



The Manager of Central Support

N.W.Leicester District Council

Council Office Coalville

3rd JUNE

Dear Sir,

With reference to an application by Ibstock Town and Social Club for permission to hold an event with Loud Music and to amend their Drinks Licence.

I strongly urge you to reject this Application on the following grounds.

Loud Music

The cricket ground is in the middle of a residential area. My bungalow is only twelve feet from the five foot boundary wall. As it is, when the Club plays music on a Saturday evening, with all our doors and windows shut we subject to an intrusive thudding beat which sometimes continues after midnight. So you can understand that noise from the proposed event would be quite intolerable.

Other considerations are parking and sanitation. The roads round about are far too narrow for street parking. Access for Emergency Services could be impeded. The last thing I would want to see is a row of Portaloos against my boundary wall!

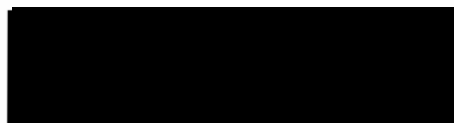
Surely a more suitable venue for the British Legion could be the fields off Pretoria Road which are used for the Ibstock Show. Not too near houses and with adequate parking.

Admission of the general public to the Club bar

Does Ibstock really need another pub? The four we already have are by some accounts, not doing a roaring trade. Recently I walked passed two of them on a fine evening, groups were drinking and smoking outside. What struck me were loud conversations larded with obscenities. I would not like this replicated on the cricket ground on a fine summer evening.

I have spoken to a number of people who share my views, many of them are retired whether or not they will express their views in writing is another matter.

Yours faithfully,



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