

**NORTH WEST LEICESTERSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL  
LICENSING ACT 2003**

**REPRESENTATION FORM**

<b>Your name/organisation name/name of body you represent</b>	Mel Mitchell, Deputy Town Clerk
<b>Organisation name/name of body you represent (if appropriate)</b>	Ashby de la Zouch Town Council
<b>Your Postal address</b>	LE65 1BQ
<b>Name of the premises you are making a representation about</b>	Ashby Ivanhoe Football Club
<b>Address of the premises you are making a representation about</b>	Lower Packington Road, Ashby de la Zouch, Leics, LE65 1TS

**What are you making a representation about?**

Please indicate which part of the licence/certificate application you are making a representation about (i.e. Terminal hours, and music and dancing on Friday and Saturday night)

The extension of sale by retail of alcohol from 10am to midnight. The extension of recorded music from 12:00-23:00 hours. The addition of live music inside and outside the premises from 12:00-23:00 hours. The removal of restrictions with regard to the playing of live/amplified/ recorded music and the removal of restrictions concerning pre-booked private functions.

The Licensing Committee of Ashby de la Zouch Town Council met, via Zoom, on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2021 to discuss, amongst other matters, the licensing application from Ashby Ivanhoe Football Club. The Town Council received six written representations and received seven verbal representations from members of the public who attended the meeting. The members of the Licensing Committee unanimously resolved to object to the application on the grounds detailed below.

The Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Committee wish to attend before the Licensing Sub-Committee of NWLDC to make representations on behalf of the Town Council and local residents.

Your representation must relate to one of the four Licensing Objectives

<b>Licensing Objective</b>	<b><i>Please provide full details of your concerns regarding the application and include any evidence you may have in support of it. Please use separate sheets if necessary</i></b>
<b>To prevent crime and disorder</b>	Possible increase in verbal and potential physical abuse from intoxicated visitors to the premises – a local resident reported an incident of verbal abuse from a visitor to the football club. There is concern that this situation may be repeated and increased with additional hours permitted.
<b>Public safety</b>	Increase in traffic and cars parked without due care and consideration is likely to result in an accident. Children do play on the roads, particularly the cul de sacs (such as Wrekin Close) so there is a risk to public safety if the hours are extended throughout the day as is proposed.
<b>To prevent public nuisance</b>	The proposed extended hours for amplified music & live music – the Town Council consider that the proposed changes will create significant public nuisance for local residents. Particularly in the summer months, when windows are open.  Inconsiderate parking – The Town Council consider that additional footfall due to extended hours will add to further issues with parking on the verges along Lower Packington Road and along Cambrian

	Way. Vehicles parking and driving away at the end of the night will also create additional noise for local residents
<b>To protect children from harm</b>	The proposed extended hours for amplified music & live music - the Town Council is aware that there are many families with young children living around the area. The noise and disturbance from the additional hours will be detrimental to children's well-being.

<b>Please suggest any conditions that could be added to the licence to remedy your representation or other suggestions you would like the Licensing Sub Committee to take into account.</b>	From comments raised by the Licensing Committee members, the applicant would be advised to resubmit the application, selecting only what is necessary for the club to operate. A suggestion was also raised for the club to draw up a parking plan.
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Signed: Melanie Mitchell

Date: 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2020

Capacity: Deputy Town Clerk (prepared on behalf of Ashby de la Zouch Town Council)

## NOT FOR PUBLICATION

Your e-mail address	
Your contact telephone number	

### SUPPORTING NOTES

If you do make a representation you will be invited to attend a meeting of the Licensing sub Committee and any subsequent appeal proceeding. If you do not attend, the Committee will consider any representations that you have made.

This form must be returned within the Statutory Period, which is 28 days from the date the notice was displayed on the premises or the date specified in the Public Notice in the newspaper. Please contact the Licensing Section on 01530 454556 if you are in doubt about the date.

They can only relate to the four licensing objectives.

Your representation will be passed to the applicant, to allow them the opportunity of addressing your concerns. Your representations will be published in the report available to the Licensing Sub-Committee, which will be publicly available. Names and addresses will only be withheld from the Sub-Committee report at your request. Email addresses and contact telephone numbers will not be publicly available.

Please return this form when completed along with any additional sheets to:

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