WELCOME TO NORWOOD PARK

SINCE 1966, NORWOOD PARK HAS PROVIDED A BEAUTIFUL AND TRANQUIL SETTING FOR MEMORIALS AND CEREMONIES IN THE ACT. THE LANDSCAPED GROUNDS SIT ELEVATED ABOVE CANBERRA AND ARE ONE OF AUSTRALIA’S MOST ESTABLISHED MEMORIAL PARKS.

OUR SERVICES
Norwood Park is a fully-serviced crematorium and memorial park. Ceremonies take place in our indoor and outdoor chapels with the option to have catering afterwards. The gardens situated in our beautiful grounds provide many memorial options.

WHY A MEMORIAL?
Memorials provide a place to visit and focus on the life of a loved one. They are a place to visit during grief, on anniversaries and important dates. Designing a memorial can help to complete the natural process of grieving for many people. A memorial is an important way to express love and respect for a person and to reflect on their life in a lasting and thoughtful way.

CONTACT US
To arrange an appointment, enquire about services or arrange a guided tour of the gardens, phone 02 6241 3177 or email us at info@norwoodpark.com.au
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CENTENARY ROOM
CATERING VENUE
Light refreshments are available in our Centenary Room for after service functions.

Catering is also available for services held in the Outdoor Chapel.

NORWOOD PARK CHAPEL
PEACEFUL LIGHT FILLED ROOM WITH FLOOR TO CEILING WINDOWS
Seats 140 guests

OUTDOOR CHAPEL
SPECTACULAR VIEWS OF MT MAJURA Seats 150 guests
BLUE WREN WAY
PRETTY BLOSSOM TREES IN SPRING
Memorials available:
SANDSTONE ROCKS  Up to four memorial positions
GARDEN ROCKS Single or double memorial positions

BRINDABELLA WAY
AN AVENUE OF EVERGREEN AND DECIDUOUS TREES
Memorials available:
LARGE GARDEN ROCK  Up to four memorial positions

CASUARINA PARK
A MIXTURE OF CASUARINA AND MAPLE TREES
Memorials available:
DOUBLE PLINTH Positions
CASUARINA PARK
ROSE GARDEN
Memorials available:
GARDEN EDGE Single memorial with plaque mounted on the garden edge

DRY WATER COURSE
LOWER SECTION
Memorials available:
GARDEN EDGE Single memorial with plaque mounted on the garden edge

EAGLE NEST
A ROSE GARDEN WITH LARGE EAGLE SCULPTURE AS A FOCAL POINT
Memorials available:
GARDEN EDGE Single memorial with plaque mounted on the garden edge
EX-SERVICE REMEMBRANCE WALL
MEMORIAL WALL FOR THOSE WHO HAVE SERVED
Memorials available:
WALL SPACE Single niche with mounted plaque, optional bud vase
Documentary evidence of Service must be provided

FAMILY ESTATES
PRESTIGIOUS FAMILY ESTATES WITH GENEROUS SPACE TO ACCOMMODATE TWO OR MORE POSITIONS
Memorials available:
Rock and plinth positions available

HEADLAND MEMORIAL WALK
SITUATED ON THE TOP OF THE HILL WITH GARDEN AND MOUNTAIN VIEWS
Memorials available:
SMALL PLINTH single position DOUBLE PLINTH two positions GARDEN EDGE Single memorial with plaque mounted on the garden edge
KOOKABURRA ROSE GARDEN
A COLOURFUL SELECTION OF
STANDARD AND BUSH ROSES
Memorial Available:
GARDEN EDGE single memorial
with plaque mounted on garden edge

MAJOR MITCHELL ROSE GARDEN
FOR LOVERS OF FRAGRANT AND
COLOURFUL ROSES
Memorials available:
GARDEN EDGE single memorial with
plaque mounted on garden edge

MAPLE AVENUE
AN AVENUE OF BEAUTIFUL MAPLE
TREES PROVIDING SPECTACULAR
AUTUMN COLOUR
Memorials available:
GARDEN ROCK one to four
memorial positions
PIioneer Wall
Set in attractive gardens
Memorials available:
Wall niche
Single and companion niche with mounted plaque

Rosella Walk
A wandering garden path lined with box hedge
Memorials available:
Small black granite desk
Single position
Large black granite desk
Double position

Serenity Way
Memorial wall with a panoramic lawn view
Memorials available:
Wall niche
Single and companion niche with mounted plaques
SIR JOSEPH BANKS WALK
SECLUDED NATIVE GARDEN STREWING AREA
Peaceful area set aside for scattering of ashes

SISTERS ELIZABETH KENNY AND MARY DE LACY WALLS
WALL MEMORIALS SITUATED NEAR THE OFFICE
Memorials available:
WALL SPACE single niche with mounted plaque, optional bud vase

TALL TREES GARDEN
GARDEN WITH MATURE EUCALYPT TREES AND NATIVE PLANTS
Memorials available:
GARDEN ROCK
Single or double memorial positions
**TEDDY BEAR GARDEN**

**BABY MEMORIAL GARDEN**

Memorials available:
Small teddy bear or butterfly plaque mounted on sandstone wall

