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Licensing Act Sub-Committee

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MEMBERS: Councillor Ungar (Chairman); Councillors Murray and Warner

Agenda

1 Apologies for absence.

2 Declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests (DPIs) by members as required under Section 31 of the Localism Act and of other interests under the Code of Conduct. (Please see note at end of agenda).

3 Application for a New Premises Licence - Seaside Recreation Ground. (Pages 1 - 74)

Report of Senior Specialist Advisor.

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Body:	**Licensing Sub Committee**
Date:	**16th April 2014**
Subject:	**Application for a new Premises Licence for Seaside Recreation Ground, Whitley Road**
Report Of:	**Jay Virgo, Senior Specialist Advisor**
Ward(s)	**Devonshire Ward**
Purpose	**To determine a new Premises Licence Application under the Licensing Act 2003.**
Contact:	**Danielle Ball 01323 415367 or danielle.ball@eastbourne.gov.uk**

1.0 Introduction & Background

1.1 An application has been received by Eastbourne Borough Council as the Licensing Authority, for the premises known as Seaside Recreation Ground, Whitley Road.

1.2 The premises does not currently have a premises licence.

2.0 The Application

2.1 An application for a club premises certificate under the Licensing Act 2003 has been sought for the following activities:

Plays (on and off the premises)

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday – Sunday

Films (on and off the premises)

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday – Sunday

Indoor sporting events

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday – Sunday

Live music (on and off the premises)

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday - Sunday

Supply of alcohol (on the premises only)

09:00 – 23:00 hours Sunday – Thursday

09:00 – 00:00 hours Friday - Saturday

Provision of recorded music (on and off the premises)

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday- Sunday

Performances of dance (on and off the premises)

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday – Sunday

Anything of a similar description (on and off the premises)

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday – Sunday

Provision of facilities for making music (on and off the premises)

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday – Sunday

Provision of facilities for dancing (on and off the premises)

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday – Sunday

Provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description

08:00 – 23:00 hours Monday - Sunday

Hours premises are open to the public

00:00 – 00:00 hours Monday - Sunday

3.0 Licensing Objectives

3.1 When submitting an application for a Club Premises Certification under the Licensing Act 2003, the applicant is required to describe any steps they intend to take to promote the four Licensing Objectives as defined by the Licensing Act 2003. The Operating Schedule detailing these steps can be seen in the application form. This is included in **Appendix 1**. A copy of the plans is included within **Appendix 2.**

4.0 Consultation Process

4.1 The Licensing Act 2003 requires applicants to advertise both at the premises and in a local newspaper in order to inform the public of the application. A number of "Responsible Authorities" have also been consulted as part of the process, allowing a consultation period of 28 days for representations to be made.

4.2 In this instance, as a result of the consultation process, representations have been received. The representations are detailed in Section 7 of this report.

5.0 The Decision Making Process - The Licensing Objectives

5.1 In their decision making, the Licensing Sub Committee must act to promote the four Licensing Objectives. All carry equal weight as part of the process. The Licensing Objectives are:

- The prevention of crime and disorder
- Public safety
- The prevention of public nuisance
- The protection of children from harm

6.0 Eastbourne Borough Council's Statement of Licensing Policy & Section 182 Guidance Issued

6.1 Copies of the Council's Statement of Licensing Policy have previously been circulated to Members. A copy is also retained in the Members Room or can be downloaded from:

http://www.eastbourne.gov.uk/about-the-council/council-policies-plans-and-strategies/licensing-policy/licensing-policy-and-cumulative-impact-policy/

6.2 Whilst each application will be considered on its merits, the Licensing Sub Committee will have due regard to Eastbourne Borough Council's Statement of Licensing Policy 2014 – 2019, and Section 182 Guidance (updated June 2013) issued by the Department of Culture, Media and Sport, and must act to promote the four Licensing Objectives. This can be downloaded from:

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/209526/1167-A_Licensing_Act_2003_2_.pdf

6.3 Eastbourne Borough Council's Statement of Licensing Policy outlines the matters that the Authority will consider when determining matters under the Licensing Act 2003. An overview appears below.

6.4 The Prevention Of Crime and Disorder

The Operating Schedule should include steps to ensure the deterrence and prevention of crime and disorder on and in the vicinity of premises. The restriction of types of licensable activity, hours and imposition of conditions may be considered and applied as appropriate.

6.5 Public Safety

The Operating Schedule should include steps to ensure the physical safety of patrons. This might include the restriction of types of licensable activity, hours and the imposition of conditions considered and applied as appropriate.

6.6 Prevention of Public Nuisance

Applicants will be required to demonstrate how they intend to prevent nuisance arising, disturbance occurring and mechanisms to protect amenities. The restriction of types of licensable activity, hours and imposition of conditions may be considered and applied as appropriate.

6.7 Protection of children from harm

The Operating Schedule must specify the measures and management controls in place to protect children from harm. Conditions can be placed to restrict access to children from accessing the premises during certain times or when certain licensable activities are taking place. The restriction of types of licensable activity, hours and imposition of conditions may be considered and applied as appropriate.

7.0 Representations

7.1 A full copy of all representations is included at **Appendix 3**, however a summary appears below.

Interested Parties

Representations received from members of the public, including representations that did not include names or addresses:

Mr R Moore- 173 Seaside
G Button- 61 Avondale Road
Mr C Street- 81 Avondale Road
Mr & Mrs Toft- 23 Coastguard Square
Mr S Spence- 2 Gilbert Road
Mrs S Round- 2 Mona Road
Mrs M Sandford- 18 Whitley Road
Ms J Warren- 20 Whitley Road
55 Clarence Road
83 Avondale Road
K Moynihan- 75 Avondale Road
B Stolton- 71 Avondale Road
Mr S Humphreys- 69 Avondale Road
Mr G Johnstone- 4 Gilbert Road
Mrs S Belchamber- 7 Gilbert Road
Mr D Coldwell- 11 Gilbert Road
12 Gilbert Road
S Grimer- 26 Gilbert Road
R Howe- 21 Gilbert Road
Mr C Mackinnon- 17 Gilbert Road
Mrs Winterbottom- 20 Gilbert Road
Mr A Walder- 25 Gilbert Road
Mr & Mrs Hamlyn- 29 Gilbert Road
Mr & Mrs Bowman- 28 Gilbert Road
A Edwards- 27 Gilbert Road
24 Gilbert Road
23 Gilbert Road
22 Gilbert Road
20 Gilbert Road
D Cook- 13 Gilbert Road

The representations centre on the prevention of crime and disorder and the prevention of public nuisance (noise) Licensing Objectives.

