

On 18 May 2020, at 08:27, FOI (TWBC) <FOI@tunbridgewells.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear Mr Mitchell,

Re: FOI F08884

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request.

Please find below the response to your recent request. The information has been provided by our Bereavement Team.

Your request:

In the calendar year 2019: Jan – Dec

1. How many cremations did you undertake in total at Kent and Sussex Crematorium? **2338**
2. How many cremation funeral services took place in the Crematorium Chapel? **1614**
3. How many cremation funeral services took place in the Cemetery Chapel? **387**

If you are unable to provide exact numbers for questions 2 and 3, please provide an estimate of the proportion of cremation funeral services which took place in each chapel.

4. How many Direct Cremations did you undertake? **337**
5. How many cremation funeral services took place on Saturdays? **0**
6. How many cremation funeral services took place on Sundays? **0**
7. How many cremation funeral services took place on Bank Holidays? **0**
8. How many weekday morning cremation funeral services took place at the reduced fee?
Reduced rates are available in the crematorium chapel at 9, 9.30, 16.00, 16.30 total reduced rate services 154

If you are unable to provide exact numbers, please provide informed estimates.

I hope this information is helpful and if there is anything further I can help with please contact me on 01892 554077 or via email to foi@tunbridgewells.gov.uk

If you are dissatisfied with the information provided or the way in which we have dealt with your request, you can request a review. Please write to Patricia Narebor, Head of Legal Partnership and Monitoring Officer at the Town Hall, Royal Tunbridge Wells, Kent, TN1 1RS or via e-mail to Monitoring.Officer@Tunbridgewells.gov.uk requesting a review of the decision.

We will aim to deal with your request within 20 working days. If you remain dissatisfied following our review, you can then appeal to the Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

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