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**THE SQUARE**

A FORMAL GARDEN DESIGN WITH BLOSSOM TREES IN SPRING

Memorials available:
LARGE PLINTH
Up to four memorial positions
GARDEN ROCK
One or two memorial positions
GARDEN EDGE
Single memorial with plaque

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**TREE OF MEMORIES**

MEMORIAL TREE SITUATED IN SIR JOSEPH BANKS WALK

Memorials available:
TREE OF MEMORIES
Leaf plaque is displayed on the tree, mounted on the wall

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YAPUNYAH CREEK
A TRANQUIL CREEK FEATURING A PICTURESQUE GARDEN DESIGN
Memorials available:
GARDEN EDGE single memorial with plaque mounted on garden edge

WATERFALL GARDEN
EUROPEAN STYLE GARDEN WITH LARGE URN AS FOCAL POINT
Memorials available:
DOUBLE PLINTH will accommodate two memorial positions

WATERVIEW
A SPACIOUS MEMORIAL GARDEN OFFERING A WATER VIEW
Memorials available:
LARGE GARDEN ROCK will accommodate up to four memorial positions
BRONZE MEMORIAL PLAQUES

The Norwood Park team offer expert advice on a wide range of bronze plaques suitable for memorials. They can also be used for a loved one at a private location.

GARDEN EDGING
There are various edging plaques used in different locations throughout our grounds.

PLINTH AND ROCK PLAQUES
There is a large selection of plaque designs available for our rock and plinth memorials.

WALL AND TREE OF MEMORIES PLAQUES
Each wall requires a specific size plaque that is unique for that wall.
URNS AND KEEPSAKES
We have a large display of traditional and contemporary urns, keepsakes and scattering options in our display room. Please see the full catalogue on our website, or come in and speak with one of our staff who can assist you.

TRADITIONAL URNS
Many of our traditional urns come in a variety of sizes. Some have matching keepsake urns available for separate purchase.

SCATTERING TUBES & ECO URNS
Scattering tubes of various designs and sizes are available. There are environmentally friendly and innovative choices when it comes to creating a meaningful farewell for your loved one.

KEEPSAFE URNS AND JEWELLERY
We have a selection of small keepsake urns and jewellery pieces in stock, or we can order something in for you.

FOR LITTLE ONES
We have a selection of urns and keepsakes especially chosen for families who have lost a child.
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What happens to handles and other fittings on the coffin?
Handles and fittings are removed and discarded as they are not suitable for cremation.

Can I get the handles and fittings back?
Yes, please inform your Funeral Director of your wishes.

What about precious and other metals?
The temperature which a modern cremator operates is between 800°C and 1000°C. Metals are destroyed and have no salvage value. Any metallic material resulting from a cremation is disposed of in accordance with the cremation act.

Can relatives witness the committal of the coffin into the crematorium?
Yes, the necessary arrangements can be made with your Funeral Director.

How can I be assured that I receive the correct ashes?
There is strict protocol in place throughout the cremation process. Each cremation chamber will only accept one coffin. All remains are kept separate at all times.

What happens to the ashes after cremation?
Ashes are placed in an urn, labelled and cared for in a secure area until we receive instructions from the applicant of the cremation.

Is it possible to divide the ashes?
Yes, please notify your Funeral Director or the Norwood Park Office of your wishes.

When can the ashes be collected?
The ashes are available for collection two days after the cremation takes place (excluding weekends). Please note that 24 hours’ notice is required before collection.

How long are the ashes held at the crematorium?
Norwood Park cares for the ashes up to twelve months.

What type of urn are the ashes in?
The ashes are provided in a standard industry urn. However, it is possible to purchase an urn, please see catalogue on our website.

Can the ashes be posted?
Yes, the ashes can be posted within Australia. Ashes cannot be posted overseas.

Can the ashes be scattered on Norwood Park grounds?
Yes, the ashes can be scattered in our Sir Joseph Banks garden. Please call our office to make arrangements.

Do I need to use a Funeral Director?
The best advice would be yes. Funeral Directors provide the necessary documentation required for cremation, coffins, transportation of the deceased and arrangements for the service.

Where can the funeral service be held?
The service can take place at Norwood Park’s indoor or outdoor chapel. Alternatively there are many other venue options throughout Canberra. Your Funeral Director will be able to provide these options for you.

Can I play media during the service?
Yes, please visit our media page on our website or discuss with your Funeral Director.

Do you offer any catering or after service functions?
Yes, by booking a service in the Norwood Park Chapel, you are entitled to use the Centenary catering room. A minimum of 30 people is required and there are several catering packages available. Please note the Chapel times are linked to the catering room times. For more information on this, or how to book catering, please contact your Funeral Director.

What types of memorials are available?
Norwood Park has a variety of memorial gardens that provide both peace and tranquillity. Please refer to the memorial pages for more information.

Can a memorial be purchased before it is needed?
Yes, memorial reservations can be pre-paid. Please call our office for further information.

Can a pre-paid cremation be purchased?
Yes, please contact us via email info@norwoodpark.com.au or call our office on (02) 6241 3177 for enquiries.
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The grounds are open daily from sunrise to sunset.