Designed by A.T. Brongniart in 1804 to replace unsanitary parish cemeteries, this landscaped funeral park is the largest green space in Paris. An important site of memories, it has 70,000 graves, the Communard’s Wall, monuments to concentration camp deportees and veterans. A pioneer in the development of funerary practices, the cemetery includes the first crematorium (1887), columbarium (1889) and funeral garden in France (1985).

Cemetery opening times:
From 6th November to 15th March
from Monday to Friday: 8:00 to 17:30
Saturday: 8:30 to 17:30
Sundays and bank holidays: 9:00 to 17:30

From 16th March to 5th November
from Monday to Friday: 8:00 to 18:00
Saturday: 8:30 to 18:00
Sundays and bank holidays: 9:00 to 18:00

There are no more admissions to the site a quarter of an hour before closing time. The administration office is open from Monday to Friday, 8:30 to 12:30 and from 14:00 to 17:00.
ANTRANIK Ozanian (1866-1927) (Div.94)
general, Armenian hero

APOLLINAIRE Guillaume (1880-1918) (Div.86)
writer, literary and art critic

ASTURIAS Miguel Angel (1899-1974) (Div.10)
Guatemalan diplomat, winner of the Nobel Prize in Literature

BALZAC Honoré de (1799-1850) (Div.48)
writer

BEAUMARCHAIS Pierre Augustin CARON de (Div.28)
writer, (1732-1799)

BELLINI Vincenzo (1801-1835) (Div.11)
Italian composer

BIZET Georges (1838-1875) (Div.68)
composer ("Carmen")

BOURDIEU Pierre (1930-2002) (Div.28)
sociologist, writer

BRILLAT-SAVARIN Anthelme (1755-1826) (Div.28)
physician, gastronome, magistrate and writer

BUGATTI Ettore (1881-1947) (Div.97)
painter, sculptor and writer

CALLAS Maria (1923-1977) (Div.87)
singer, ashes scattered in the Aegean Sea (number 16258, 1st sub-level)

CHAMPOLLION Jean-François (1790-1823) (Div.18)
eytologist, decipherer of hieroglyphics

CHERUBINI Luigi (1760-1842) (Div.11)
Italian composer

CHOPIN Frédéric (1810-1849) (Div.24)
Polish pianist, composer

COROT Camille (1796-1875) (Div.11)
painter

DAUMIER Honoré (1808-1879) (Div.24)
painter, cartoonist and Solidarity advocate

DAVID Jacques louis (1748-1829) (Div.56)
painter

DELACROIX Eugène (1798-1863) (Div.49)
painter

DEL DUCA Cino (1899-1967) and Simone (1921-2004) (Div.53)
painters, patrons of the arts (Cino and Simone Del Duca Foundation)

DEMIDOFF, Elisabeth STROGONOFF (Div.11)
countess, Russian aristocrat (1779-1838)

DE NITTIS Giuseppe (1846-1884) (Div.22)
Italian painter

DORÉ Gustave (1832-1883) (Div.22)
etcher, illustrator, painter and sculptor

DUKAS Paul (1865-1935) (Div.87)
composer (box 491-6-exterior)

DUNCAN Isadora (1878-1927) (Div.87)
American choreographer, dancer (box number 6796)

ERNST Max (1891-1976) (Div.87)
painter, sculptor and writer (box 2102-exterior)

GÉRICAULT Théodore (1791-1824) (Div.12)
painter

GHASEMLOU Abdul Rahman (1930-1989) (Div.76)
Iranian-Kurdish statesman

GÜNEY Yilmaz (1937-1984) (Div.62)
Turkish writer, filmmaker, screenwriter and actor

HAHNEMANN Samuel (1755-1843) (Div.19)
German doctor, founder of homeopathy

HAUSSMANN Georges Eugène (1809-1891) (Div.4)
Prefect of Seine, responsible for the great transformations of Paris during the 2nd Empire

HEDAYAT Sadegh (1903-1951) (Div.85)
Iranian writer

HÉLOISE (1101-1164) and ABÉLARD (1079-1142) (Div.7)
painter

INGRES Jean Auguste Dominique (1780-1867) (Div.23)
painter

KARDEC (1804-1869) (Div.44)
pedagogue, founder of spiritism

KAYA Ahmet (1956-2000) (Div.71)
Turkish singer, Kurdish idol

KUPKA František (1871-1957) (Div.87)
painter (Czech)

LA FONTAINE Jean de (1621-1695) (Div.25)
writer

LAPIDUS Ted (1929-2008) (Div.53)
designer

LALIQUE René (1860-1945) (Div.11)
French goldsmith, jeweler

LAURENCIN Marie (1885-1956) (Div.88)
painter

LESSEPS Count Ferdinand de (1805-1894) (Div.6)
diplomat, creator of the Suez Canal

LÉVI-Strauss Georges (1886-1963) (Div.64)
film director

MODIGLIANI Amadeo (1884-1920) (Div.96)
Italian painter

MOLIÈRE Jean-Baptiste (1622-1673) (Div.25)
playwright, actor

MONTAND Yves (1922-1994) (Div.44)
actor, singer

MORRISON Jim (1943-1971) (Div.6)
British, punk rock singer

MUSSET Alfred de (1810-1857) (Div.4)
writer

NASAR Gaspard Félix TOURNACHON, dit (Div.36)
photographer, balloonist, illustrator and writer (1820-1910)

NAGY Imre (1896-1958) (Div.44)
statesman, hero of the Hungarian insurrection (cenotaph)

NOIR Victor (1848-1870) (Div.92)
journalist assassinated by Pierre Bonaparte

OPHULS Max (1902-1957) (Div.87)
film director (box 6219-exterior)

PIAF Edith (1915-1963) (Div.97)
singer

PETRUCCIANI Michel (1962-1999) (Div.11)
pianist, jazz composer

PISSARO Camille (1830-1903) (Div.7)
painter

POPESCO Elvire (1894-1993) (Div.85)
theater director, actress

POULENC Francis (1899-1963) (Div.5)
composer

PRADIER James (1790-1852) (Div.24)
sculptor

PROUST Marcel (1871-1922) (Div.85)
writer

ROBERTSON, Etienne ROBERT, dit (Div.8)
balloons, ballonist, developer of paraglomina (1763-1837)

ROSSINI Gioacchino (cenotaph) (Div.4)
Italian composer (1792-1868)

Rothschild James baron de (1792-1868) (Div.7)
bank, statesman

SEURAT Georges (1859-1891) (Div.66)
painter

SHARAFKANDI Sadegh (1938-1992) (Div.42)
Iranian-Kurdish statesman

SIGNORET Simone (1921-1985) (Div.44)
actress

SINTZHEIM David (1745-1812) (Div.7)
American poet, singer and composer

STEIN Gertrude (1871-1946) (Div.94)
American writer, art collector

TARO Gerda (1910-1937) (Div.97)
German photojournalist (Robert Capa's companion)

VIJAYANANDA Swami (1914-2010) (Div.41)
doctor, Hindu spiritual leader

WALLACE Sir Richard (1818-1890) (Div.28)
English philanthropist, creator of the Wallace foundations

WILDE Oscar (1854-1900) (Div.89)
Irish writer

WRIGHT Richard (1906-1960) (Div.87)
African-American journalist, writer (box 848-exterior)

For further information, do not hesitate to ask the personnel of the administration (or the ground staff at weekends and bank holidays).