

Grave Decorations & Monthly Grounds Care Notice

At Antelope Valley Cemetery District, we deeply appreciate the love, and care families show through grave decorations. These personal tributes are a meaningful expression of remembrance, and we are honored to help care for this sacred place.

To maintain a safe, beautiful, and well-kept cemetery for all visitors, **all grave decorations will be removed on the last Wednesday of each month** to allow for complete grounds maintenance and detailed mowing.

Decoration removal is suspended during October, November, and December to allow families additional time to celebrate and remember their loved ones during the holiday season.

Families who wish to keep their decorations are encouraged to retrieve them **before the last Wednesday of the month**. Decorations may be returned at any time the following week.

Please note that **all decorations remaining on removal day will be removed**, and items left behind cannot be retained by the cemetery.

Thank you for your understanding and for partnering with us in preserving the beauty and dignity of our cemetery.

As a reminder:

- Fresh cut flowers are encouraged. Artificial flowers may be used during periods of extreme weather.
- Flowers and decorations will be removed on scheduled cleanup dates posted by the District.
- Decorations that become unsightly or interfere with maintenance operations or create safety hazards are prohibited. Prohibited items include, but are not limited to borders, fencing, potted plants, plant stands, bridges, beads, rocks, balloons, spinners, solar lights, statues, and items constructed of glass, ceramic, or metal.
- Planting trees, shrubs, flowers, or vegetation anywhere on cemetery grounds is prohibited unless expressly authorized by the District Manager.
- Individuals interested in purchasing a Memorial Tree should contact the District Office during regular business hours.
- The Antelope Valley Cemetery District shall not be responsible for the loss, theft, damage, or removal of flowers, decorations, or personal items placed on graves or cemetery property.