

# Peter Tobin

## FUNERALS



## Goods & Services *Price List*

A practical guide to funeral services, options & prices

**BALLARAT**

## INTRODUCTION

At Peter Tobin Funerals, we recognise that a funeral is an important way for families and communities to celebrate the life, culture and interests of those we have loved. Assisting your family with arranging a funeral requires the input of a team of caring, creative and professional staff and often involves many days of preparation and planning, as well as several hours of involvement from a number of staff on the day of the funeral itself. We are committed to guiding you through this difficult time and trust our service and care meet your expectations of us.

This booklet is provided for your information in accordance with the Funerals Act 2006. In order to provide you with the best advice possible and ensure that a funeral meets your individual family requirements, we strongly recommend that you discuss your funeral needs with one of our professionally trained staff at no obligation or cost.



**James MacLeod OAM**  
Managing Director

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### *What is the role of the Funeral Planner?*

In much the same way that a wedding planner coordinates and oversees all aspects of a wedding, our Funeral Planners will coordinate the practical aspects of a funeral such as care of the deceased, coordination of funeral bookings and assistance with celebratory and personalisation aspects such as music and photographs that reflect the life of the deceased.

### *What is the cost of a funeral?*

This question is difficult to answer without an explanation and understanding of the many personal choices which are made throughout the process of arranging a funeral. There are generally 3 main components associated with the cost of a funeral: (please see pages 3 & 4 for a more detailed explanation)

1. Professional Service Fee
2. Third Party Fees
3. GST

### *What are the terms of payment & options?*

Payment of third party fees is requested prior to the date of the funeral. The final account is posted within a few days of the funeral. Payment is due within 10 days from the receipt of the account. We appreciate that for some families payment of the final account may present some difficulties and therefore we may agree on a payment plan in some instances.

## FUNERAL EXPENSES

Our funeral account is made up of **three** components:

### **1. TOBIN BROTHERS PROFESSIONAL SERVICE FEE**

Tobin Brothers Professional Service fee incorporates the various tasks and services typically involved in arranging, planning and conducting a funeral.

#### **Our Professional Service fee includes:**

- *Guidance, expertise, care and attention from a team of professionally trained staff (available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year).*
- *Transfer of the deceased from the place of death into our care during business hours.*
- *Mortuary care by experienced and qualified embalming staff at one of our accredited mortuary facilities.*
- *Availability of our Doveton Park Funeral Centre for the initial arrangement meeting, the viewing and/or vigil for the service and refreshments.*
- *Placement of death and funeral notices in the newspapers and on our website: **www.tobinbrothers.com.au***
- *Registration of death with the Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages.*
- *Making arrangements with all third parties.*
- *All necessary staff, one hearse and a mourning coach on the day of the funeral.*
- *Webcast of service, when choosing a chapel service.*
- *Advice and support following the funeral.*

#### **Our Professional Service fee excludes:**

- *"After hours" - transfer of the deceased person.*
- *"After hours" - rosary or vigil prayers or viewing.*
- *Full embalming (required for overseas repatriation and other situations).*
- *Weekend or Public Holiday fees.*
- *Travel outside our usual operating area.*
- *Additional vehicles*
- *Payment to third parties, which are called third party fees (see next page).*

## 2. THIRD PARTY FEES

These consist of the monies paid out by Tobin Brothers on your behalf to other parties in order to carry out the funeral in accordance with your instructions. These include payments for:

- Cemetery or Crematorium.
- Clergy or Celebrant.
- Musician and/or Vocalist.
- Venue hire.
- Floral tributes.
- Death and funeral notices.
- Catering.
- Registered Death Certificate.
- Medical Certificate required for Crematorium.
- Coffin or casket.
- Urn.
- Garment.
- Memories & Tributes options.

## 3. GOODS & SERVICES TAX

GST is payable on all Tobin Brothers fees and the supply of all related products and services except where indicated. The exact amount of GST is calculated when all costs associated with the funeral are finalised.

Set out in the following pages are our service offerings, all of which enable you and your family to tailor the funeral to reflect your individual, personal, cultural and religious requirements. All prices quoted are inclusive of GST.

