

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

**REPRESENTATION FORM**

Your name/organisation name/name of body you represent	Mrs Clare Birch
Organisation name/name of body you represent (if appropriate)	
Your Postal address	[REDACTED]
Name of the premises you are making a representation about	Ashby Ivanhoe Football Club – Knights Bar
Address of the premises you are making a representation about	Lower Packington Rd, Ashby de La Zouch, Leicestershire 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 the sale by retail of alcohol (including the addition of off premises sales) from 10 a.m – 12 midnight and the extension of recorded music from 12:00 – 23:00hrs
- The addition of live music inside and outside the premises from 12:00 – 23:00 hrs
- The removal of restrictions with regard to playing of live/amplified/recorded music and the removal of restrictions concerning private bookings

Your representation must relate to one of the four Licensing Objectives

<b>Licensing Objective</b>	<b>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</b>
<b>To prevent crime and disorder</b>	Increasing the hours of alcohol sales as well as the addition of off premises sales will potentially bring more people to the area and there is a potential for increased crime and ASB of people leaving the premises and wandering around the Wrekin Close/ Cambrian way areas.
<b>Public safety</b>	The current volume of cars coming in and out of the premises on match days, events or social events has already led to issues with traffic safety along this very narrow country lane – I am against these volumes increasing any further as there is potential for public safety whether walking or driving along the lower Packington rd. Litter of bottles and cans has been an issue in the past – the introduction off of premises sales which increase the chances of littering in this area which is harmful to both wildlife and residents.
<b>To prevent public nuisance</b>	The Football Club and Knights bar is in very close proximity to Wrekin Close. Currently when events are organised at the club there is a significant over spill of cars onto the grass banks of lower packing ton rd and onto Wrekin and Cambrian Way <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ there have already been incidents of abusive language to residents when football visitors are collecting or driving their cars in and out of Wrekin Close.</li> <li>■ Parking on the grass verges damaging the wildflowers and squashing the Daffodils planted along there is not acceptable – this grass should not be parked on.</li> </ul>

	<p>Extending licensing hours and increasing the numbers of the public attending the Knights bar, will increase the frequency of these incidences and will make it particularly unpleasant for the local residents and could potentially affect our mental health</p> <p>Music/ announcements that currently occurs at the site can be loud and intrusive.</p> <p>However, extending the licensing hours and having amplified music outside for events, and on a more regular basis, will be very invasive and upsetting to residents - so I strongly object to this change in the license</p> <p>Again, for the same reasons above, extending the licensing on a sat and Sunday will be very intrusive for residents as well as removal of private booking restrictions</p>
<b>To protect children from harm</b>	

<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>	<b>I request that the current license should not be changed, due to the closeness of residential properties to the Ivanhoe Football Club</b>
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Signed:  Date: 8 DEC 2020.

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