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8 June 2023

To:- Councillors Grant (Chair) Brennan-Whitefield, Ferry, Kilbride, Pollock, Scott and Townson.

Dear Councillor

SOUTH AYRSHIRE LICENSING BOARD

You are requested to participate in the meeting of the above Board to be held on **Thursday, 15 June 2023 at 10.00 a.m.** for the purpose of considering the undernoted business.

This meeting will be held on a hybrid basis in County Hall for Elected Members with a remote option, will be live-streamed and available to view at <https://south-ayrshire.public-i.tv/>

Please note that a briefing meeting will take place for all Board Members at 9.15 a.m., online and in the Prestwick Committee Room.

Yours sincerely

**CATRIONA CAVES
Clerk to the Licensing Board**

B U S I N E S S

1. Declarations of Interest.
2. Date of Next Board Meeting – Wednesday 23 August 2023 at 10:00 a.m.
3. Minutes of previous meeting of Thursday 18 May 2023.
(copy herewith)

4. Report by Licensing Standards Officer.

5. Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005

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6. Any Other Business.

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SOUTH AYRSHIRE LICENSING BOARD.

Minutes of a hybrid webcast meeting held on 18 May 2023 at 10.00 a.m.

Present: Councillors William Grant (Chair), Laura Brennan-Whitefield, Martin Kilbride, Bob Pollock, Gavin Scott and Duncan Townson.

Apology: Councillor Stephen Ferry.

Attending: K. Briggs, Service Lead – Legal and Licensing and Depute Clerk to the Licensing Board; L McChristie, Co-Ordinator, Legal and Licencing; C. Andrew, Licensing Standards Officer; B. Seditas, Co-ordinator (Trading Standards and Environmental Health); J. McClure, Committee Services Lead Officer; C. Griffiths, Committee Services Assistant; and E. Moore, Committee Services Assistant.

Also

Attending: Inspector I. McColl, Police Scotland.

Opening Remarks

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting and outlined the procedures for conducting this meeting; and advised that this meeting would be broadcast live.

1. Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest by Members of the Board in terms of the Councillors' Code of Conduct.

2. Date of Next Board Meeting

The Chair advised that the next Board meeting would be held on Thursday 15 June 2023 at 10.00 a.m.

3. Minutes of Previous Meeting

The [Minutes](#) of the Meeting of South Ayrshire Licensing Board of 20 April 2023 (issued) were submitted.

Decided: to approve the Minutes of the previous meeting.

4. Update by Licensing Standards Officer

The Licensing Standards Officer advised:

- (1) that she had recently attended the Scottish National at Ayr Racecourse and the Pavilion Festival on Ayr Low Green, with both events being very well attended;

- (2) that, in relation to the Scottish National,
 - (a) she had held a briefing meeting with supervisors prior to the race meeting and that significant improvements had been made since last year's race meeting with more supervision taking place during the event this year and racecourse permanent staff more easily identifiable due to their knowledge and awareness; and
 - (b) staff and Police Scotland were to be commended for their actions in dealing with the protestors in such an efficient manner;
- (3) that, in relation to the Pavilion Festival,
 - (a) she had attended the event on the Saturday, which had been a younger age group compared to the Sunday and had quickly resolved the few small issues which had arisen such as alcohol being consumed near to and on the big wheel; and that she had also addressed this in her feedback to the organisers;
 - (b) good practices had been displayed by the agency staff including the operation of the Challenge 25 policy;
 - (c) there had been a high police presence, including the use of police dogs at the event and members of the public had commented that this added to the safety of the event; and
 - (d) that feedback she had received from the licensed trade in Ayr had advised that they had benefited from the event on the Sunday due to visitors to the Festival going for breakfast or lunch prior to the event and visiting pubs after the event for drinks; and
- (4) that the licensed trade were being made aware that there would soon be an opportunity for them to offer their feedback on the Board's draft Statement of Licensing Policy.

The Chair then advised that he had recently met with members of the later opening premises in Ayr and had an open and frank discussion on the impact of events in the area on the local licensed trade which had been very beneficial.

Inspector McColl, Police Scotland outlined that no negative feedback had been received from the Scottish National; that, in relation to the Pavilion Festival, a debriefing had yet to take place, however, only small issues had been raised which had been resolved quickly by Police Scotland and the Licensing Standards Officer; and that these had been very positive events for the town.

