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Maintenance works scheduled for Cemetery

The next maintenance clean-up at the Corryong Cemetery is scheduled to take place during the week commencing 4 April 2016. Regular visitors to the Corryong Cemetery are encouraged to consider what items may need to be removed from gravesites ahead of this time.

“Regular maintenance ensures that the cemetery is a dignified, safe and peaceful place for visitors year-round,” explained Towong Shire Council Mayor, Cr David Wortmann.

The Corryong Cemetery’s Floral and Memento Displays Policy allows for fresh and artificial flowers to be left at gravesites and families are requested to remove them as they become withered or discoloured. Fragile breakable items, objects that could cause a risk to health or safety and structures or plants are not allowed on gravesites.

“It is important that tributes left at gravesites enhance the cemetery’s peaceful environment,” said Cr Wortmann. “The Floral and Memento Displays Policy assists everyone, Council as well as visitors, to ensure that the cemetery is maintained sensitively and appropriately”.