Concerns include; potential noise, nuisance and alcohol fuelled disturbance in the area.

Representations from Responsible Authorities
There has been **0** representations from responsible authorities: ➢ **Sussex Police –** No representations**.** ➢ **Eastbourne Borough Council Health and Environment Team -** No representations. ➢ **Eastbourne Borough Council Health and Safety Department –** No representations. ➢ **Eastbourne Borough Council Licensing Team-** No representations ➢ **Eastbourne Borough Council Planning Department–** No representations. ➢ **East Susses Fire and Rescue Service –** No representation ➢ **Area Child Protection Team–** No representations ➢ **Trading Standards (East Sussex County Council) –** No representations. ➢ **Primary Care Trust-** No representations

7.2 The Sub Committee will need to have regard to any history or likelihood of noise, nuisance, crime and disorder at the site, or in the vicinity of the site. In addition, matters impacting upon public safety and strategies to protect children from harm will also need to be considered.

7.3 The Sub Committee may also consider any other matters that may negatively impact upon the Licensing Objectives and exercise their powers to impose conditions, or take the appropriate action as they see fit, in order to promote the Licensing Objectives.

7.4 In determining what, if any, conditions should be attached to a licence, these should only be imposed where it is considered necessary, proportionate and reasonable on a case by case basis.

7.5 The applicant, "interested parties" and/or Responsible Authorities may also suggest conditions to address concerns as a means to promote the Licensing Objectives.

7.6 Two letters in support of the application are included in **Appendix 4.**

7.7 One representation was received by the Licensing Authority outside of the statutory consultation timeframe. This is included at **Appendix 5** for *information purposes* only.

8.0 Legal Considerations

8.1 The framework for the issue, variation and/or modification to applications is made under the Licensing Act 2003. The Department for Culture, Media and Sport has issued Guidance under Section 182 of the Act, amended in June 2013. This Guidance is provided in order to assist the Council in carrying out its

functions under the Act.

8.2 Furthermore, the Licensing Sub Committee must have regard to Eastbourne Borough Council's Statement of Licensing Policy 2014-2019.

9.0 Human Rights

9.1 The provisions of the Human Rights Act 1998 must be borne in mind by the Committee when taking licensing decisions under the Licensing Act 2003. Particular regard should be had to Article 1 of the First Protocol, which relates to the protection of property and the peaceful enjoyment of possessions and property, and Article 8 - which relates to the right to respect for private and family life, home and correspondence - should also be borne in mind. While the Human Rights Act makes it unlawful for a local authority to act or to fail to act in a way that is incompatible with a Convention right, Article 1 of the First Protocol and Article 8 are both qualified rights which means that interference - to a justifiable extent - may be permitted as long as what is done:

- ☐ Has a basis in law;
- ☐ Is intended to pursue a legitimate purpose
- ☐ Is necessary and proportionate; and
- ☐ Is not discriminatory.

Background Material

- LACORS Guidance – Committee Hearings
- Section 182 Statutory Guidance to the Licensing Act 2003 (June 2013)

  https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/section-182-of-the-licensing-act-2003-amended-guidance

- Hearing and Regulations, Licensing Act 2003
- Eastbourne Borough Council Licensing Statement 2014-2019
- Human Rights Act 1998

Licensing hearing/seaside rec

Appendix 1

Customer First
Eastbourne Borough Council
1 Grove Road
Eastbourne
BN21 4TW
E-mail: customerfirst@eastbourne.gov.uk
Forms & guidance can be downloaded from www.eastbourne.gov.uk/licensing

Application for a premises licence to be granted under the Licensing Act 2003
PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form.
If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.
You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records.

I/We EASTBOURNE BOROUGH COUNCIL
(Insert name(s) of applicant)
apply for a premises licence under section 17 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below (the premises) and I/we are making this application to you as the relevant licensing authority in accordance with section 12 of the Licensing Act 2003

Part 1 – Premises Details

Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description			
SEASIDE RECREATION GROUND SEASIDE			
Post town	EASTBOURNE	**Post code**	BN22 8JU

Telephone number at premises (if any)	N/A
Non-domestic rateable value of premises	£ BAND A

Part 2 - Applicant Details

Please state whether you are applying for a premises licence as:

		Please tick yes	
a)	an individual or individuals *	O	please complete section (A)
b)	a person other than an individual *		
	i. as a limited company	O	please complete section (B)

	ii. as a partnership	o	please complete section (B)
	iii. as an unincorporated association or	o	please complete section (B)
	iv. other (for example a statutory corporation)	✓	please complete section (B)
c)	a recognised club	o	please complete section (B)
d)	a charity	o	please complete section (B)
e)	the proprietor of an educational establishment	o	please complete section (B)
f)	a health service body	o	please complete section (B)
g)	a person who is registered under Part 2 of the Care Standards Act 2000 (c14) in respect of an independent hospital	o	please complete section (B)
h)	the chief officer of police of a police force in England and Wales	o	please complete section (B)

* If you are applying as a person described in (a) or (b) please confirm:

	Please tick yes
• I am carrying on or proposing to carry on a business which involves the use of the premises for licensable activities; or	o
• I am making the application pursuant to a	
○ statutory function or	o
○ a function discharged by virtue of Her Majesty's prerogative	o

(A) INDIVIDUAL APPLICANTS (fill in as applicable)

Mr o	Mrs o	Miss o	Ms o	Other Title (for example, Rev)	
Surname				**First names**	
I am 18 years old or over				o Please tick yes	
Current postal address if different from premises address					
Post Town				**Postcode**	
Daytime contact telephone number					
E-mail address (optional)					

SECOND INDIVIDUAL APPLICANT (if applicable)

Mr ○	Mrs ○	Miss ○	Ms ○	Other Title (for example, Rev)	
Surname				**First names**	
I am 18 years old or over				○ Please tick yes	
Current postal address if different from premises address					
Post Town				**Postcode**	
Daytime contact telephone number					
E-mail address (optional)					

(B) OTHER APPLICANTS

Please provide name and registered address of applicant in full. Where appropriate please give any registered number. In the case of a partnership or other joint venture (other than a body corporate), please give the name and address of each party concerned.