Comments were made by Board Members in relation to:-

- (i) positive feedback received from local residents in relation to the Pavilion Festival regarding the noise breakout being minimised and the large police presence;
- (ii) both events being very well attended and well organised due to the robust planning which had taken place prior to the events;
- (iii) being pleased to note the feedback from Police Scotland on the Scottish National given the concerns following last year's race meeting indicating that management had addressed the Board's concerns;
- (iv) thanking the Licensing Standards Officer for her work in assisting the organisers of the Pavilion Festival which had resulted in a good standard of event going forward; and

- (v) that events of this calibre put Ayr back on the map; and that the Board would continue to support organisers of events to ensure they were held safely.

Decided: to note the Licensing Standards Officer's update.

5. **Revocation of Personal Licences**

There was submitted a [report](#) (issued) of 4 May 2023 by the Clerk to the Licensing Board advising the Board of the revocation of personal licences since the last Board meeting.

Decided: to note that seventeen licences had been revoked under delegated powers.

6. **Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005**

(a) **Application for Variation of Premises Licence**

The Board considered the following applications:-

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>
(1) Thai Phanya Limited	@Home 95/97 New Road Ayr

Additional dining area created, bar relocation and new store created with new alcohol storage. Change in capacity from 50 persons to 62 persons. No objections.

Having heard from the Depute Clerk to the Board and the applicant, the Board granted the above application.

(2) Sandie Graham	The Carrick 15 Whitehall Maybole
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- (a) Addition of Live music performances along with recorded music in the lounge area.
- (b) Removal of condition requiring licensed door stewards on Friday and Saturday nights from 9pm.
- (c) Allow under 18s on the Premises if accompanied by an adult for consumption of hot food.

The Board heard from the Depute Clerk to the Board, Police Scotland, the Licensing Standards Officer, the Co-ordinator (Trading Standards and Environmental Health) and from the applicant who advised that she was now withdrawing (a) and (c) above from the application and outlining improvements made to the premises to try to address the concerns previously raised by the Board.

Following questions, the Board adjourned for consideration of this application.

Upon reconvening, the Board refused the above application (b) on the grounds that it was inconsistent with the Licensing Objectives Preventing Crime and Disorder; Securing Public Safety; and Preventing Public Nuisance.

Councillor Kilbride left the meeting at this point.

(b) Applications for Occasional Licences

The Board considered the following applications:-

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>
(1) Nan Li	Blairquhan Castle Straiton
Wedding – 08/08/23 – Monday from 12 noon to 1.00 a.m. Outwith Board Policy	
(2) Nan Li	Blairquhan Castle Straiton
Birthday Celebration – 12/08/23 – Saturday from 3.00 p.m. to 1.00 a.m. Outwith Board Policy	
(3) Nan Li	Blairquhan Castle Straiton
Wedding – 17/08/23 and 18/08/23 – Thursday from 1.00 p.m. to Midnight; Friday from noon to 1.00 a.m. Outwith Board Policy	
Having heard from the Licensing Standards Officer, the Board granted the applications (1) to (3) above.	

7. Statement of Licensing Policy

There was submitted a report (issued) of 3 May 2023 by the Clerk to the Licensing Board advising of the review of the Statement of Licensing Policy; and seeking approval to submit a draft updated Policy for public consultation for a period of two months, following which the Board would further consider the matter.

The Board

Decided:

- (1) to approve the draft Statement of Licensing Policy (attached as Appendix 1 to the report) for issuing for public consultation for a period of two months; and
- (2) thereafter to consider representations received at a future meeting of the Licensing Board after the summer recess.

8. Closing Remarks.

The Chair thanked everyone in attendance and concluded the meeting.

The meeting ended at 11.30 a.m.

