

\*\*DO NOT LEAVE VALUABLES IN YOUR VEHICLE\*\*\*

# **Flower and Decoration Policy**

To preserve the beauty of Bellevue Memorial Park for all families and visitors, please observe the following rules:

• Each interment site (ground, crypt or niche) is provided with one flower vase. Each family is responsible to maintain their flower vase. Replacement vases are available at cemetery office if original vase is unusable or missing.

#### • ALL FLOWERS AND DECORATIONS WILL BE REMOVED ON THE "MOWING DAY" SHOWN BELOW. ALSO, SEE MOWING SCHEDULE SIGN AT CEMETERY ENTRANCE AND COLOR CODED CURBS AROUND EACH SECTION. Full maps also available in cemetery office.

• Flowers and decorations should be removed only by the owner of the property and/or the cemetery staff.

The following decorations are <u>not permitted</u> at any time and will be removed immediately:

- Anything attached to cemetery trees, shrubs and/or walls
- Trenching around grave or markers
- · Fences or borders of any kind around interment sites
- Planter boxes, stones, glass/ceramic items, ornaments, statues and solar lights
- No decorations should encroach on interment sites owned by others
- Alcoholic beverages / containers

# For safety and courtesy, the following items and activities are not permitted at any time:

- Personal tents, canopies, food, music, drinks or barbecuing
- No alcohol on cemetery grounds at anytime
- Balls, bats and other sports equipment are prohibited

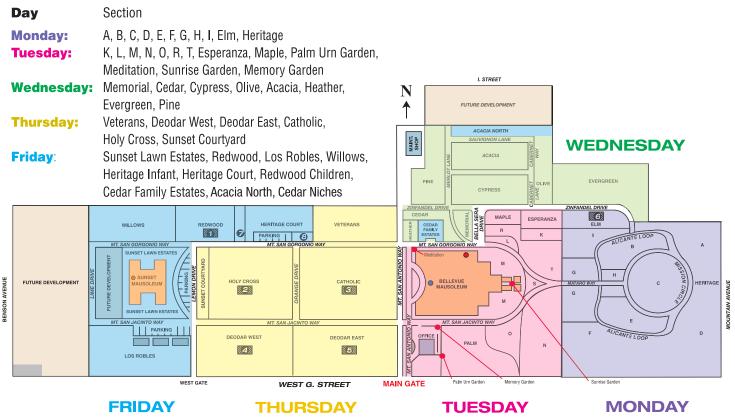
Decorative (artificial) Christmas trees are allowed only during the holiday schedule in December and are subject to the holiday schedule removal policy. Trees must not exceed **4ft in height**.

#### **Cemetery Grounds Daily Visiting Hours:**

7:30 AM to 5:45PM (gates close) – PDT 7:30 AM to 4:45PM (gates close) – PST

Mausoleum Buildings Daily Visiting Hours: 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM

ALL FLOWERS AND DECORATIONS WILL BE REMOVED ON THE MOWING DAYS INDICATED ON THIS MAP \* Removal and mowing may be delayed/cancelled due to rain.





# Floral/Decoration Holiday Schedule Days for 2024

\*\*\*WARNING\*\*\*

During the dates below, no lawns will be mowed. During warm weather (regardless of season) the grass will grow very quickly and it will be very long.

Valentine's Day, Wedne	<u>esday, February</u>	<u>, 14, 2024</u>
Placement by Family be	aine	

Placement by Family begins	Saturday, February 10, 2024
Removal of decorations by cemetery crew. Regular mowing schedule restarts	Monday, February 19, 2024
Easter, <u>Sunday, March 31, 2024</u>	
Placement by Family begins	Saturday, March 30, 2024
Removal of decorations by cemetery crew. Regular mowing schedule restarts	Monday, April 8, 2024
Mother's Day, <u>Sunday, May 12, 2024</u>	
Placement by Family begins	Saturday, May 11, 2024
Removal of decorations by cemetery crew. Regular mowing schedule restarts	Monday, May 20, 2024
Memorial Day, Monday, May 27, 2024 – Annual Celebration Program at Be	llevue.
Placement by Family begins	Saturday, May 25, 2024
Removal of decorations by cemetery crew. Regular mowing schedule restarts	Monday, June 3, 2024
Flag Day, Friday, June 14, 2024 – Placement of American flags allowed.	
Important – Cemetery personnel not involved in placement/pick up of America	n Flags on this day. Families are
responsible for placement and removal before next mowing day in each section.	
Father's Day, <u>Sunday, June 16, 2024</u>	
Placement by Family begins	Saturday, June 15, 2024
Removal of decorations by cemetery crew. Regular mowing schedule restarts	Monday, June 24, 2024
Halloween, Thursday, October 31, 2024 / All Souls, Saturday, November	
Placement by Family begins	Saturday, October 26, 2024
Removal of decorations by cemetery crew. Regular mowing schedule restarts	Monday, November 4, 2024
Veterans Day, Monday, November 11, 2024 – Placement of American flags a	
Placement of flags by cemetery personel	Saturday, November 9, 2024
Removal of decorations by cemetery crew. Regular mowing schedule restarts	Tuesday, November 12, 2024
Thanksgiving, <u>Thursday, November 28, 2024</u>	
Placement by Family begins	Saturday, November 23, 2024
Removal of decorations by cemetery crew. Regular mowing schedule restarts	Monday, December 2, 2024
Christmas Day, <u>Wednesday, December 25, 2024</u>	
Placement by Family begins	Saturday, December 14, 2024
Removal of decorations by cemetery crew. Regular mowing schedule restarts	Monday, January 6, 2025
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Special Flowers and decorations should not be placed until the dates indicated above, otherwise they will be disposed of during weekly maintenance. Removal of floral and decorations by cemetery personnel will begin early morning on the cemetery removal date listed above. Please retrieve your decorations prior to posted date above or they will be discarded during maintenance activities. Pay careful attention to dates posted because <u>"going through cemetery trash containers for any reason is NOT ALLOWED AT ANYTIME."</u> Be aware replacement of flowers and decorations is not allowed until after 3:00pm on your mowing day.

Please remember that the placement by families of flowers and decorations at any location inside cemetery grounds is done at the family's risk. Bellevue Memorial Park is not responsible for lost, stolen, discarded or disturbed items under any circumstances.