Name	EASTBOURNE BOROUGH COUNCIL
Address	TOURISM & LEISURE 1, GROVE ROAD EASTBOURNE EAST SUSSEX BN21 4TW
Registered number (where applicable)	N/A
Description of applicant (for example, partnership, company, unincorporated association etc.)	LOCAL AUTHORITY
Telephone number (if any)	01323 415442
E-mail address (optional)	events@eastbourne.gov.uk

Part 3 Operating Schedule

When do you want the premises licence to start? 28th APRIL 2014

If you wish the licence to be valid only for a limited period, when do you want it to end?

Please give a general description of the premises (please read guidance note 1)

SEASIDE RECREATION GROUND

If 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend.

What licensable activities do you intend to carry on from the premises?

(Please see sections 1 and 14 of the Licensing Act 2003 and Schedules 1 and 2 to the Licensing Act 2003)

Provision of regulated entertainment		**Please tick yes**
a)	plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)	✓
b)	films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)	✓
c)	indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)	✓
d)	boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)	
e)	live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)	✓
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	✓
g)	performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)	✓
h)	anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box H)	✓
Provision of entertainment facilities:		
i)	making music (if ticking yes, fill in box I)	✓
j)	dancing (if ticking yes, fill in box J)	✓
k)	entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (i) or (j) (if ticking yes, fill in box K)	✓
Provision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box L)		
Supply of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box M)		✓

In all cases complete boxes N, O and P

A

Plays Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Will the performance of a play take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (please read guidance note 2)		
				Indoors	○
				Outdoors	○
Day	Start	Finish		Both	○✓
Mon	0800	2300	**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue	0800	2300			
Wed	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for performing plays** (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur	0800	2300			
Fri	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of plays at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat	0800	2300			
Sun	0800	2300			

B

Films Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Will the exhibition of films take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (please read guidance note 2)		
				Indoors	○
				Outdoors	○
Day	Start	Finish		Both	○✓
Mon	0800	2300	**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue	0800	2300			
Wed	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for the exhibition of films** (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur	0800	2300			
Fri	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the exhibition of films at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat	0800	2300			
Sun	0800	2300			

C

Indoor sporting events Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Please give further details** (please read guidance note 3)
Day	Start	Finish	Acoustic and Amplified music Pre-arranged sports fixtures
Mon	0800	2300	
Tue	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for indoor sporting events** (please read guidance note 4)
Wed	0800	2300	
Thur	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for indoor sporting events at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)
Fri	0800	2300	
Sat	0800	2300	
Sun	0800	2300	

D

Boxing or wrestling entertainments Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Will the boxing or wrestling entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (please read guidance note 2)		
				Indoors	○
				Outdoors	○
				Both	○
Day	Start	Finish			
Mon			**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue					
Wed			**State any seasonal variations for boxing or wrestling entertainment** (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for boxing or wrestling entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

E

Live music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Will the performance of live music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (please read guidance note 2)		
Day	Start	Finish		Indoors	o
				Outdoors	o
				Both	o✓
Mon	0800	2300	**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3) Acoustic and amplified sound and provision of stage, lights and seating to include bands and performers on seaside recreation ground.		
Tue	0800	2300			
Wed	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for the performance of live music** (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur	0800	2300			
Fri	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of live music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat	0800	2300			
Sun	0800	2300			

F

Recorded music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Will the playing of recorded music take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (please read guidance note 2)		
				Indoors	o
				Outdoors	o
Day	Start	Finish		Both	o✓
Mon	0800	2300	**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3) Acoustic and amplified sound and provision of stage, lights and seating to include bands and performers on seaside Recreation Ground.		
Tue	0800	2300			
Wed	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for the playing of recorded music** (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur	0800	2300			
Fri	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the playing of recorded music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat	0800	2300			
Sun	0800	2300			

G

Performances of dance Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Will the performance of dance take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (please read guidance note 2)		
Day	Start	Finish		Indoors	
				Outdoors	
				Both	✓
Mon	0800	2300	**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3) Acoustic and amplified sound and provision of stage, lights and seating to include bands and performers on seaside recreation ground		
Tue	0800	2300			
Wed	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for the performance of dance** (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur	0800	2300			
Fri	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the performance of dance at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat	0800	2300			
Sun	0800	2300			

H

Anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Please give a description of the type of entertainment you will be providing** Fireworks displays, markets, fairground rides, circus, children's entertainment, exhibitions, compered events, street performers, car shows, motor cycle displays, walking and running events, promotional events, drive in movies		
Day	Start	Finish	**Will this entertainment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	o
Mon	0800	2300		Outdoors	o
				Both	o✓
Tue	0800	2300	**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3)		
Wed	0800	2300			
Thur	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g)** (please read guidance note 4)		
Fri	0800	2300			
Sat	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the entertainment of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sun	0800	2300			

I

Provision of facilities for making music Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Please give a description of the facilities for making music you will be providing** Provision of amplification equipment or similar
			Will the facilities for making music be indoors or outdoors or both – please tick (please read guidance note 2) — Indoors: o; Outdoors: o; Both: o✓
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon	0800	2300	**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3)
Tue	0800	2300	
Wed	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for the provision of facilities for making music** (please read guidance note 4)
Thur	0800	2300	
Fri	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for provision of facilities for making music at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)
Sat	0800	2300	
Sun	0800	2300	