Application for Variation of Premises Licence

1.	The National Trust For Scotland Enterprises Limited		Robert Burns Birthplace Museum Burns National Heritage Park Murdoch's Lone Alloway	
	Existing Licensed Hours		Proposed Licensing Hours	
	On Sales	Off Sales	On Sales	Off Sales
Monday	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00
Tuesday	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00
Wednesday	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00
Thursday	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00
Friday	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00
Saturday	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00
Sunday	10:00 – 00:00	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 00:30	10:00 – 22:00
<p>Q4 – Yes to seasonal variations and add the following wording - Extra hours to be added to the terminal hour as per Board guidelines on Festive Hours and at any other time the Board grants a general extension for special occasions from time to time.</p> <p>Q5 – Add the following activities during and outwith core hours – Gaming, indoor/outdoor sports/televised sport</p> <p>Q5 – Replace with the following wording - Activities listed above may take place prior to core hours (not normally before 8am) but no alcohol will be sold outwith core hours unless an extended hours certificate is in place. Activities will not continue after core hours unless an extended hours certificate is in place.</p> <p>Q5f) – Replace with the following wording - The premises may operate as a visitor attraction and private hire event space with catering provision. Weddings, receptions and other celebrations may take place. Private, corporate, community and charity events may include fundraising (raffles, auctions and the like). Tastings and samplings, demonstrations and events such as exhibitions may occur from time to time. Special events including product launches. Ceremonies, meetings, conferences, presentations, crafts and markets may take place from time to time. There may be shows, concerts and plays. General retail may occur.</p> <p>Q6b) – Replace with the following wording - Children and young persons will be permitted access at management discretion</p> <p>Q6c) – Replace with the following wording – 0-17 years</p> <p>Q6d) – Replace with the following wording – All times</p> <p>Q6e) – Replace with the following wording – All public parts</p>				

2.

Marks And Spencer PLC

Marks & Spencer
82 High Street
Ayr

	Existing Licensed Hours		Proposed Licensing Hours	
	On Sales	Off Sales	On Sales	Off Sales
Monday	N/A	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00
Tuesday	N/A	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00
Wednesday	N/A	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00
Thursday	N/A	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00
Friday	N/A	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00
Saturday	N/A	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00
Sunday	N/A	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00	10:00 – 22:00

To vary the description of the premises.

To allow the consumption of alcohol on the premises withing the existing customer café.

Alcohol sold for consumption in the café will be limited to the permitted hours.

This will also include free alcohol tasting, cookery demonstrations and a range of other ancillary customer activities/services may be provided on an occasional basis outwith core hours.

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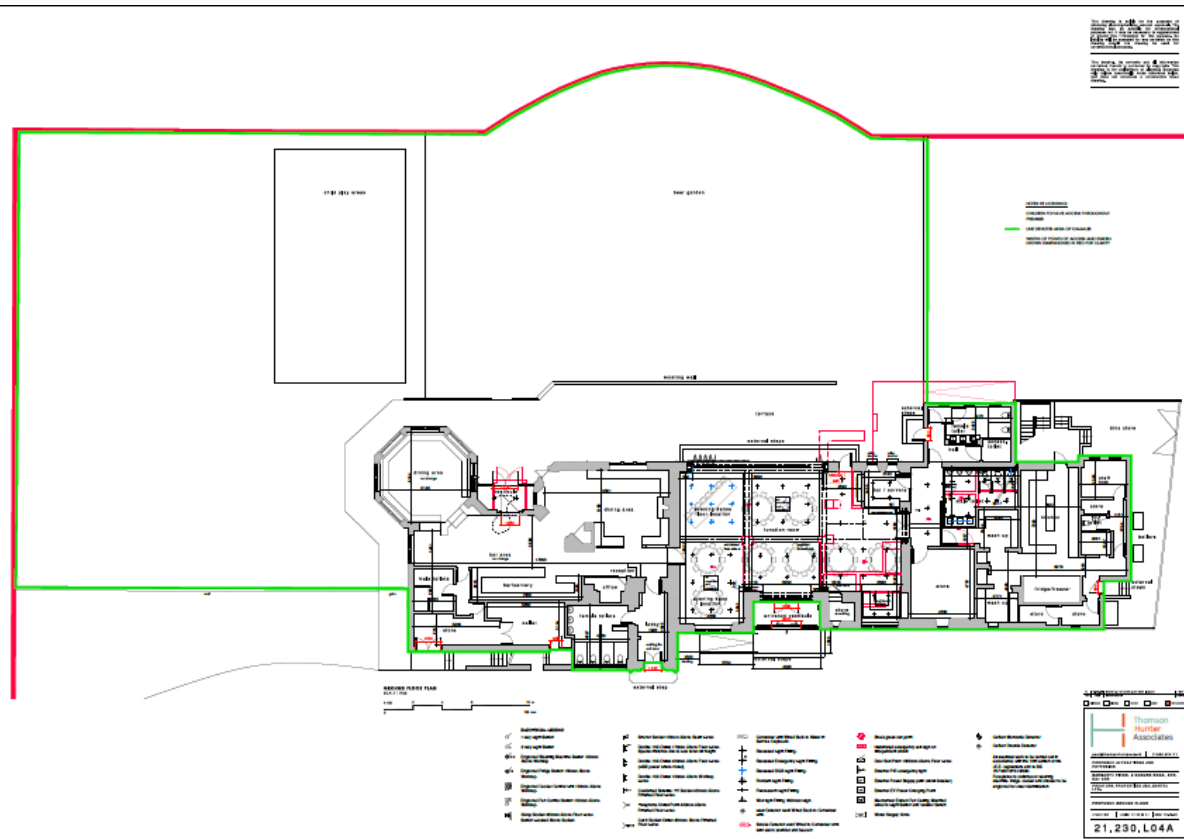
Praetura Properties (Balgarth) Limited

