

# NOTICE OF HEARING BY THE LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE under the LICENSING ACT 2003

Date and Time: MONDAY, 31 MARCH 2025, AT 2.00 PM

Place: COUNCIL CHAMBER - APPLETREE COURT, BEAULIEU

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#### 1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

To elect a Chairman for the meeting.

#### 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To note any declarations of interest made by members in connection with an agenda item. The nature of the interest must also be specified.

3. APPLICATION FOR A LICENCE VARIATION AT HARRY'S MEADOW CAMPSITE, HALE PARK, HALE, FORDINGBRIDGE SP6 2RE (Pages 3 - 42)

To determine a licence variation application for Harry's Meadow Campsite, submitted under the Licensing Act 2003.

#### To: Members of the Sub-Committee:

Cllr Steve Clarke Cllr Allan Glass Cllr Colm McCarthy Cllr Dave Penny

#### **Licensing Sub-Committee – 31 March 2025**

# Application for a licence variation at Harry's Meadow Campsite, Hale Park, Hale, Fordingbridge SP6 2RE

Purpose	To determine a licence variation application for Harry's Meadow Campsite, submitted under the Licensing Act 2003
Classification	Public
Executive Summary	The report details information to be considered by Members of the Licensing Sub-Committee in determining the premises licence application
Recommendation(s)	That members of the Sub-Committee determine the premises licence variation application submitted by Vivien Sheriff under the Licensing Act 2003.
	This decision should be taken in the light of the information contained in the report and at the meeting.
Reasons for recommendation(s)	Information as contained in the report and offered by all parties in addition to the legal licensing framework and legislation.
Ward(s)	Downlands and Forest North
Portfolio Holder	Cllr Dan Poole - Portfolio Holder for Community, Safety and Wellbeing
Strategic Director	Richard Knott – Strategic Director of Housing & Communities
Officer Contact	Christa Ferguson-Licensing Manager Environmental and Regulation 023 8028 5325 Christa.ferguson@nfdc.gov.uk

#### Introduction

1 The purpose of the report is to provide the Sub-Committee with information at the hearing to determine an application to vary the premises licence which has been made under section 34 of the

Licensing Act 2003 ("the Act") in respect of Harry's Meadow Campsite, Hale, Fordingbridge, SP6 2RE.

#### **Background**

- In September 2022, the Licensing Authority granted a premises licence to Ms Vivien Sheriff, to allow the campsite at Harry's Meadow to sell alcohol from a mobile bar, for the month of August each year.
- The application for a new premises licence at this site had attracted objections during the representation period, and therefore Members determined the application at a Licensing subcommittee on 5 September 2022. Members agreed to grant the licence, subject to conditions agreed during the application period.
- 4 Since the granting of the licence, no complaints have been received about the licensable operation of the site. The current licence is provided as **Appendix 1**.
- 5 Camping facilities are provided at Harry's Meadow by the site owners and the sale of alcohol to the campers on the field takes place from a converted horsebox.
- There is a partially covered area, (stretch tent) where campers can sit and use the mobile bar and food vendors. Catering is provided from mobile food vans, which includes breakfasts, pizza, burgers etc, and the converted horse box sells alcohol, coffee and pasties.
- 7 The site is bordered by mature trees on all sides and the distance from the site boundary on the southeast of the bar area, has been measured at 194.2metres.

#### The application

- 8 The Licensing Authority have received an application from Vivien Sheriff to vary the premises licence (number 1842) for Harry's Meadow, Hale. The application is provided at **Appendix 2.**
- The variation application seeks permission to extend the current licence period of one month (1 to 31 August) to two months (1 July to 31 August) each year. There is no proposal to extend the hours that alcohol is sold each day.
- 10 Premises licence number 1842 permits the following licensable activity:

#### Sale of alcohol for consumption on the premises

Monday to Sunday 17:00 hrs to 22:00 hrs

- 11 The site is not open to the public, but campers are permitted on the site 24 hours a day. The sale of alcohol is only available for those camping at the site and during the hours stated above.
- The premises licence provides for the sale of alcohol at the site. Any regulated entertainment taking place between 08:00hrs and 23:00hrs is exempt from the requirement to be licensed. The site does, however, have its own rules about the use of music, to protect campers from undue noise.
- 13 Public consultation has been carried out, as required under the Act and officers have confirmed that the application has been advertised both at the site and in the local newspaper.
- 14 All Responsible Authorities were consulted and provided with the application, as required under the Act. This included NFDC planning, NPA development control, Hampshire Police and NFDC Environmental Health.
- No comments or objections were received from the Responsible Authorities and since the licence was granted in September 2022, there have been no complaints received by the Environmental Health Department or Licensing Services from the licensable activity.

#### Requirements for a hearing

- 16 The Licensing Authority must hold a hearing to determine the application where relevant representations addressing the licensing objectives are made. These objectives being:
  - The prevention of crime and disorder,
  - Public safety,
  - The prevention of public nuisance, and
  - The protection of children from harm.
- 17 Members are referred to statutory guidance issued by the Home Office under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003 dated February 2025, in particular the sections on the licensing objectives and determining applications.