J

Provision of facilities for dancing Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Will the facilities for dancing be indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (see guidance note 2) Dance area/stage to be provided	Indoors	○
				Outdoors	○
				Both	✓
Day	Start	Finish	**Please give a description of the facilities for dancing you will be providing**		
Mon	0800	2300	**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue	0800	2300			
Wed	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for providing dancing facilities** (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur	0800	2300			
Fri	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of facilities for dancing entertainment at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat	0800	2300			
Sun	0800	2300			

K

Provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within i or j Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Please give a description of the type of entertainment facility you will be providing** Amplification equipment/designated entertainment equipment depending on type of entertainment available		
Day	Start	Finish	**Will the entertainment facility be indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (please read guidance note 2)	Indoors	○
				Outdoors	○
				Both	○✓
Mon	0800	2300			
Tue	0800	2300	**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3)		
Wed	0800	2300			
Thur	0800	2300	**State any seasonal variations for the provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within i or j** (please read guidance note 4)		
Fri	0800	2300			
Sat	0800	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of facilities for entertainment of a similar description to that falling within i or j at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sun	0800	2300			

L

Late night refreshment Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Will the provision of late night refreshment take place indoors or outdoors or both – please tick** (please read guidance note 2)		
				Indoors	○
				Outdoors	○
Day	Start	Finish		Both	○
Mon			**Please give further details here** (please read guidance note 3)		
Tue					
Wed			**State any seasonal variations for the provision of late night refreshment** (please read guidance note 4)		
Thur					
Fri			**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the provision of late night refreshment at different times, to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Sat					
Sun					

M

Supply of alcohol Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**Will the supply of alcohol be for consumption (Please tick box)** (please read guidance note 7)		
				On the premises	✓
				Off the premises	
Day	Start	Finish		Both	
Mon	0900	2300	**State any seasonal variations for the supply of alcohol** (please read guidance note 4)		
Tue	0900	2300			
Wed	0900	2300			
Thur	0900	2300	**Non standard timings. Where you intend to use the premises for the supply of alcohol at different times to those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)		
Fri	0900	0000			
Sat	0900	0000			
Sun	0900	2300			

State the name and details of the individual whom you wish to specify on the licence as premises supervisor

Name	MICHAEL STEPHEN MARCHANT
Address	53, FRIDAY STREET EASTBOURNE EAST SUSSEX
Postcode	BN23 8AR
Personal Licence number (if known)	005710
Issuing licensing authority (if known)	EASTBOURNE BOROUGH COUNCIL

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Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 8)

All events taking place will be tourism, community, family based entertainment therefore not applicable.
Access will be strictly controlled where age is a restricting factor.

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Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			**State any seasonal variations** (please read guidance note 4) Seaside Recreation Ground is a public open space, therefore open 24 hours per day, although the perimeter will be secured to the footprint of the activity when Seaside Recreation Ground is used for activities when an admission charge is made. Conclude at 2300.
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon	0000	0000	
Tue	0000	0000	
Wed	0000	0000	
Thur	0000	0000	**Non standard timings. Where you intend the premises to be open to the public at different times from those listed in the column on the left, please list** (please read guidance note 5)
Fri	0000	0000	
Sat	0000	0000	
Sun	0000	0000	

d) The prevention of public nuisance

Sound levels will be monitored by event organisers and Eastbourne Borough Councils Noise Team to ensure that noise, nuisance and disturbance to the locality will be kept to a minimum.
Where the Licensing Authority, and/or Councils Environmental Health Noise Representative requires, adjustments will be made to the layout, sound levels and/or activities taking place to limit noise nuisance and disruption to the locality.

All litter and debris related to the event will cleared from the site within 24 hours of its conclusion as a condition of use.

e) The protection of children from harm

Each event will have regard to the potential of harm to children and will implement effective and responsible management of premises, provide a sufficient number of people employed or engaged to secure the protection of children from harm, provide appropriate instruction, training and supervision of those employed or engaged to secure the protection of children from harm. Introduce limitations on the hours when children may be present, in all or parts of the premises if necessary and limitations or exclusions by age when certain activities are taking place.

In the case of film exhibitions measures will be implemented that restrict children from viewing age-restricted films classified according to the recommendations of the BBFC or the Licensing Authority.

When necessary an adequate number of adult staff to control the access and egress of children and to protect them from harm whilst on the premises. Where children are present as performers there will be an adequate number of adult staff to be responsible for the child performers. The staff should be suitably screened to work with children.

P Describe the steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives:

a) General – all four licensing objectives (b,c,d,e) (please read guidance note 9)

Eastbourne Borough Council requires all event activity organisers to provide appropriate safety plans, risk assessments, public liability insurance and to ensure that all relevant safety regulations are complied with and to enter into a user licence agreement when using Council land.

b) The prevention of crime and disorder

All events and activities together with plans, risk assessments and timetables are given to Sussex Police in advance. Police traffic wardens and PCSO presence is requested when required. All events and activities together with plans, risk assessments and timetables are given to Sussex Police, and other Responsible Authorities at least 28 working days in advance of the event. As appropriate, Safety Advisory Groups will be convened to tackle issues that may present.

Each event will be risk assessed and steps taken to promote the Licensing Objectives, to include:

According to the requirements of the Licensing Authority and Sussex Police, Security Industry Authority Registered Door Supervisors (SIAs) will be employed to control access and egress to the site, and any areas where age restricted products are sold.

Shatterproof drinking receptacles only shall be used for the duration of any event where the premises licence is in operation.

According to the risk assessment detailing the nature and risks of the event, and in conjunction with Sussex Police, an appropriate Policy shall be put in place to manage any issues relating to drug misuse.

