

MEADOW GREEN

MEMORIAL PARK

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Thank you for your interest in Meadow Green Memorial Park.

To enhance the beauty of the park and for the protection of all owners and their families, we ask that everyone abide by the following rules and regulations:

Landscaping Guidelines

1. **All decorations and adornments are placed on graves at the owner's risk. Decorations, flowers and adornments not in compliance with rules and regulation listed below will be removed immediately without notification.**
2. Only one (1) bouquet of flowers, live or artificial, is allowed per grave marker in an approved vase. If no vase is available as part of the marker one (1) floral adornment (such as a standing wreath) or (1) plastic vase is allowed from April 2nd thru November 2nd.
3. For safety purposes, **no items** may be placed on the ground or sidewalk in front of or around mausoleums, or on tables or on the floor of the chapel. All flowers and adornments on mausoleums must be contained within an approved mausoleum vase, and may not extend beyond the owner's crypt space. Metal hooks and wires are prohibited due to rust and damage of crypt fronts.
4. Beginning January 1, 2011, all new monuments and memorials purchased for use at Meadow Green Memorial Park must have an approved vase attached to the monument for ease of mowing, unless matching an existing marker.
5. Cleanup and removal of all flowers and adornments on gravesites will be held on **April 2nd** and **November 2nd** of each year. (May vary due to weather conditions.) Weathered flowers and out of season adornments on mausoleums will also be removed.
6. Absolutely **no** glass jars, tin cans, ceramics, wood boxes or statuary, etc. are permitted. Benches, small flower pots (concrete, plastic or terra cotta), boxes or in-ground planting are not permitted on cemetery grounds. Trellises or fences may not be placed on lots.
7. Any item placed directly on a bronze memorial marker is at the risk of the owner. The placement of said items directly on the bronze may cause discoloration, which the cemetery is not responsible for.
8. All artificial decorations should carry a weatherproof tag indicating the name of the deceased, section, lot and grave number.

9. We recommend that all bronze vases be inverted to prevent freezing and cracking during the winter months. Failure to do so is at the owner's risk.
10. Absolutely no plantings, stones, edging, curbing, or rock may be added to gravesite and will be removed. The risk of injury is high, along with damage to equipment. Spraying of grass & weed chemicals will be administered by cemetery personnel only.
11. The use of (1) one American flag per single grave or per crypt or niche is allowed at any time of the year, with the following restrictions: Maximum size 11" x 17"; Plastic or fabric material attached to a wood or plastic staff; Staff height shall not exceed 30". If a bronze vase is available, flags must be securely placed within flower arrangements. If flag is in contact with ground it will be removed as per guidelines accepted by 'Flag Etiquette'. Meadow Green Memorial Park retains the right to remove any flag that is offensive or has become worn/weathered and unsightly. Replacement flags are available in the Main Office.
12. We recommend, but not mandatory, that Veteran Bronze Flag Holders be placed on the grave one (1) day before holiday(s) and should be picked up within two (2) days after holiday(s) for safe keeping during the mowing season of April 2nd and November 2nd. If left all year long, the possibility of damage or theft may occur. Small flags are quickly desecrated due to wind, rain and snow; therefore, proper and timely placement is important. If not able to be removed by owner weekly, special brackets are available or the bronze flag staff must be inserted and secured in Styrofoam.

Visitor Rules

1. Visitors shall abide by all signs posted on cemetery grounds.
2. Visitors are required to be appropriately dresses; Shirts and shoes are required.
3. Sun bathing is not allowed.
4. Pets are not allowed on the cemetery grounds or in any of the cemetery buildings.
5. Parents should carefully monitor children at all times.
6. Anyone younger than 16 years of age must be accompanied by a responsible adult.
7. Parking is available along the cemetery roadways and at the main office building.
8. The speed limit on any cemetery road is 20 mph.
9. No littering is allowed. Trash receptacles are placed throughout the cemetery.
10. Individuals who vandalize will be prosecuted.
11. Alcoholic beverages are prohibited on cemetery property.