Revised Guidance issued under section 182 of the Licensing Act 2003

- 18 In determining the application, the Licensing Sub-Committee must give appropriate weight to:
  - the steps that are appropriate to promote the licensing objectives,
  - The relevant representations presented by all parties,
  - Home Office guidance,
  - The Council's own Statement of Licensing Policy.

#### **Representations received**

- 19 During the 28-day representation period, the Licensing Authority received 3 representations from members of the public who live locally. The representations are provided as **Appendix 3.**
- 20 Hale Parish Council has also submitted an objection which is provided as **Appendix 4.** There is mention of planning conditions, which fall outside the remit of this hearing and the Licensing Act 2003.
- 21 Representations received against the application raise concerns about extending the provision of alcohol at the site for a further month.
- It should be noted however that this hearing can only determine the application based on the implications of granting an application with regard to the Licensing Objectives, as stated under the Licensing Act 2003 and in paragraph 17 above.
- 23 Matters that cannot be considered at this hearing include planning, changes to the nature of the area by tourism, traffic, disputes with other agencies, and diversification by landowners.
- We have received no communication from the planning authority for the site (NFNPA), however all licences are issued with the following caveat, which is self-explanatory. Planning and Licensing are two separate regimes with different legislative criteria.

It is important to note that this licence <u>does not override</u> any planning consent restrictions the premises may have. If you operate outside the consent granted for these premises, this may result in action being taken against you. Should you wish to amend these conditions please contact the relevant planning department for advice at planning@nfdc.gov.uk (New Forest District Council) or dev.control@newforestnpa.gov.uk (New Forest National Park Authority).

#### **Options appraisal**

#### Option 1

25 Grant the application as applied for.

#### Option 2

26 Grant the application and add further conditions and/or change operating and sale of alcohol hours.

#### Option 3

27 Refuse the application as applied for.

#### **Legal implications**

- This hearing is governed by the Licensing Act 2003 (Hearings) Regulations 2005. These Regulations provide that hearings should be held in public unless the Licensing Authority considers that the public interest in excluding the public outweighs the public interest in the hearing taking place in public.
- 29 The applicant and those parties making representations have been invited to this meeting and have been provided with this report and the procedures to be followed at the hearing.
- 30 The applicant and those who have made relevant representations are entitled to address the Sub-Committee and to ask questions of the other party, with the consent of the Sub-Committee.

#### Right of appeal

- 31 It should be noted that the applicant and those who have made relevant representations may appeal the decision made by the Licensing Sub-Committee to the Magistrates' Court. The appeal must be lodged with the Magistrates' Court within 21 days of the notification of the decision.
- 32 In the event of an appeal being lodged, the decision made by the Licensing Sub-Committee remains valid until any appeal is heard and the decision made by the Magistrates' Court.

#### **Equalities implications**

33 Each application is treated on its own merits.

#### **Crime and disorder implications**

34 Licensable activities must be provided under the terms of the Licensing Act 2003.

#### Conclusion

The Licensing Sub-Committee must, having regard to the application and any relevant representations, consider which measures are appropriate for the promotion of the licensing objectives.

#### **Appendices**

Appendix 1- Current premises licence number 1842

Appendix 2- Premises licence variation application

Appendix 3- Representations received against the application

Appendix 4- Representation from Hale Parish Council

#### **Background papers**

NFDC Licensing Act 2003 Policy Licensing Act 2003

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#### **Environmental & Regulation**

Service Manager: Joanne McClay

Ms V P Sheriff 2 Hill Close Woodgreen Fordingbridge SP6 2BG Our Ref: CF/LICPR/22/13072

Your Ref:

13 September 2022

Dear Ms Sheriff

LICENSING ACT 2003 - Grant of Premises Licence (S17)
HARRY'S MEADOW CAMPSITE, HALE PARK, HALE, FORDINGBRIDGE, SP6 2RE
Licence No: 1842/1

Please find enclosed, the Premises Licence in respect of the above named premises.

This premises licence will last indefinitely unless it is surrendered or revoked, but will lapse in the event of the death of the premises licence holder or upon the licence holder becoming mentally incapable or financially insolvent.

It is important to note that this licence <u>does not override</u> any planning consent restrictions the premises may have. If you operate outside the consent granted for these premises, this may result in action being taken against you. Should you wish to amend these conditions please contact the relevant planning department for advice at planning@nfdc.gov.uk (New Forest District Council) or dev.control@newforestnpa.gov.uk (New Forest National Park Authority).

#### FIRE RISK ASSESSMENT - REQUIREMENT

The Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005 places upon any person, who has some level of control in a premises, to take reasonable steps to reduce the risk from fire and to ensure people can safely escape in the event of a fire. This may be done as part of the general health and safety risk assessment, which is already required under the Management of Health & Safety at Work Regulations 1992 (amended 1999), or as a separate and specific fire risk assessment. Where five or more persons are employed, the significant findings of the assessment must be recorded.

Cont/d...

2 13 September 2022 Harry's Meadow Campsite

Continuation of this licence requires payment of an annual fee, based on the rateable value of the premises. This is due on the anniversary of the grant of the licence and we will issue an invoice and covering letter for the required amount prior to this date.