A responsible drinking policy shall be implemented at all times an event permits the sale or consumption of intoxicating liquor

According to the risk assessment detailing the nature and risk of the event, and in conjunction with Sussex Police, searching of patrons shall be a condition of entry.

c) Public safety

It is a requirement that safety stewards are on duty at all events and activities who are briefed on safety and evacuation procedures. Fire, police and ambulance services notified in advance. First aid providers are in attendance. SIA door stewards used where appropriate. It is a requirement that safety stewards DEFINE WHAT THESE ARE PLEASED AS THESE WILL HAVE TO BE SIA REGISTERED AS ITS A LICENSED SITE

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In accordance with risk assessments, trained first aid providers will be on site for the duration of an event.

	Please tick yes
• I have made or enclosed payment of the fee £32141 45116	✓
• I have enclosed the plan of the premises	✓
• I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and others where applicable	✓
• I have enclosed the consent form completed by the individual I wish to be premises supervisor, if applicable	✓
• I understand that I must now advertise my application	✓
• I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected	✓

IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON CONVICTION TO A FINE UP TO LEVEL 5 ON THE STANDARD SCALE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003 TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION

Part 4 – Signatures (please read guidance note 10)

Signature of applicant or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (See guidance note 11). **If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.**

Signature	M.S. Marchant MS Marchant
Date	27th FEBRUARY 2014
Capacity	EVENTS MANAGER - EASTBOURNE BOROUGH COUNCIL

For joint applications signature of 2nd applicant or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent. (please read guidance note 12). **If signing on behalf of the applicant please state in what capacity.**

Signature	
Date	
Capacity	

Contact name (where not previously given) and postal address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 13)

Post town		**Post code**	
Telephone number (if any)			
If you would prefer us to correspond with you by e-mail your e-mail address (optional)			

Notes for Guidance

1. Describe the premises. For example the type of premises, its general situation and layout and any other information which could be relevant to the licensing objectives. Where your application includes off-supplies of alcohol and you intend to provide a place for consumption of these off-supplies you must include a description of where the place will be and its proximity to the premises.
2. Where taking place in a building or other structure please tick as appropriate. Indoors may include a tent.
3. For example the type of activity to be authorised, if not already stated, and give relevant further details, for example (but not exclusively) whether or not music will be amplified or unamplified.
4. For example (but not exclusively), where the activity will occur on additional days during the summer months.
5. For example (but not exclusively), where you wish the activity to go on longer on a particular day e.g. Christmas Eve.
6. Please give timings in 24 hour clock (e.g. 16:00) and only give details for the days of the week when you intend the premises to be used for the activity.
7. If you wish people to be able to consume alcohol on the premises please tick on, if you wish people to be able to purchase alcohol to consume away from the premises please tick off. If you wish people to be able to do both please tick both.
8. Please give information about anything intended to occur at the premises or ancillary to the use of the premises which may give rise to concern in respect of children, regardless of whether you intend children to have access to the premises, for example (but not exclusively) nudity or semi-nudity, films for restricted age groups, the presence of gaming machines.
9. Please list here steps you will take to promote all four licensing objectives together.
10. The application form must be signed.
11. An applicant's agent (for example solicitor) may sign the form on their behalf provided that they have actual authority to do so.
12. Where there is more than one applicant, both applicants or their respective agents must sign the application form.
13. This is the address which we shall use to correspond with you about this application.

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Licensing Team
Eastbourne Borough Council
1 Grove Road
Eastbourne
BN21 4TW
Email: licensing@eastbourne.gov.uk
Forms and guidance can be downloaded from www.eastbourne.gov.uk/licensing

Consent of individual to being specified as premises supervisor

1. Michael Stephen Marchant

.....

[full name of prospective premises supervisor]

of: Drintyre , 53 Friday Street, Eastbourne, East Sussex BN23 8AR

.....

[Home address of prospective premises supervisor]

hereby confirm that I give my consent to be specified as the designated premises supervisor in relation to the application for

Seaside Recreation Ground , Seaside, Eastbourne, East Sussex, BN22 8 JU

.....

[type of application]

Mike Marchant Events Development Mgr, Eastbourne Borough Council,1 Grove Rd Eastbourne East Sussex BN21 4TW

.....

[name of applicant]

relating to a premises licence ... **new Licence application**

[number of existing licence, if any]

For Seaside Recreation Ground , Seaside, Eastbourne, East Sussex, BN22 8 JU

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[name and address of premises to which the application relates]

and any premises licence to be granted or varied in respect of this application made by:

Mike Marchant Events Development Mgr, Eastbourne Borough Council,1 Grove Rd Eastbourne East Sussex BN21 4TW

.....
[name of applicant]

concerning the supply of alcohol at

Seaside Recreation Ground , Seaside, Eastbourne, East Sussex, BN22 8 JU

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I also confirm that I currently hold a personal licence, details of which I set out below.

Personal licence number
005710

.....
[insert personal licence number, if any]

Personal licence issuing authority
Eastbourne Borough Council

.....
[insert name and address and telephone number of personal licence issuing authority, if any]