The Balgarth Pines

8 Dunure Road

Ayr

Change windows in restaurant to one bio fold door
Remove all fixed seating in the restaurant.
Remove all internal walls in restaurant.
Reconfiguration of garden area
Modernisation of existing areas and facilities.
Upgrades to existing toilet and bar facilities.
No change to Current capacity on licence
To upgrade to new disabled facilities



4.

Prestwick Cricket Club

Prestwick Cricket Club
11 Ayr Road
Prestwick

	Existing Licensed Hours		Proposed Licensing Hours	
	On Sales	Off Sales	On Sales	Off Sales
Monday	16:30 – 23:00	N/A	11:00 – 00:30	11:00 – 22:00
Tuesday	16:30 – 23:00	N/A	11:00 – 00:30	11:00 – 22:00
Wednesday	16:30 – 23:00	N/A	11:00 – 00:30	11:00 – 22:00
Thursday	16:30 – 23:00	N/A	11:00 – 00:30	11:00 – 22:00
Friday	16:30 – 00:30	N/A	11:00 – 00:30	11:00 – 22:00
Saturday	11:00 – 00:30	N/A	11:00 – 00:30	11:00 – 22:00
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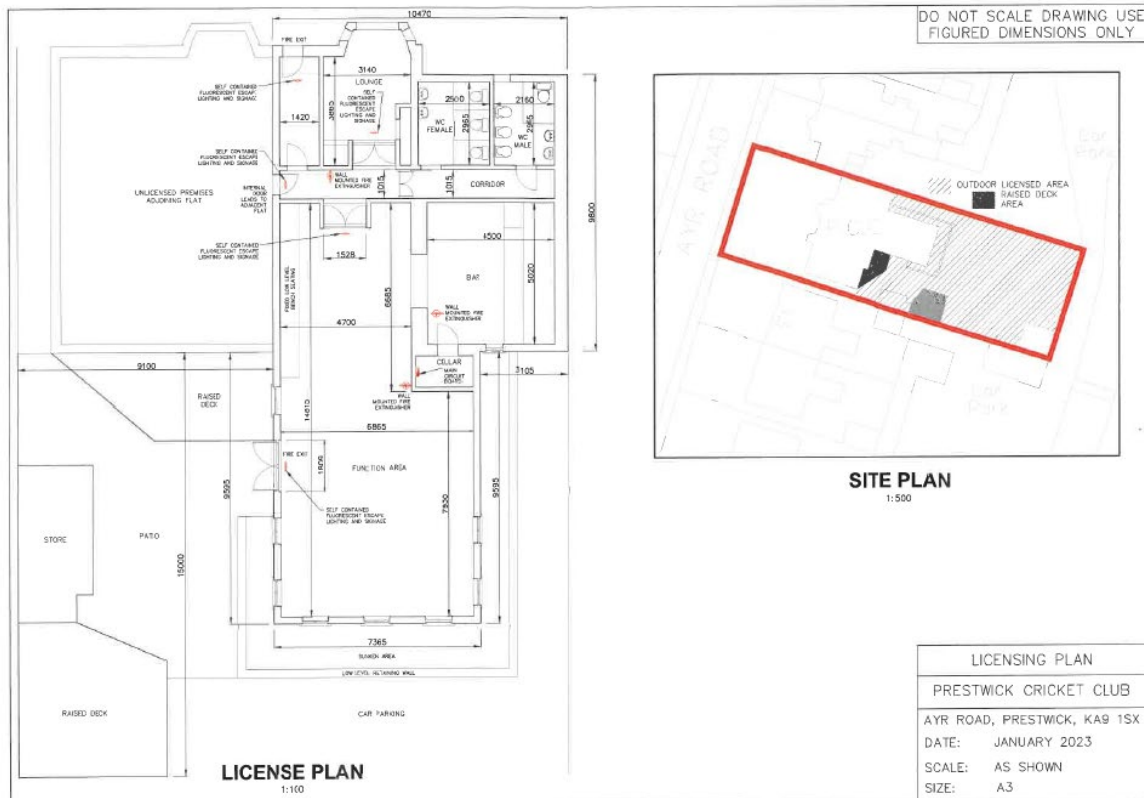
Amend core hours as above.

