

Clyde Coast and
Garnock Valley
Crematorium



A different
funeral
experience



We are here to help you at a time of need, with compassion and respect

Our tranquil setting offers comfort, space and light

Options for music, photographs, slideshows and live streaming



Losing someone close to you can be a scary and lonely experience

The team at Clyde Coast & Garnock Valley Crematorium have a wealth of experience and are compassionate and caring. We offer practical support, attention to detail and respect for your choices. We work alongside your funeral director so you can be assured that your goodbye will be a fitting and personal one.



Our commitment to you

This may be the first time you have arranged a funeral and it can be very daunting. We will work with you and your funeral director, so you do not feel overwhelmed by all the arrangements that need to be made.

We are here to support you at every stage of the funeral and afterwards





We can give you the time you need to reflect and remember

Every family is unique, and our service options reflect that.

Celebration of Life Service

Each service is allocated one hour, so there's no rush. Tailor your service in our Ceremony Hall by choosing music that is just right and displaying photographs or videos of your time together. The service can be live streamed to those unable to attend or recorded to look back on later. Our staff will help you say goodbye in a way that is personal to your family.

Serenity Service at 9.30am or 4pm

For those who choose a quiet, simple goodbye, with up to 20 close family and friends in attendance, we offer 20 minutes of gentle, peaceful time to reflect and remember a loved one. There is time for 3 pieces of music, a short eulogy or poem and words of committal.

Sunrise Service

An unattended service. We will take your loved one into our care when Clyde Coast & Garnock Crematorium is still and the only movement is that of the wildlife who have made this their home. Whilst music plays gently in the background, our Ceremony Co-ordinator will say words of committal as our voile curtain closes gently around your loved one in a final embrace.

Memorial Services

Our Ceremony Hall can be used to hold a Memorial Service. You may be planning a burial or maybe the cremation has already taken place. The Ceremony Hall with its music and visual tribute facilities can all be made available to you for a Service of Remembrance.

Double Service

If you feel that an hour is not enough time to say your goodbyes, we can extend the service time by a further hour.

2 Family Members to Share 1 Service

We are aware that sometimes a family can sadly lose 2 family members within a very short space of time. They can both share the service time within the Ceremony Hall and have their lives celebrated together.

Choosing pieces of music that reflect the life and interests of a person is the ultimate way to personalise the service

We understand that music is such an important part of the funeral service, and we work hard to find the music that means the most to your loved one. Our ever-growing library offers access to millions of tracks.

To access the music library visit www.wesleymedia.co.uk, select the Music Library tab, and then search by artist or title. If you can't see the music you are looking for, we will do all we can to find it so please give us as much notice as possible to avoid disappointment.

Hymns

Traditional hymns remain very popular with families, and we have a beautiful Allen Organ in our Ceremony Hall. Your Funeral Director can arrange for an organist to play for you. Alternatively, we can provide either an organ or choral backing for hymns using our digital music system.

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We offer options to display photos, videos and recorded tributes on screens at the front of the Ceremony Hall. Images can capture those moments words alone cannot describe

We have several styles to suit you. All you have to do is inform your Funeral Director of your preferences. Visual Tributes are time sensitive, so give yourself an appropriate amount of time to arrange this.

Single Image

a favourite photo of your special person displayed throughout the service.

Slideshow

up to 25 photos displayed on a loop during the service

Slideshow With Music

a professionally edited video, set to music and featuring up to 25 photos or video snippets shown at a moment you choose.

Family Video

we can play pieces personally recorded by family and friends including songs, poems or eulogies at a time of your choosing during the service.



Share the service with others and preserve the memories forever

When someone can't attend a funeral, we make sure they can still be part of the service. Our Webcast facility enables people to watch in real time and then for 7 days following the service. All they need is a phone, tablet or laptop and a good internet connection. Every Webcast service is recorded, so you can request a recording for up to 3 months after the service.

Keepsakes

We offer elegantly presented recordings of the full service or the visual tribute on DVD or USB.

Alternatively, the service recording can be sent to you as simple email link which can be downloaded to a computer and shared with family and friends.



The day of the service

We work very closely with your Funeral Director, so we are fully aware of the arrangements you have made with them. Our dedicated Ceremony Co-Ordinator will ensure every detail is carried out as you would wish it. You may arrive in limousines with the cortège, in which case you will be directed into the service by your Funeral Director. If you choose to travel in your own car, we have ample parking including 8 blue badge spaces.