Signed M.S Marchant

Name (please print) Mike Marchant

Date 17th February 2014

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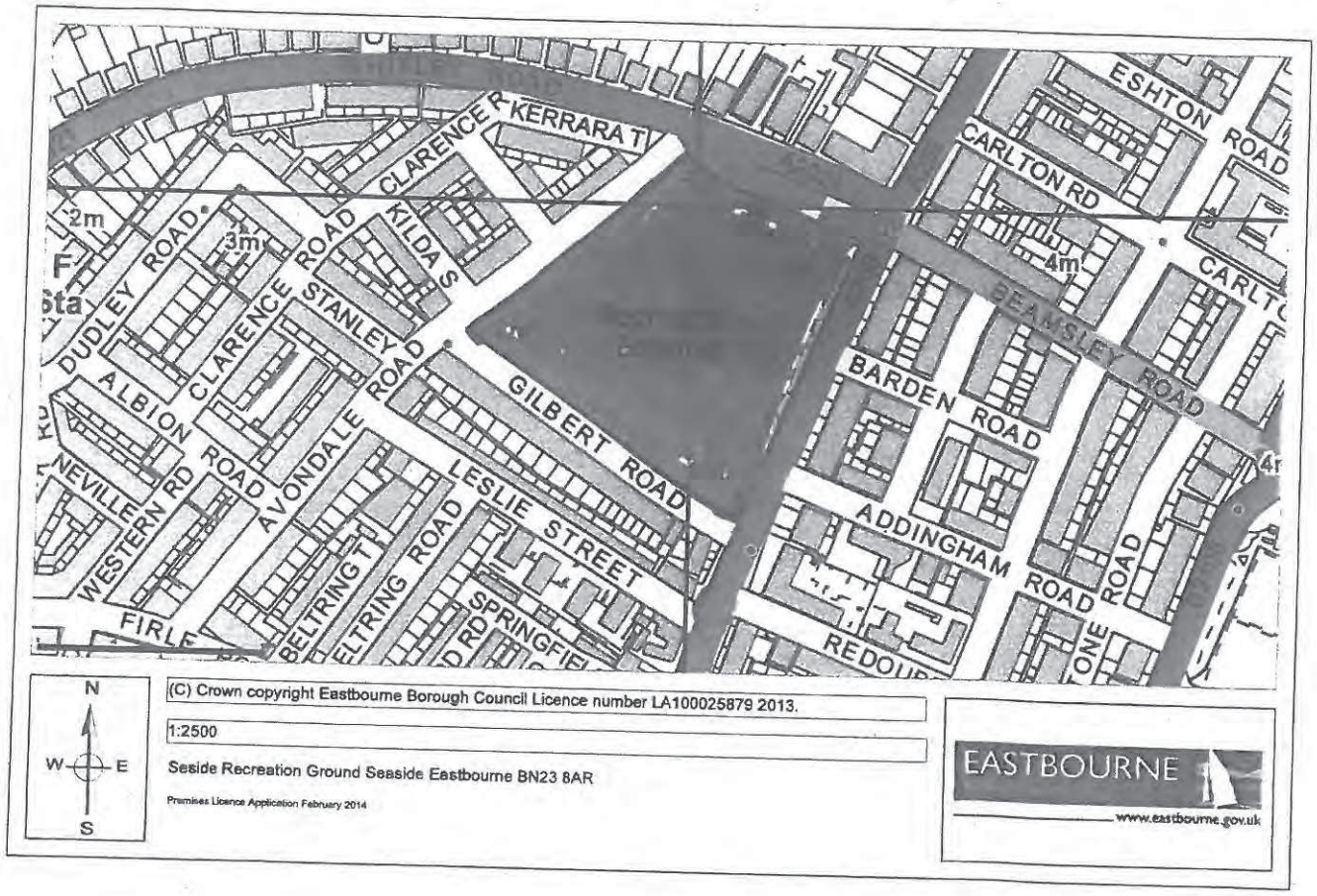
Appendix 2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Appendix 3

HOW CAN WE IMPROVE SEASIDE REC?

Hi, my name is Jo Warren and I live at the bottom of Whitley Road, near St.Agnes Church. I recently saw the proposed license application for the rec posted on the entrance gate. I was concerned that a license for alcohol and events being held up to 12am at weekends may affect the quality of the area, due to increased noise and associated disturbance.

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Alternatively you can answer some of the questions below and I will collect this form on Tuesday and drop it into the council on Wednesday. Thanks for reading and please do get involved if you have any thoughts or opinions.

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With no restrictions, with a full alcohol license and events held at night	☐	☑	
If no, would you prefer events held at any time but with no alcohol?	☑ and	☑	Depends on event.
Would you prefer events only to be held during the day? If yes what time to end?	☑	☐	7.00pm.

If you have any further comments please write here:

My main concern is parking and noise with having 3½ yr old Twins and other children in the area noise level a great concern aswell as parking its bad enough as it is will events allow cars to be parked on the Rec. PTO.

Please bear in mind that the more restrictions placed, the less likely event holders will be attracted to use the site, so a balance must be found. If you are happy to, please include your name and house number and road name opposite. Many Thanks! Jo Warren

MRS SAVENA ROUND.
2, MONK ROAD.

I have lived here for many years and the noise levels at weekends with students, underage drinkers causing noise and Disturbance has been a problem and I have contacted the police on many a occassion to report noise. I am in agreement the use of the rec for events is an excellent idea but a reasonable finishing time is I think around 7pm. Especially as I live right opposite the Park on junction of Avondale / MONA ROAD and my bedroom like other houses faces the Park, and my twins bedroom is located to the side so with windows open noise can be heard quite easily My other main concern is the Dog MESS that is still left in the Park and Dogs also urinate on the grass and people with have to ~~sit~~ sit around in it.

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As an ex Publican my concern would be late night drinking, disturbing the residents including Myself.

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Mrs M. R Sandford
18 Whitley Road

Josephine Warren
20 Whitley Road
Eastbourne
East Sussex
BN22 8NJ

26th March 2014

REF: 005710

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing with reference to the proposed change of use/ license application for Seaside Rec, Eastbourne (ref number above). I am a resident living opposite the Rec, so I feel any events held here would directly affect us. I attended a meeting last week with councillor Steve Wallis concerning the issue, and learnt that there is much effort being made to improve the area. I totally agree this is something that needs to be addressed, especially since there are increased sightings of drug dealing in the area, fouling of the Rec by dogs and some antisocial behaviour in the playground some nights. However I do not feel that granting an alcolhol permit in order to attract event holders is the answer here. I am concerned that the area is not suitable nor ready to hold events of this kind, being so close to neighbouring houses. There are many young families such as myself that would suffer from disturbances from events being held late at night, from noise especially.

I felt it necessary to consult some of my neighbours about the issue in person, so I devised a quick questionnaire to this effect. I have included some of the returns with this letter, and received a great deal of feedback from residents around the Rec who mostly feel late night events with alcohol would not be suitable. There are problems with parking too around the Rec which would need serious consideration.

Yet I do not want to discourage the postive actions of the local councillors who are trying to improve the area. Most residents would like to see the Rec improved, cleaned up and made more user friendly and I am interested to discuss alternative ways of achieving this at the meeting planned for the 9th April at St. Agnes Church. Personally I would prefer the public toilets to be rebuilt with perhaps a cafe and the playground area improved with perhaps more softer landscaping/ woodland areas or a skate park. I'm very happy to help organise fundraising events to raise money towards this. Ideas I have had are a vintage fair, cinema screenings of classical music/theatre and a summer BBQ event.