## ADULT FUNERAL OPTIONS

**See page 3 & 4 for an explanation of what is and is not included in Tobin Brothers Funerals and Peter Tobin Funerals Professional Service fees.**

### FUNERAL AT THE DOVETON PARK FUNERAL CENTRE \*

Tobin Brothers Chapel funerals include tea, coffee and biscuits, webcasting of the service and a Celebrated Moments Audio Visual Presentation - a professionally presented program of 40 photographs with music and text screened during the service.

### DUAL SERVICE \* \$5225.00

- Funeral service in a Non-Tobin Brothers Venue (e.g. Church) followed by mourner attendance at the committal service (Cemetery or Crematorium).
- Funeral service in a Non-Tobin Brothers Venue (e.g. Church) followed by hearse departure with no mourner attendance (Cemetery or Crematorium).

### DUAL CHAPEL SERVICE \* \$5885.00

- Funeral Service in a Tobin Brothers Chapel followed by committal service with no mourner attendance (Cemetery or Crematorium).

### ARRIVAL SERVICE \* \$4598.00

- One service at the point of committal (Cemetery or Crematorium).

### EXTENDED SERVICE \* \$5775.00

- Funeral service followed by refreshments and then mourner attendance at the committal (Cemetery or Crematorium) on the same or next day.

### CELEBRATION OF LIFE MEMORIAL SERVICE \* \$5225.00

- Includes unstained particle board coffin (not present at the service).
- No mourner attendance at the committal (Cemetery or Crematorium).

### ESSENTIAL SERVICE \* \$3960.00

- Single Service at Ballarat Crematorium Chapel or Graveside, timed at the convenience of Peter Tobin Funerals (does not include viewing, mourning vehicle, refreshments or memorial book)

### BASIC SERVICE \* \$2422.00

- No service or mourners at any point.
- Essential Coffin (additional \$682.00).
- Viewing between 8.00am-6.00pm weekdays (additional \$374.00)

## OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICE FEES

### AFTER HOURS FEES

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| Rosary in an External Venue (except immediately prior to funeral)  | \$621.50 |
| Rosary or viewing 6.00pm or later in a Doveton Park Funeral Centre | \$445.50 |

### EXHUMATION \*

Includes a minimum of 3 trained staff, all necessary paperwork, mortuary care by a qualified embalmer and arrangements with all third parties \$4829.00

### FIXED PRICE FUNERAL PLAN ADMINISTRATIVE FEE \$374.00

### INTERMENT OF CREMATED REMAINS (with staff member present) \$407.00

### REPATRIATION \*

These costs apply if there is no service in Melbourne. If a service is held in Melbourne our Dual Service fee applies.

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Repatriation to an interstate location                | \$4686.00 |
| Repatriation to an overseas location                  | \$7645.00 |
| Repatriation interstate for a Stillborn/Newborn/Child | \$1958.00 |

### EMBALMING:

LEGAL REQUIREMENT FOR OVERSEAS REPATRIATION AND SOME MAUSOLEA

|                       |           |
|-----------------------|-----------|
| Adult                 | \$1353.00 |
| Child (under 5 years) | \$759.00  |

### TRAVEL/TRANSFER

Charged per vehicle on all transfers into the care of Tobin Brothers outside our normal operating area, which is 100km from Ballarat

|                             |        |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| 0-500 km (per kilometre)    | \$3.30 |
| Over 500 km (per kilometre) | \$3.19 |

### TRAVEL/FUNERAL VEHICLES

Charged per vehicle on all funerals outside our normal operating area, which is 100km from the closest Chapel.

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|--|-----------|
| 0-100 km (per kilometre, per vehicle)    | NO CHARGE |
| Over 100 km (per kilometre, per vehicle) | \$3.30    |

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| Standard Mourning Coach (transport for 8)                          | \$605.00  |
| Premium Mourning Coach (transport for 11)                          | \$1072.50 |
| Limousine (transport for 13)                                       | \$1672.00 |
| Family Funeral Coach (with transport for 10 and the coffin/casket) | \$759.00  |
| Family Funeral Coach and Hearse (2 vehicles, transport for 10)     | \$1045.00 |
| Floral Hearse  | \$605.00  |
| Black Dodge Hearse (extra)   | \$605.00  |

### WEEKEND & PUBLIC HOLIDAY ADDITIONAL FEES \*

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Includes Funeral Conductor, Hearse Driver, Coach Driver | \$1094.50 |
| Additional drivers/carriers – per staff member          | \$495.00  |

### MEMORIAL BOOK RANGE (where not included) \$132.00-\$292.00

## ADDITIONAL ITEMS

\* THIRD PARTY FEES ARE NOT INCLUDED.