Add Off-Sale.

Addition of seasonal variations

Amend children and young person’s statement to allow 0-17 years access to all areas with the exception of sitting at the bar during core hours if accompanied by an adult.

Amend licensed area



Application for the Grant of a Personal Licence

Application Number	Name of Applicant
SA/23/00031/LAPRS	Jamie Allen
SA/23/00050/LAPRS	Rikki Chamberlain

Application for Occasional Licence

Applicant	Premises	Event	Dates Requested	Times Requested
Alastair McClymont	The Shed Parkhouse Stables Symington	21 st Birthday Party	8 th July 2023	19.00 – 01.00* *Outwith Board Policy LSO Report (copy herewith)
Hawthorn Leisure Scotco Limited	Car Park Adjacent to the Red Lion 9 The Cross Prestwick	Beer garden, external dining, service of food and drink	19.06.2023 – 02.07.2023	11.00 – 22.00 LSO Report (copy herewith)
Hawthorn Leisure Scotco Limited	Car Park Adjacent to the Red Lion 9 The Cross Prestwick	Beer garden, external dining, service of food and drink	03.07.2023 – 16.07.2023	11.00 – 22.00 LSO Report (copy herewith)
Hawthorn Leisure Scotco Limited	Car Park Adjacent to the Red Lion 9 The Cross Prestwick	Beer garden, external dining, service of food and drink	17.07.2023 – 30.07.2023	11.00 – 22.00 LSO Report (copy herewith)
Hawthorn Leisure Scotco Limited	Car Park Adjacent to the Red Lion 9 The Cross Prestwick	Beer garden, external dining, service of food and drink	31.07.2023 – 13.08.2023	11.00 – 22.00 LSO Report (copy herewith)

Alastair McClymont – Personal Licence Holder
Occasional Licence Application – 8th July 2023
Report by Licensing Standards Officer

I refer to the Occasional Licence application made by Alastair McClymont for a 21st Birthday party at 'The Shed', Parkhouse Stables, Symington.

The application requests a terminal hour of 1.00am, which is outwith the Board's Policy. The location of the event is a large shed near the A77, which is a predominantly used as a horse riding arena. There are a few other houses in the area, however as these are also bordering the main road they are likely to experience significant traffic noise also on a regular basis and thus the licensing objective 'Preventing Public Nuisance' is unlikely to be an immediate concern with regards to noise.

This venue has not been the subject of previous Occasional Licences, however the applicant is a personal licence holder who is known to the Board as a regular applicant for alcohol provision at rural locations and no negative feedback has been received as a result.

I note with interest that no under 18's will be present at this event and have no objections to the grant of this application as I am satisfied it is in keeping with what has previously been granted by this Board.

Catrina Andrew
Licensing Standards Officer
23rd May 2023

L.S.O Report to South Ayrshire Licensing Board
Occasional Licence Application – Red Lion, Prestwick

As you will be aware the Red Lion premises is accessed off the main Prestwick/Monkton Road, Crofthead Road runs up the side of the building and current car park and Saunterne Road is at the rear of the premises.

Since the Licensing (Scotland) Act came into force in 2009, the premises have had permission for 'outside drinking' and the current operating plan for the premises allows food to be consumed in the outside area from 9am Monday to Sunday, and alcohol from 10am Monday to Sunday with the terminal hour for both being 10pm.

The 'currently approved' outside drinking area can be seen in the photograph labelled as Photograph 1.

Since hospitality premises were permitted to re-open following the Covid 19 Lockdown, these premises (like others in South Ayrshire) benefitted from Occasional Licences which allowed use of the car park area as an extension to the permitted area for outside drinking.