So to summarise, I would not like an alcohol license permitting events during the evening, and I would not like events to be held later than 9pm on weekends.

Yours Sincerely

Josephine Warren

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& AVONDALE ROAD

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Signed, C. [illegible] 55 Clarence Rd BN22 8HG.

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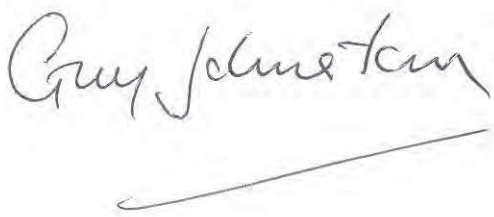

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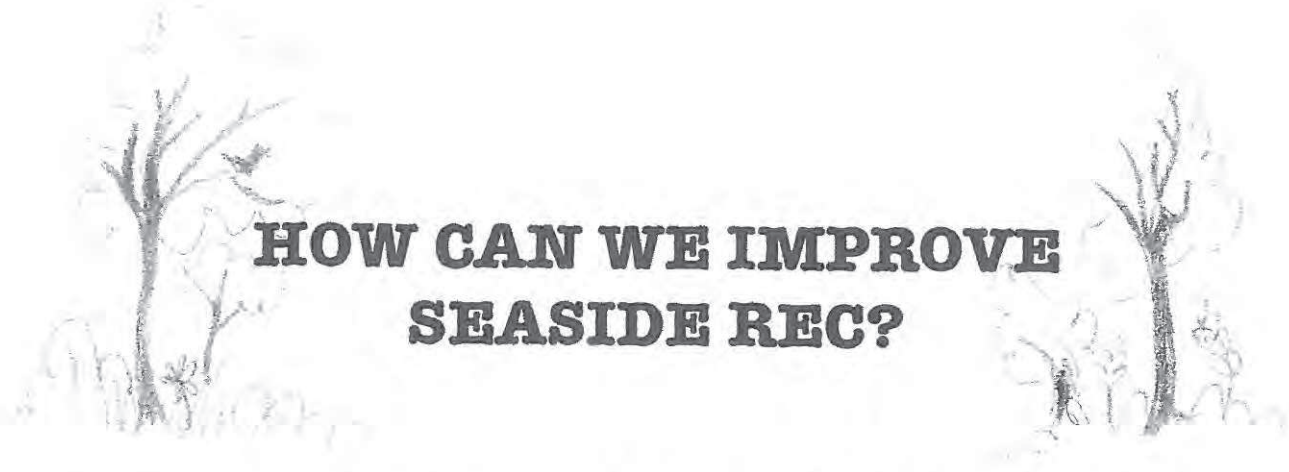

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If events were held during the day only. We wouldn't mind the sale of alcohol

EMILY JEFFREYS, AVONDALE RD.

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I wish to raise my objection to the licensing of the Whitley Road Rec/Seaside Rec.
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First the rec is a childrens play park and having alcohol in the vicinity of children would be unacceptable.I feel that this would put children at risk if drinking is freely allowed in the park.
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The whole licensing of the rec would increase the potential for social disturbance due to alcohol being consumed
Being a childrens play area the impact on the children could be a concern seeing adults drinking is the wrong message to give out.
The rec is an open space and the extra parking round the area could increase the potential of accidents for the children crossing the roads etc.
The main issue I have is the late night and alcohol I just feel it will put more pressure on the emergency services as alcohol could potentially bring trouble especially in outside events,street drinking in the surrounding area could become a problem.the houses being so close to the park would be the issue with late night noise due to music or instruments and in fact crowds gathering etc.Many households have young children who's sleep could be disturbed.
I am not against events being held in the Recreation ground they have been held successfully for years it's the alcohol license and late night license I'm opposed to ,I just do not think the Rec needs alcohol ,people should be able to enjoy themselves without a drinks license and if they cannot and need a drink then use the local pub on the corner.
The impact on the surrounding area needs to be looked at when making your decision,let's have more family and children orientated events and attract the right people to a childrens play area.
Please could you reply to me so I know you have my objection.

2 Gilbert Road
Eastbourne
Bn22 8ja

[redacted]
Stephen Spence
[redacted]

INCOMING EMAIL

From: [redacted]
To: CustomerFirst <CustomerFirst@eastbourne.gov.uk>
Date: 25/03/2014 20:39:25
Subject: Ref 005710

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No license, should be issued.

Objections:

Residents in the surrounding roads of Avondale Road, Gilbert Road, Seaside and a few in Whitley Road which overlook the recreation area have not been properly consulted. Many unaware that a recent meeting was on the behalf of the council. Or not being consulted at all.

The declarations fixed to the gates and fence of the recreation ground being insufficient. I have not seen any newspaper declarations of the proposals.

Rowdiness and underage drinking is a regular occurrence in the recreational area during the summer, which is not policed, apart from weekend police anti-social campaigns.

The prevention of public nuisance – Extra policing will need to be provided

The protection of children from harm – A children's play area is provided in the recreation ground, and should not be subjected to drinkers possibly using the play area.

Public safety – Surrounded by busy (rat run) roads and one larger road. Will require upgrading the gates and perimeter hedge / fencing to stop access to the roads.

G.Button
61 Avondale Road
Eastbourne

INCOMING EMAIL

From: Rich Moore [redacted]
To: CustomerFirst <CustomerFirst@eastbourne.gov.uk>
Date: 25/03/2014 20:01:25
Subject: Proposed license application Seaside Whitley Rd Eastbourne

Dear Sirs

I write with regard to the proposed license application for the recreation area opposite my home on Seaside, Eastbourne.

I wish to record my concerns and objection to the proposal to change the licensing arrangements, and add that I would be very upset and stressed about late events, in particular those involving alchohol sales.