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The Memories and Tributes offerings bring very special moments of reflection through Liturgy Booklets, Premium Orders of Service, Orders of Service, Thank-you Cards, Remembrance Cards, Bookmarks, Postcards, Memento and Santini Cards, Portraits of Life Banners, Framed Photographs and Celebrated Moments Audio Visual Presentations.

**OWN COFFIN HANDLING FEE #** **\$550.00**

#LEGALISATION OF NAME PLATE. INDEMNITY MUST BE SIGNED.

#### METAL COFFIN OR CASKET LINERS

Copper **\$1375.00**  
Galvanised **\$797.50**

#### MATTRESS

When not included in coffin/casket **\$132.00**

**CREMATION URN RANGE** **\$82.50 - \$1864.50**

#### CLOTHING

Family provide clothing **NO CHARGE**  
Tobin Brothers provided garments **\$104.50 - \$143.00**

#### GRAVE MARKER

Russian Wooden Cross **\$165.00**  
White Wooden Cross **\$154.00**

**COFFINS AND CASKETS** **\$682.00 - \$50,600.00**

We offer a wide range of coffins and caskets which vary in many ways, including their shape, construction, design, workmanship, colour and other components, such as the handles and drapery. To make a choice that best meets your family's needs, our coffins and caskets are grouped into the following categories:

#### TIMBER VENEER COFFINS

##### SOLID TIMBER COFFINS

##### COMPOSITE BOARD COFFINS

##### CELEBRATED MOMENTS COFFINS

#### CONTEMPORARY COFFINS

##### SOLID TIMBER CASKETS

##### METAL CASKETS

##### ENVIRONMENTAL OPTIONS

A more detailed description is listed at the beginning of each category.

\* THIRD PARTY FEES ARE NOT INCLUDED.

## THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A COFFIN AND A CASKET



#### Coffin

*A coffin is tapered at the shoulder and has a removable lid.*

#### Casket

*A casket is rectangular in shape and has a hinged lid.*



## Timber Veneer COFFINS

Timber Veneer Coffins are crafted from a thin layer of solid timber, laminated onto a medium density fibreboard creating a solid timber appearance of the material. Medium Density fibreboard is also known as Customwood.



**KIMBERLEY**  
\$3,014



**BYRON**  
\$3,762



**BAROSSA**  
(timber veneer base with a solid timber lid)  
\$3,960

## Solid Timber COFFINS

Our solid timber coffins come in a range of soft and hardwood timbers including Radiata Pine, Tasmanian Blackwood, Cedar and Oak.



**HOTHAM**  
*Radiata Pine*  
\$4,114



**DERWENT**  
*Tasmanian Blackwood*  
\$5,027



**ESPERANCE**  
*Cedar*  
\$5,423



**DAYLESFORD**  
*American Oak*  
\$6,116

## Composite Board COFFINS

Composite board is produced via a manufacturing process whereby wood chips are pressed into a medium density fibreboard. A layer of paper veneer is then laminated onto the board, creating an appearance of a wood grain finish.



**BASS**  
\$1,045



**SIMPSON**  
\$1,342



**YARRA**  
\$1,925



**NULLARBOR**  
\$2,475

## Celebrated Moments COFFINS

Exclusive to Tobin Brothers Funerals, our personalised Celebrated Moments coffins are available in sixteen different designs to truly celebrate and reflect the life of your loved one. Alternatelively we can also personalise the coffin with your own images.

All designs \$2,816 - custom design may incur a fee depending on complexity.