We have a spacious, comfortable waiting room with toilet facilities for family and friends who arrive early.

The Ceremony Hall seats 154 and, if you need to welcome more people, the service can be relayed in the waiting room.

As the service to celebrate a life begins, the coffin rests front and centre of the Ceremony Hall, framed by our beautiful picture window.

The Curtains

We understand how difficult families find it as the curtain closes. You will see something very different at Clyde Coast & Garnock Valley Crematorium. Our delicate voile curtains gently and quietly wrap around your loved one in a final embrace. If you choose not to close the curtain, that's fine, we understand.

At the end of the service

As the service ends you will be led out of the Ceremony Hall by our Ceremony Co-ordinator and your Funeral Director. With an hour between services there is plenty of time to talk to your friends and family and look at the flowers round our pond before you move on to the next part of your day.

Flowers

At the end of the service any floral tributes will be placed around our pond where they will be displayed for 7 days. If you wish to view or collect the flowers at any time during those 7 days you are very welcome to.



The cremation process

If you have any questions relating to the cremation process, our experienced staff would be very happy to answer them for you. The crematorium is a member of the Institute of Cemetery and Crematorium Management, a nationally recognised governing body whose aims are to raise standards for bereaved people through the promotion of accredited education, training and standards in the sector. You can be

confident that whilst your loved one is in our care they will receive the respect and reverence we would give our own family members.

After the service

One of the choices you will be asked to make is around caring for the ashes after the cremation has taken place. Your Funeral Director will talk you through the options.

You may wish to keep the ashes with you at home, or you may work with your Funeral Director to take them to a place that your family has decided upon. We are happy to care for the ashes for 4 weeks following the date of the service.

Some families choose the Sleeping Warrior Memorial Garden here at the crematorium as the final resting place for the ashes and there are many options available to you.

After the service we will send you a leaflet with some of our memorial options and when you feel ready, we can make an appointment to walk you around the garden. You will see some of the choices made by other families and we can guide you through the process of laying your loved one to rest, either with a personal memorial or without.

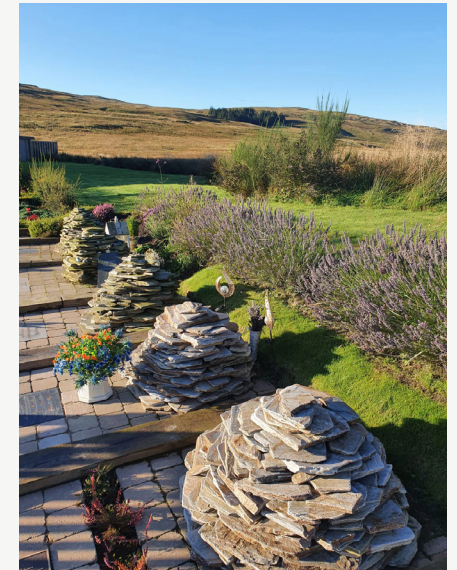


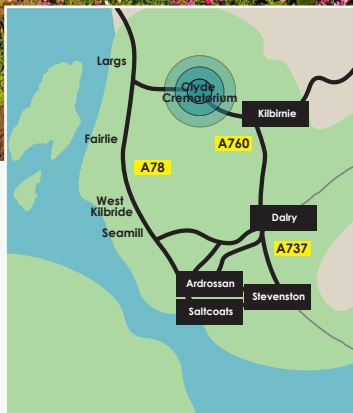
Location

Clyde Coast & Garnock Valley Crematorium is situated in the outstanding Clyde Muirshiel Regional Park, on the A760 Largs-Kilbirnie Road, 5 minutes from Largs and 7 minutes from Kilbirnie.

The building sits in 10 acres of grass and farmland, home to a variety of animal species, including sheep, cattle and nesting birds which can be seen in neighbouring fields through the full size picture window during services.

We would encourage you to visit the crematorium before the funeral takes place to put your mind at rest and help you envisage how things will work on the day. We ask that you ring us to make an appointment. We are here to help.



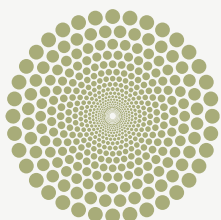


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