My partner and I have to both work at time that require sleep during early evenings, including weekends and such events would cause problems with this.

I feel that Seaside/Whitley park is very much a residential area that would not lend itself to such a license being granted.

I would be very happy to discuss my concerns further and very much hope that this does not go ahead without further consultation with the locate residents.

Can I also add that I would be concerned about the amount of parking available in the area that would also be impacted on during organised events.

Yours sincerely

Richard Moore
173 Seaside
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BN22 7NP

INCOMING EMAIL

From: [redacted]
To: CustomerFirst <CustomerFirst@eastbourne.gov.uk>
Date: 24/03/2014 16:40:24
Subject: Ref No 005710 Whitley Road recreation ground

Mr Christopher Street

81 Avondale Road

Eastbourne

E.Sussex

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As an Eastbourne resident overlooking the recreation ground, I strongly object to any proposal that allows any event to be held there until midnight.

I would like the ground to be used for family friendly events only and therefore do not feel it is necessary to have an alchohol license at all and that these events should finish no later than 9pm

Thankyou and I am voicing the opinion of many residents that live close to the ground. I was unable to go to the meeting last week and am disappointed that the notice to voice opinions/objections is so short.

INCOMING EMAIL

From: alan toft [redacted]
To: CustomerFirst <CustomerFirst@eastbourne.gov.uk>
Date: 24/03/2014 11:28:24
Subject: Ref 005710 Objection to Seaside Rec licence application

Ref 005710
This is an objection to the granting of a general licence for the sale and consumption of alcohol on the Seaside Recreation Ground, Eastbourne.
We strongly object to the granting of this licence on the following grounds :

1. It is hugely inappropriate to allow a general licence to allow the sale of alcohol on a recreation ground used by families, children of all ages, under-18's and local sports teams.

2. There exists in the area already ample licenced premises where alcohol can be consumed by users of the recreation ground should they so require.

3. The granting of such a general licence will by its very availability encourage commercial interests and irresponsible people to create events where the sale and consumption of alcohol is a component for profit.

4. The very idea of granting a general alcohol licence for any reason on recreation grounds used for enjoyment by families, children, and teenagers severely conflicts with current Coalition Government strategy which strongly discourages any increase in the exposure of alcohol to young people and minors.

5. Should a specific event require a licence then this should be processed by specific application by the event organisers. In this way the local authority could monitor the suitability of making alcohol available at the event and prevent any abuse of the availability of a general licence.

In this regard, we are surprised to learn that the local authority believes this may discourage event organisers from coming to Eastbourne. This attitude reflects a lack of understanding of the duty of care - an overall responsibility inherent upon every local authority.

Surely the care of young people and their environment comes before the commercial interests of event organisers?

Alan & Mary Toft,
23 Coastguard Square,
Addingham Road,
Eastbourne.

Appendix 4

	YES	NO	TIME
Are you happy for the Rec to hold events: With no restrictions, with a full alcohol license and events held at night	☒	☐	11PM - 11.30
If no, would you prefer events held at any time but with no alcohol?	☐	☐	
Would you prefer events only to be held during the day? If yes what time to end?	☐	☐	_____

If you have any further comments please write here:

HAPPY TO SEE THE REC UTILISED. CONCERNS OVER RUBBISH, ALSO DOGS FOR LEFT BY EARLY MORN/LATE EVE WALKERS (I HATE DOGS). HAPPY TO ATTEND MTG TO DISCUSS ALL.

Alexis Swain [redacted]

Please bear in mind that the more restrictions placed, the less likely event holders will be attracted to use the site, so a balance must be found. If you are happy to, please include your name and house number and road name opposite. Many Thanks! Jo Warren

INCOMING EMAIL

From: Anni & Guy Johnston [redacted]
To: CustomerFirst <CustomerFirst@eastbourne.gov.uk>
Date: 26/03/2014 16:20:26
Subject: Ref 005710

As long time residents of Gilbert Road we would like to add our support to the proposed licensing of Seaside Rec.

It's important to encourage better use of this valuable open space and it can only improve as more people use the area, which will in it's turn discourage antisocial behaviour. The drinking and drug dealing is going on now and has nothing to do with whether there is a licence or not.

People seem to think that if there is an alcohol licence it cannot be a family friendly event. We often visit the Lammas fair on the Western lawns which has a beer tent and that has proved successful, although this is a daytime event. But then most family events would take place during the day.

We think a sensible time would be an alcohol licence until 10.30 at the latest to allow people to disperse at a reasonable time. And to take each application for an event to be considered individually.

The Rec needs rescuing. With a bit of investment to make it a more attractive space it could turn into a valuable social asset.

Guy & Anna Johnston
[redacted]

Appendix 5

INCOMING EMAIL

From: Tilly Padden [redacted]
To: CustomerFirst <CustomerFirst@eastbourne.gov.uk>
Date: 27/03/2014 11:57:27
Subject: Fw: Ref 005710 Seaside rec

On Thursday, 27 March 2014, 11:48, Tilly Padden [redacted] wrote:

27th March 2014.

Councillor Steve Wallis

URGENT

I have only just received my letter re the above. I have been away therefore not been able to respond to proposals. I am deeply concerned about the rec, as in the 8 years I have lived at no 1 Mona rd have seen many problems to do with drugs and alcohol. Therefore I do not agree that alcohol should be available on the rec. I am a supporter of the Christ Church, charity group who helps to restore peoples lives affected by there addictions mentioned. We really need to clean Eastbourne from these terrible addictions and if it were allowed on the rec it would only encourage people to continue with their drinking in public. It is my understanding that drinking in public places in Eastbourne is not or was not allowed ? ! Apart from what I am saying also the social problems it would bring to the residential area would be detrimental to the lovely community. I know first hand what it is like to see a person ruin their lives with alcohol. Yes it would be nice to see friendly little events on the green but as you know parking is an issue around the seaside rec so therefore that will cause more problems and needs to be taken into consideration. It is very difficult in my road when the football season is in.

Yours faithfully

Mrs A Padden . I look forward to hearing from you

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