## *Celebrated Moments* COFFINS



*Our Game*



*The Jack*



*Life Moments*

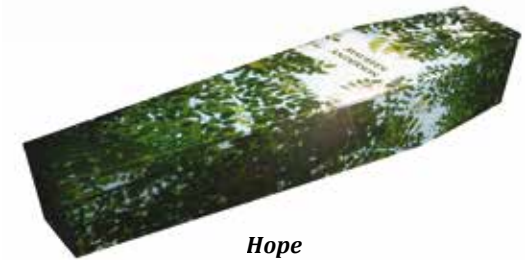


*Key Moments*

## *Celebrated Moments* COFFINS



*Sentinel Trees*



*Hope*

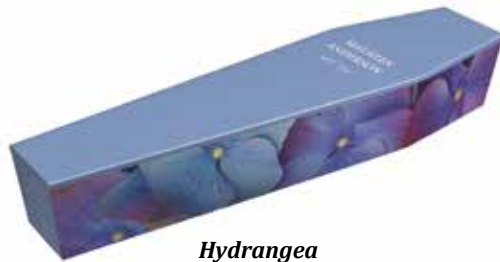


*Over the Rise*



*Into the Garden*

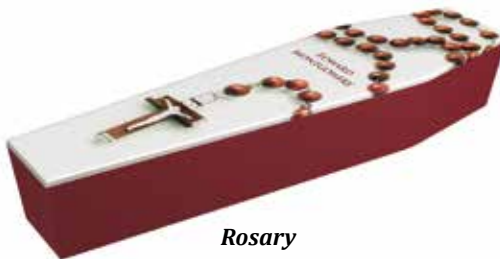
## *Celebrated Moments* COFFINS



*Hydrangea*



*Field of Flowers*



*Rosary*



*Journey Home*

## *Celebrated Moments* COFFINS



*Crossing the Bar*



*Whispering Clouds*



*Devotion*



*Graffiti*

## Contemporary COFFINS

Our Mornington coffins are customwood coffins with a contemporary metallic, pearlescent finish.



**MORNINGTON**  
*Ivory*  
\$4,059



**MORNINGTON**  
*Bronze*  
\$4,059



**MORNINGTON**  
*Mint*  
\$4,059



**MORNINGTON**  
*Blush*  
\$4,059

## Solid Timber CASKETS

Our solid timber caskets come in a range of soft and hardwood timbers including Mahogany, Radiata Pine, Cedar, Maple, Poplar and Cherry.



**PACIFIC**  
*Mahogany*  
\$17,380



**OTWAY**  
*Mahogany*  
\$17,380



**NORFOLK**  
*Radiata Pine*  
\$4,378



**NEPEAN**  
*Radiata Pine*  
(Available in Rosewood, Walnut and Ivory)  
\$4,697

## Solid Timber CASKETS



**COONAWARRA**  
**Radiata Pine**

(Available in Rosewood – half couch as illustrated  
and Walnut – half couch and full couch)  
\$9,438



**KIRRIBILLI**  
**Cedar**  
\$6,732



**ALPINE**  
**Maple**  
\$13,915

## Solid Timber CASKETS



**TAMAR**  
**Poplar**  
\$12,210



**BARRINGTON**  
**Cherry**  
\$14,300



**KOSCIUSZKO**  
**Mahogany**  
\$25,080

## Solid Timber CASKETS



**FRANKLIN**  
*Tasmanian Blackwood*  
\$10,120



**RIVERINA**  
*Poplar*  
\$11,440



**LINDENVALE**  
*Cedar*  
\$11,440



**STRZELECKI**  
*Poplar*  
\$8,987

## Metal CASKETS

*Our range of metal caskets come in 18 gauge steel, 48 oz bronze and stainless steel.*



**GOLDFIELDS**  
*48 oz Bronze*  
\$21,230



**PYRENEES**  
*18 Gauge Steel*  
\$11,440



**SORRENTO**  
*Shadow*  
*18 Gauge Steel*  
\$9,350



## Metal CASKETS



**SORRENTO**  
*Midnight*  
*18 Gauge Steel*  
\$9,350



**PROMETHEAN**  
*48 oz Bronze*  
\$50,600



**MILLENNIUM**  
*Stainless Steel*  
\$32,120



**MAJESTIC GOLD**  
*48 oz Bronze*  
\$50,600

## Environmental Options



**THE ECO**  
*Unstained Radiata Pine*  
\$3,190



**THE NATURAL**  
*Recycled Cardboard*  
\$1,793



**NATURAL LEGACY**  
*Woollen*  
\$3,322



**WILLOW**  
*Wicker*  
\$1,804

# Environmental Options

## ENVIRO RENTAL CASKET

The Enviro Rental Casket is available for chapel cremations only.  
This innovative casket comprises a simple particleboard inner capsule, encased in a solid timber outer shell, which is removed prior to the cremation.  
Please speak to your Funeral Planner regarding OHS restrictions.