In 2020, a total of 8 Occasional Licence applications were granted consecutively which permitted the use of the car park area for consumption of alcohol from 6th July to 25th October inclusive. There were a total of 15 Occasional Licences granted in 2021, which in turn allowed use of the area from 26th April to 21st November inclusive. Also in 2022 there were a further 8 consecutive Occasional Licences granted from 27th May to 15th September inclusive.

The area that is proposed for use in terms of this current application has been operated over the winter months as a car park and storage area for the 'huts' that form part of the seating for the outside dining. Therefore at this current time the side adjacent to Crofthead Road (as shown in picture 2, the site plan) is open. However I understand that the applicant proposes to erect a fence around the perimeter which aims to help to keep the area secure, to ensure no alcohol leaves the designated area and also act as a noise and behaviour 'barrier' to local residents and those using the footpath.

As the applicant has indicated with a 'red line' the area around the licensed premises and full car park, I am not clear on the proposed full extent of the applicant site and whether this is to include the area which is labelled as 'existing car park'. The Board may wish to clarify with the applicant if the site is to remain the same size and layout as per previous years, or if it is the intention to make use of the additional space as this may have further impact on the ability to meet the licensing objective of 'preventing public nuisance'.

In 2021 the then Depute Clerk of the Licensing Board was in correspondence with local residents who had reported concerns in relation to noise and alleged 'anti-social language' as a result of the external drinking area. This resulted in the Depute Clerk contacting the applicants representative to advise that if the concerns escalated to an objection then this would affect the ability to grant Occasional Licences under delegated powers.

Later in 2021, the complaint was passed to me as LSO and I spoke to residents who had concerns with the operation of outside areas for this and other licensed premises in the local area. These discussions also included making it clear what the powers and restrictions were in relation to each Council department and outside agencies and how concerns could best be dealt with. There was also an acceptance that the trading restrictions that had been placed on the hospitality trade throughout the Covid period and the fact that more people were spending

time at home during what would previously have been considered 'normal working hours' had perhaps made local residents more aware of 'outside noise' than they had been previously.

An objection was made by a member of the public in 2021 to the application for further Occasional Licences at the car park area at the Red Lion and this was heard at the licensing Board in August 2021. At the time the Board heard from Police Scotland and Environmental Health who were both able to report that a number of checks over a set period of time had led them to the conclusion that the area was generally well managed and the management team had an awareness of noise concerns and had mitigations in place to prevent any issues. As a result of the information provided, the Board granted the Occasional Licences as they did not consider there to be any breach of the licensing objectives, however the objector was given further information about how to deal with any future concerns and the Board took note of the comment that due to the Occasional Licence process there was limited opportunity for the community to be aware of the applications and object if they felt it was necessary.

Due to this and other similar situations elsewhere in South Ayrshire the Board advised premises in the area that if they intended to continue to use the additional outdoor spaces post-covid legislation then they would expect premises to make an application to vary the licence to include the use of these areas permanently. Following this process would mean that an application would involve consultation with other Council departments and would in turn be notified to neighbours and the local community and give them the opportunity to make representation or objection.

Applications for Occasional Licences were subsequently granted in 2022 and no objections or complaints were received by Licensing Services as a result.

Following the history of these premises, who have shown an awareness of potential noise and disturbance to the local community and managed to put systems in place to mitigate this, I have no objections to the grant of the Occasional Licences as applied for.

However the Board may wish to clarify the following points;

- If area proposed for the Occasional Licence applications that are currently lodged, reflect the position and size of the area that has been the subject of previous licences over the past few years
- If the applicant is in the process of/intends to vary the licence to include the use of the area permanently as a licensed area (even if this is to be on a seasonal basis during specific months annually)

