

FALKIRK COUNCIL

MINUTE of MEETING of the LICENSING BOARD held in the COUNCIL CHAMBERS, MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS, FALKIRK on WEDNESDAY 12 JUNE 2013 at 9.30 A.M.

PRESENT: Baillie Buchanan; Councillors McLuckie, Nicol, Nimmo and Ritchie.

CONVENER: Councillor Nicol.

ATTENDING: Clerk; Consumer Protection Manager; Solicitor (P Gilmour); Licensing Co-ordinator (R Watson), and Committee Services Officer (A Fraser).

ALSO

ATTENDING: Environmental Health Officer (S Henderson); and Licensing Standards Officers (D Frod and T Ross).

LB23. APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were intimated on behalf of Councillors Black, Hughes and Turner.

LB24. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations were made.

LB25. MINUTE

There was submitted and **APPROVED** Minute of Meeting of the Licensing Board held on 15 May 2013.

LB26. CAMELON MEMORIAL HALL, BURNSIDE TERRACE, CAMELON

There was submitted report (circulated) dated 30 May 2013 from the Clerk to the Licensing Board providing details of an application for an occasional licence.

Alistair Patterson, applicant, was in attendance.

The Board **NOTED** that an objection had been received in respect of the application and that the objector, David Malley, was in attendance.

There being no preliminary matters, copies of the objection were circulated to Members.

Mr Malley, objector, was heard in support of his objection and in clarification of questions raised by Members.

Mr Patterson, applicant, was then heard in support of his application and in clarification of questions raised by Members.

After discussion, the Board **GRANTED** the occasional licence on Saturday 22 June 2013 from 1930 hrs to 2400 hrs.

The Board **NOTED** (1) an amendment to the application by the applicant to reflect that the activities to be carried out would be changed from “dance with live band” to “cabaret singer with backing tapes”, and (2) that the applicant would arrange for door stewards to be in attendance at the function.

LB27. HOLLANDBUSH LICENSED GROCERS, HOLLANDBUSH AVENUE, BANKNOCK

With reference to Minute of Meeting of the Licensing Board held on 15 May 2013 (Paragraph LB14 refers), there was submitted Report (circulated) dated 17 May 2013 from the Clerk to the Licensing Board (a) providing details of an application made in terms of section 29 of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 for the grant of a variation to the premises licence; (b) advising that the application was part heard on 17 April 2013 and continued to allow an inspection of the premises to be carried out by Members of the Board, and (c) confirming that Members of the Board had made a site inspection of the premises on 29 April 2013.

The Board **NOTED** that a representation had been submitted from Banknock, Higgs and Longcroft Community Council which neither supported nor objected to the application.

The Board heard from the applicant in support of his application and in clarification of questions raised by Members of the Board.

After discussion, the Board **GRANTED** the following variation to the current licence, namely:-

- (1) that the off sales trading hours on Sundays would be from 1000 hrs to 2200 hrs

LB28. STENHOUSEMUIR BOWLING CLUB, 105 CHURCH STREET, STENHOUSEMUIR

There was submitted report (circulated) dated 17 May 2013 from the Clerk to the Licensing Board providing details of an application made in terms of section 29 of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 for the grant of a variation to the premises licence.

The Board heard from the applicant in support of his application and in clarification of questions raised by Members of the Board.

After discussion, the Board **GRANTED** the following variations to the current licence, namely:-

- (1) to amend the on sales trading hours including the removal of the seasonal variation, as follows -

Sunday to Thursday
1000 hrs to 2400 hrs

Friday and Saturday
1000 hrs to 0100 hrs

(2) to the addition of off sales trading hours, as follows –

Monday to Sunday
1000 hrs to 2200 hrs

(3) the addition of the following to the list of approved activities –

- bar meals to be provided within and outwith core operating hours – breakfasts will be provided outwith core hours and no alcohol will be sold or consumed
- indoor/outdoor sports outwith core operating hours – the premises may be open outwith core operating hours for an occasional early morning bowling match and no alcohol will be sold or consumed, and
- recorded music within core operating hours

(4) to vary children and young persons' access to the premises as follows –

- children and young persons will be allowed entry for the purpose of attending a private function only when accompanied by an adult. Children and young persons will be allowed entry unaccompanied for the purpose of participating in a bowls match or spectating
- children aged 0-15 years and young persons aged 16 & 17 years will be allowed entry
- whilst attending a function, children aged 0-5 years will be allowed entry until 2200 hrs; children aged 6-15 years and young persons aged 16 & 17 years will be allowed entry until the terminal hour. Whilst participating in or spectating at bowls games, children aged 0-15 years and young persons aged 16 & 17 years will be allowed entry until 2100 hrs
- children and young persons will be allowed entry to the function suite. The lounge area for toilet access only.

LB29. SPAR, 241 THORNHILL ROAD, FALKIRK

There was submitted report (circulated) dated 17 May 2013 from the Clerk to the Licensing Board providing details of an application made in terms of section 29 of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 for the grant of a variation to the premises licence.

The Consumer Protection Manager advised that the applicant was unable to attend the meeting due to him having a hospital appointment.

After discussion, the Board **AGREED** to **CONTINUE** the application to a future meeting of the Licensing Board to allow an inspection of the premises to be carried out by Licensing Board Members.

LB30. A & O RANA LICENSED GROCERS, 126 CUMBRAE DRIVE, TAMFOURHILL

The Convener advised that this matter would be **CONTINUED** to a future meeting of the Licensing Board.

LB31. 98 HIGH STREET, FALKIRK

There was submitted report (circulated) dated 6 June 2013 from the Clerk to the Licensing Board providing details of an application made in terms of the Gambling Act 2005 for the grant of a Premises Licence – Betting (Other).

The Board heard from the applicant's representative in support of the application and in clarification of questions raised by Members of the Board.

After discussion, the Board **GRANTED** the application for a Premises Licence – Betting (Other).

LB32. UNIT 1, MADDISTON ROAD, RUMFORD, FALKIRK

There was submitted report (circulated) dated 6 June 2013 from the Clerk to the Licensing Board providing details of an application made in terms of the Gambling Act 2005 for the grant of a Premises Licence – Betting (Other).

The Board heard from the applicant's representative in support of the application and in clarification of questions raised by Members of the Board.

After discussion, the Board **GRANTED** the application for a Premises Licence – Betting (Other).