### **Burial searches**

Burial records for both Redstone and Reigate Cemeteries are kept at the Town Hall. We are able to help those tracing their family tree by producing a list of people buried with a particular surname, as well as plans showing where specific graves are located. Please contact the Cemeteries Officer on 01737 276000 if you have any queries or require assistance tracing a grave.

## **Cemetery opening times**

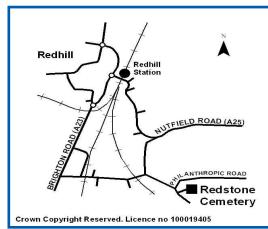
The Cemetery is open to the public every day of the year from 7.30am with pedestrian access available until dusk. The Cemetery is closed to vehicles after 4.30pm on weekdays but remains open until dusk at the weekends and Public Holidays.

# Office opening times

For all enquiries and appointments, please contact the Cemetery Officer on 01737 276000 Monday to Friday 9am to 4.30pm. An answerphone is available if your call cannot be answered personally. Alternatively, you may send an email to cemeteries@reigate-banstead.gov.uk or write to the Cemetery Officer, Town Hall, Castlefield Road,

Reigate RH2 0SH.

Please be aware that the Cemetery Officer is often with families and may not be at the cemetery or able to answer the phone. Please make an appointment should you wish to meet with him at the cemetery.



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### Introduction

Opened in 1932, Redstone Cemetery is located in Redhill, Surrey. Set on a hillside in 16 acres of colourful well-tended open countryside, it offers

magnificent views over Surrey and Sussex from its elevated position.



The ambience of the cemetery is one of tranquility and natural beauty, with many visitors frequently returning to visit the resting place of their loved one, to tend memorials, leave flowers or simply to feel comforted.

# Chapel

The Cemetery Chapel is available to people of all faiths for funeral or memorial services. The chapel seats 75 and is equipped with an organ and music facilities for both CD and tape. There is also pushchair/wheelchair access.

## Types of burial plots

The cemetery comprises of 18 sections with burial options for traditional graves, lawn graves, cremated remains and a children's section. You are also able to select a specific plot for immediate or future interments, subject to availability and your requirements.

# **Traditional graves**

Traditional graves cover the entire plot, so you are allowed to erect kerbstones or enclosures the full length and width of the grave space. Traditional graves allow for the planting of flowers and shrubs depending on the type of memorial. Cremated remains as well as coffins may be interred in this type of grave.

## Lawn graves

Graves on lawn sections are only allowed to use the first three feet from the back of the headstone in which to plant bedding or shrubs. The remainder of the grave is maintained as lawn and mown at the Council's expense. Cremated remains as well as coffins may be interred in this type of grave.

# **Child graves**

There is a dedicated children's section at Redstone Cemetery. There traditional graves are half the size of a normal grave space and are only for the interment of children.

### **Cremated remains memorial schemes**

A number of cremation memorial schemes have been introduced to meet individual requirements. These include various engraved granite tablets, memorial trees and pergola memorial roses. Please contact the Cemeteries Manager for more information.

# **Babies memorial garden**

Reigate & Banstead Borough Council developed the memorial feature in partnership with Surrey SANDS and Surrey & Sussex Healthcare Trust. Opened in 2003, the garden features a granite fountain, duck and bear seats and individual cast iron plaques.