Catrina Andrew

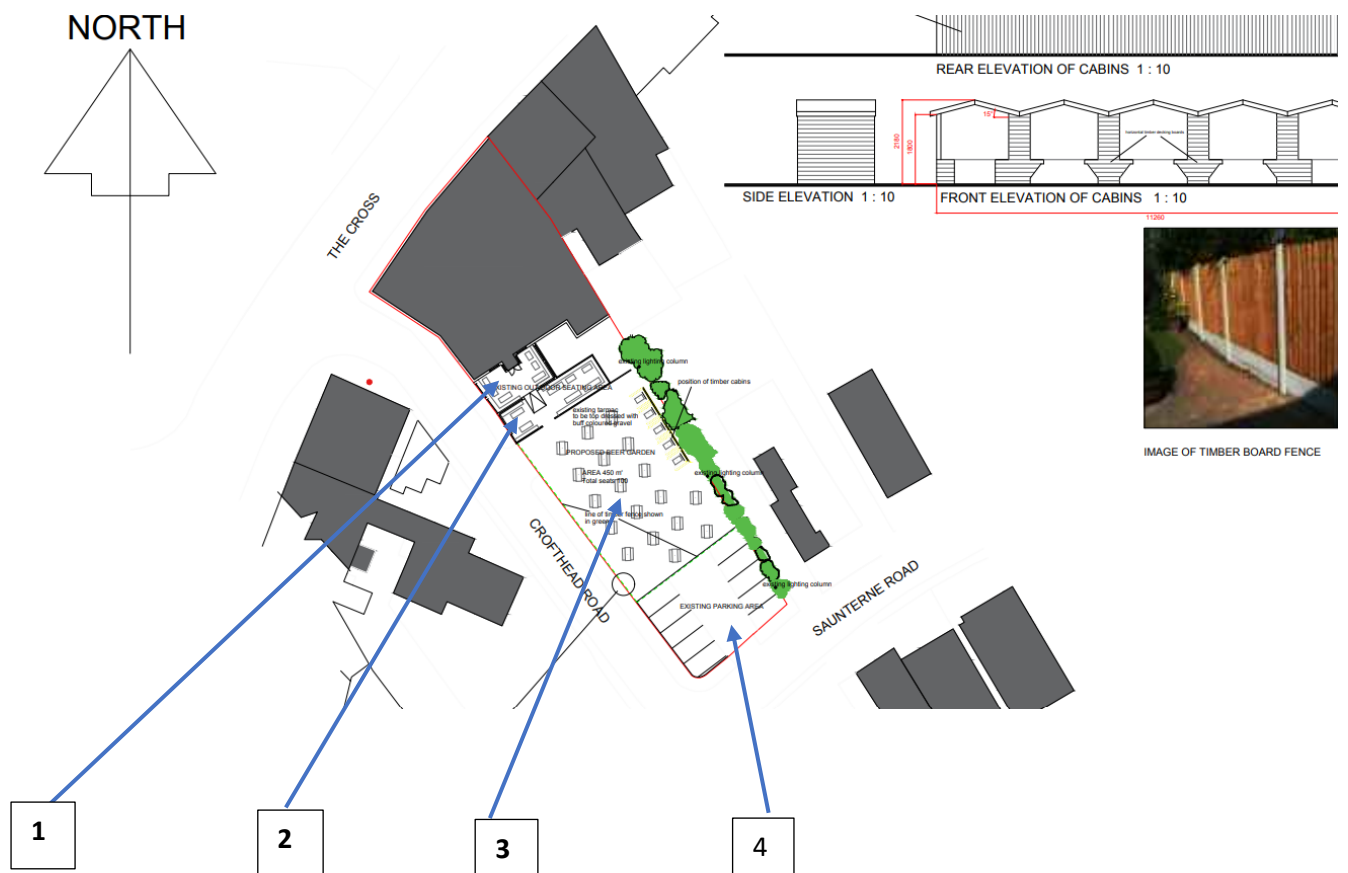
Licensing Standards Officer

5th June 2023

Photograph 1 – Showing the external drinking area as currently approved for permanent use



Photograph 2 – Shows the plan provided by the applicant, showing the area and layout of the external area to be covered by the Occasional Licence



- 1 = Existing outside drinking area, under cover, accessed via the back door of the premises
- 2 = Existing outside drinking area providing further seating and currently open to 'car park'
- 3 = Current car park area that has previously been the subject of Occasional Licences
- 4 = Additional car park area that was not previously included in Occasional Licence area

Photograph 3 – Shows the area set up previously when Occasional Licences were in force



Application for Extended Hours

	Applicant	Premises	Event	Date(s) Requested	Times Requested
1.	Daedalus Properties Limited	Arthur Street Kitchen 11-13 Arthur Street Ayr	Local DJ Event	26.08.2023	02:00 – 03:30* *Outwith Board Policy
2.	Ultimate Leisure Ltd	Vinyl 1-5 Arthur Street Ayr	Summer Bank Holiday	06.08.2023	02:30 – 03:30* *Outwith Board Policy
3.	Sprig Ltd	Printhouse 154 High Street Nile Court Ayr	Summer Bank Holiday	06.08.2023	02:30 – 03:30* *Outwith Board Policy

Daedalus Properties Ltd – Arthur Street Kitchen, Arthur Street, Ayr
Extended Hours Application – 26th August 2023
Report by Licensing Standards Officer

I refer to the Extended Hours application submitted for the above premises which is situated in Arthur Street in the Boswell Park area which is mainly commercial and part of the Town Centre focused on by the SafeAyr initiative.

