

The Old Cemetery

The Old Cemetery is an overgrown Victorian-era section of Boston cemetery alongside the Maud Foster Drain. Originally laid out in 1855, the first portion of the cemetery has been preserved as a Natural Conservation Area and provides a completely unique opportunity to experience natural walks, ancient structures and old chapels of the cemetery left to their original form.

The preservation of the area allows the old section of the cemetery to be 'given back to nature' and provides a space for new life to grow and new forms of wildlife to live. A truly unique place, just north of the centre of Boston.



Nearby attractions

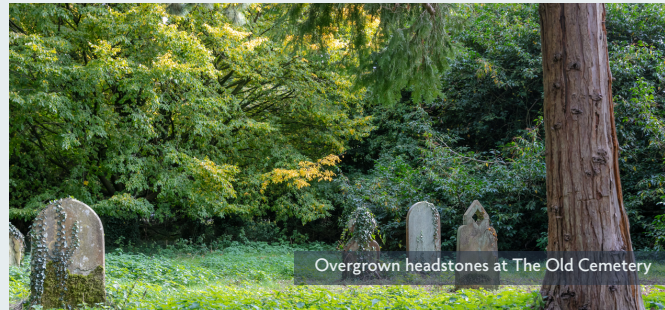
Why not visit the nearby [Maud Foster Mill](#), just a short 10-minute walk along the Maud Foster drain and get more out of your visit?

Entering The Old Cemetery on foot from Horncastle Road and you reach The Old Cemetery gates, waiting for you to uncover the local history.



Ancient trees

The unconventional beauty of Boston's Old Cemetery is a combination of the new and old, giving a truly unique place to enjoy a walk in a stunning green space, without losing the important history within its grounds. A towering formation of ancient trees cover the entrance way to the park with overgrown headstones and branching grass footpaths to allow visitors to appreciate the variety of naturally grown wildlife.



Grab a bite to eat



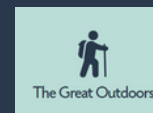
[Boston Lock Café](#) is a short 10-minute walk from Fenside Woods, heading south along the river Witham, crossing at The Grand Sluice.

Getting here

If you're visiting the Old Cemetery by car, use the main Boston Cemetery entrance from Marian Road and walk through to the original grounds. If accessing the cemetery by foot, why not visit through the original cemetery gates off Horncastle Road (PE21 9HY) and enter straight into the transportive overgrown grounds.



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Park Map



Explore and discover Boston's
stunning green spaces





Witham Way Country Park

Pedestrian Entrance

Red Cap Lane

The Old Mortuary

War Memorial

The Old Chapel

Boston Crematorium

Dion's Wood Nature Reserve

Public Entrance

Horncastle Road

MAUD FOSTER DRAIN

Willoughby Road

Forest Dale

--- Footpath

P Car park

♿ Toilets

i Information point

100 metres

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