

**MINUTES OF THE BRIGHSTONE PARISH COUNCIL CEMETERY COMMITTEE
ON WEDNESDAY 8TH OCTOBER 2025**

PRESENT : Cllr J Cirrone, Cllr D Wavell, Cllr D Alldred and Cllr T Prior

Mrs J Walker (Clerk & Registrar)

1. APOLOGISES

None

2. CLERK'S REPORT

All records are up to date. There were no other issues to report.

3. EXPENDITURE AND INCOME TO DATE FOR 2025/26:

The accounts summary up to 30th September 2025 had been prior circulated and showed an income of £400.00 and an expenditure of £589.55 ex VAT

4. REPORT ON PURCHASED GRAVE SPACES, INTERMENTS and HEADSTONES FOR 2025/26 TO DATE:

Full plot reservations

Ashes plot reservations

1 Full plot interment

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Full Headstone

Ashes Tablet

5. REPORT ON CEMETERY MAINTENANCE:

The hedge on the eastern side of the cemetery which were very overgrown has been cutback and all other hedges surrounding the cemetery have also been cutback.

The bench has broken slats and the joints are going. It needs to be replaced.

The gates may need polishing.

7. OTHER MATTERS.

Another request for a burial plot, previously refused, had been received from a resident. The resident lives in Yafford, which is not in Brighstone Parish, is considering moving to Brighstone. Following discussion councillors resolved to refuse the request but the resident could reapply when they have moved to Brighstone. The resident would be informed.

There being no other business the Chairman closed the meeting at 7.27pm.