The application requests a terminal hour of 3.30am on the evening of Saturday 26th August (extending into the morning of Sunday 27th August) and the application refers to a 'DJ Event with George Bowie', which is described by the applicant as 'a special event to be catered for on the premises'.

The applicant has described the event as a 'DJ Event' which is to be headlined by celebrity DJ George Bowie who has a large local following and previous local events he has attended have sold out. For this reason and on the back of the recent success of a weekend music festival in Ayr which brought people to the area, the premises have organised this special event to attract more custom.

These premises are currently permitted core hours on a Saturday night until 2am, although they do not use these full hours on a regular basis due to lack of demand at that time in the morning as there are other premises in the area with later hours. However the applicant has advised that due to the investment to get the 'celebrity DJ' and others to attend the premises, they want to take advantage of the maximum hours available to encourage people to buy tickets to attend.

A few years ago the then South Ayrshire Licensing Board felt that they were receiving a large number of applications for extended hours that described events that may not always be considered individual or special. With this in mind that Board issued a list of 'dates' and 'events' that they felt were of local or National significance and would therefore accept an application to extend trading hours for. In addition to this, the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 permits applications for 'special events to be catered for on the premises' and this particular applicant has suggested that the 'Celebrity DJ Event' would fall into this category.

Given the specific nature of this event and the fact that the applicant premises does not apply for extended hours on a frequent basis, and that the provision of a DJ is not the usual or main activity of these premises, I am satisfied that it meets the criteria for 'a special event to be catered for on the premises'.

As the application requests a 3.30am terminal hour, which is equal to one and a half additional trading hours, I have no objections, however under the Board's current policy this application must be heard at a Board meeting as it is beyond 2.00am.

Catrina Andrew
Licensing Standards Officer
5th June 2023

Ultimate Leisure Ltd – Vinyl, 1-5 Arthur Street, Ayr
Extended Hours Application – 6th August 2023
Report by Licensing Standards Officer

I refer to the Extended Hours application submitted for the above premises which is situated in the Boswell Park area of Ayr which is a mainly commercial area.

The application requests a terminal hour of 3.30am on Sunday 6th August 2023 and refers to 'an event of local or national significance' with the reason given as 'Summer Bank Holiday'.

At the Board meeting of 16th January 2020, the Board agreed a report regarding Extended Hours which gave a list of events that in the opinion of South Ayrshire Licensing Board, were of local or national significance and 'August Bank Holiday' was on the list.

These premises usually only opens currently on a Saturday night, however the operator wishes to take advantage of additional patrons in the area and is therefore asking for the option to open late on Bank Holiday Sunday.

This application requests Extended Hours for one day only due to 'Bank Holiday' on a day which has been identified by the Board and I therefore have no objections.

Catrina Andrew
Licensing Standards Officer
31st May 2023

Sprig Ltd – Printhouse, Nile Court, Ayr
Extended Hours Application – 6th August 2023
Report by Licensing Standards Officer

I refer to the Extended Hours application submitted for the above premises which is situated in Nile Court in Ayr which is a mixed residential and commercial area.

The application requests a terminal hour of 3.30am on Sunday 6th August 2023 and refers to 'an event of local or national significance' with the reason given as 'Summer Bank Holiday'.

At the Board meeting of 16th January 2020, the Board agreed a report regarding Extended Hours which gave a list of events that in the opinion of South Ayrshire Licensing Board, were of local or national significance and 'August Summer Bank Holiday' was on the list.

These premises have enjoyed late opening for this reason for a number of years.

This application requests Extended Hours for one day only which is the day before holiday Monday 7th August, which has been identified by the Board, and I therefore have no objections.

Catrina Andrew
Licensing Standards Officer
31st May 2023