\$2,244



**Solid Timber - Outer Shell**



**Capsule & Casket**



**Particle Board - Inner Capsule**

## INFANT & CHILDREN'S FUNERALS

The following Professional service fees include an appropriate coffin and an appropriate vehicle. White, walnut or rosewood caskets are available at an additional cost of \$1617.00 - \$2227.50 depending on the age of the child. \*

Professional service fees are further explained on page 3.

### CHILD UP TO 3 YEARS

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| No service and no mourners at any point  | \$995.50  |
| One service at the point of committal (Cemetery or Crematorium)  | \$1358.50 |
| Service in a Tobin Brothers Chapel or an External Venue (e.g. Church) followed by mourner attendance at the committal service (Cemetery or Crematorium). | \$1358.50 |

### CHILD 4 - 9 YEARS

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| No service and no mourners at any point  | \$1529.00 |
| One service at the point of committal (Cemetery or Crematorium)  | \$2799.50 |
| Service in a Tobin Brothers Chapel or an External Venue (e.g. Church) followed by mourner attendance at the committal service (Cemetery or Crematorium). | \$2799.50 |

### CHILD 10 - 15 YEARS

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| No service and no mourners at any point  | \$3685.00 |
| One service at the point of committal (Cemetery or Crematorium)  | \$5027.00 |
| Service in a Tobin Brothers Chapel or an External Venue (e.g. Church) followed by mourner attendance at the committal service (Cemetery or Crematorium). | \$5027.00 |

## COSTS NOT LISTED

As it is impossible for Tobin Brothers to anticipate or estimate the individual requests and requirements of all families that we serve, from time to time it may be appropriate for fees not specifically listed in this brochure to be charged.

Examples of this may be an additional Professional Service fee for funerals with a high degree of organisational complexity and Tobin Brothers' involvement, or for special merchandise requirements.

Such fees will be fully discussed prior to the funeral, once the nature and extent of these additional fees are known.

## TOBIN BROTHERS CHAPEL LOCATIONS

*(incorporating Herbert King Funerals)*

**ASHBURTON** 364 Warrigal Road (03) 9885 5288

**BERWICK** 21 Lyall Road (03) 9796 2866

*(Peter Tobin Funerals)*

**BALLARAT** 1251 Doveton Street North (03) 5333 3101

*(Frances Tobin Funerals by Women - Office only)*

**BRIGHTON** 121 Martin Street (03) 9596 8144

**CHELTENHAM** 147 Park Road (03) 9583 0644

*(incorporating Howard Squires Funerals)*

**COROWA (NSW)** 11A Sanger Street (02) 6033 4255

**CRANBOURNE** 210 Sladen Street (03) 5996 7211

**DIAMOND CREEK** 49-55 Main Street (03) 8468 1700

**DONCASTER** 816 Doncaster Road (03) 9840 1155

**EAST BURWOOD** 294 Burwood Hwy (03) 9886 1600

**ECHUCA** 457 High Street (03) 5480 1111

**FRANKSTON** 232 Cranbourne Road (03) 9775 5022

**GLENROY** 111 Wheatsheaf Road (03) 9306 7211

**MALVERN** 1382 High Street (03) 9576 0433

**MOONEE PONDS** 65 Waverley Street (03) 9337 7477

**MOUNT MARTHA** 604 Esplanade (03) 5975 2233

**NOBLE PARK** 505 Princes Hwy (03) 9558 4999

*(Head Office)*

**NTH MELBOURNE** 189 Boundary Road (03) 9328 3999

**RINGWOOD** 331 Maroondah Hwy (03) 9870 8011

**ROSEBUD** 39A Boneo Road (03) 5986 1200

**ST ALBANS** 364 Main Road West (03) 9364 0099

**SOUTH MORANG** 41 Old Plenty Road (03) 9422 1748

**SUNBURY** 22 Barkly Street (03) 9740 9500

**SUNSHINE** 330 Hampshire Road (03) 9364 8711

*(Abbey Funerals)*

**THOMASTOWN** 238 Settlement Road (03) 9464 0411

**WERRIBEE** 2 Tower Road (03) 9741 4544

**WODONGA** 4 Moorefield Park Drive (02) 6056 0649



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*Celebrating Lives* SINCE 1934



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JAMES FERRIS FUNERALS

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*Tobin Brothers Melbourne fees are listed in a separate document*  
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