid unless the cemetery is notified by notarized letter and records are changed.
6. The cemetery disclaims all responsibility of loss or damage of any kind caused by the elements, an act of God, thieves, common enemy, vandals, strikers, explosions, unavoidable accidents, or order of any civil or military authority.
7. The cemetery has the right to change the layout of any property or walkway within the grounds as they deem requisite and proper to secure and promote the general welfare of the cemetery. The cemetery reserves the right to change the rules and regulations at any time.
8. The cemetery is **closed to visitors at 5:30 pm daily** when the front gate is locked. **That means visitors must be gone by 5:30 pm.** The back gate, Menorah, and the mausoleum are closed at 4:00 pm. The Menorah Cemetery is closed on Saturdays.
9. All Christmas decorations will be removed February 1st. Holiday specific decorations will stay for 30 days after the holiday before being removed.
10. Dogs or other pets are not permitted on cemetery grounds. Service animals allowed.

# Permitted



## WHY?

- Decorations are kept to about **18 inches** in front of the stone/foundation.
- Graves are kept neat and attended to by families
- Landscapers can access
- No broken items
- Not impeding on other's property
- No tripping hazards

# Not Permitted

## WHY?

- Decorations go passed the 18 inch mark
- Fencing, bricks, and pebbles outline grave making property impossible to reopen or reopen neighboring grave
- Outlining prevents landscapers from maintaining properly
- Pebbles this far down cause safety issues with mowers and mower-operators
- Tripping hazards for other visitors
- Broken items

**This information can be found on the back of your deed, within our price lists, on signs around the cemetery, and on our website.**