#### Please note that failure to pay the annual fee will result in suspension of the licence.

Please check this licence carefully and report any discrepancies to this office within 21 days.

#### It is a legal requirement to display the Summary part of the licence on the premises.

Should you wish to make changes to the licence, an appropriate application must be made to this Licensing Authority. Forms and guidance can be found on the Council's website at <a href="https://www.newforest.gov.uk">www.newforest.gov.uk</a>.

Yours sincerely

#### Christa Ferguson

Licensing Manager Licensing Services c.c. Police

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Tel: 023 8028 5505

Email: <u>licensing@nfdc.gov.uk</u>



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# **Premises Licence**

Issued under Section 24 of the above Act

#### Part 1 - Premises Details

Postal address of premises, or if none, ordinance survey	map reference	or description
Harry's Meadow Campsite	Map Ref (E):	417950
Hale Park	Map Ref (N):	
Hale	UPRN:	10013633132
Fordingbridge		
SP6 2RE		
Telephone Number:		

#### Where the licence is time limited the dates

This licence is **NOT** time limited

#### Licensable activities authorised by the licence

J) Sale or Supply of Alcohol

			thorises the carrying out of licensable activities
J - Sai	e or Sup ol	ріу от	
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon	17:00	22:00	Further details:
Tues	17:00	22:00	This premises licence shall have effect for the month of August each year.
Wed	17:00	22:00	Seasonal variations:
Thur	17:00	22:00	
Fri	17:00	22:00	Non standard timings:
Sat	17:00	22:00	
Sun	17:00	22:00	

#### The opening hours of the premises

L - Op	ening Ho	urs	
Day	Start	Finish	
Mon	00:00	00:00	Seasonal variations: The premises licence shall have effect for the month of August each
Tues	00:00	00:00	year.
Wed	00:00	00:00	Premises not open to the general public. Only campers may use the bar during licensed hours.
Thur	00:00	00:00	during licensed riours.
Fri	00:00	00:00	Non standard timings:
Sat	00:00	00:00	
Sun	00:00	00:00	

Where the licence authorises supplies of alcohol whether these are on and/or off supplies: Alcohol is supplied for consumption ON premises only

#### Part 2

Name, (registered) address, tele premises licence	phone number and email (where relevant) of holder of	
Vivien Pamela Sheriff	Telephone:	
2 Hill Close		
Woodgreen		
Fordingbridge	Email:	
SP6 2BG		

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

Name, address and telephone number of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol

Vivien Pamela Sheriff Telephone:

2 Hill Close Woodgreen

Fordingbridge Email:

SP6 2BG

Personal licence number and issuing authority of personal licence held by designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol

3164/1

New Forest District Council

The licence is granted by New Forest District Council, as licensing authority pursuant to the Licensing Act 2003 and regulations made thereunder.

Date licence issued: 13/09/2022

Date licence commences: 05/09/2022

Date first licence came into force: 05/09/2022

Joanne McClay

Service Manager of Environmental & Regulation (Authorised Officer)

**Annex 1 - Mandatory conditions** 

(Additional Conditions with effect from 1 October 2014)

- 1. (1) The responsible person must ensure that staff on relevant premises do not carry out, arrange or participate in any irresponsible promotions in relation to the premises.
  - (2) In this paragraph, an irresponsible promotion means any one or more of the following activities, or substantially similar activities, carried on for the purpose of encouraging the sale or supply of alcohol for consumption on the premises-
  - (a) games or other activities which require or encourage, or are designed to require or encourage, individuals to-
    - drink a quantity of alcohol within a time limit (other than to drink alcohol sold or supplied on the premises before the cessation of the period in which the responsible person is authorised to sell or supply alcohol), or
    - (ii) drink as much alcohol as possible (whether within a time limit or otherwise);
  - (b) provision of unlimited or unspecified quantities of alcohol free or for a fixed or discounted fee to the public or to a group defined by a particular characteristic in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
  - (c) provision of free or discounted alcohol or any other thing as a prize to encourage or reward the purchase and consumption of alcohol over a period of 24 hours or less in a manner which carries a significant risk of undermining a licensing objective;
  - (d) selling or supplying alcohol in association with promotional posters or flyers on, or in the vicinity of, the premises which can reasonably be considered to condone, encourage or glamorise anti-social behaviour or to refer to the effects of drunkenness in any favourable manner.
  - (e) dispensing alcohol directly by one person into the mouth of another (other than where that other person is unable to drink without assistance by reason of disability).
- 2. The responsible person must ensure that free potable water is provided on request to customers where it is reasonably available.
- 3. (1) The premises licence holder or club premises certificate holder must ensure that an age verification policy is adopted in respect of the premises in relation to the sale or supply of alcohol.
  - (2) The designated premises supervisor in relation to the premises licence must ensure that the supply of alcohol at the premises is carried on in accordance with the age verification policy.
  - (3) The policy must require individuals who appear to the responsible person to be under 18 years of age (or such older age as may be specified in the policy) to produce on request, before being served alcohol, identification bearing their photograph, date of birth and either-
  - (a) a holographic mark, or
  - (b) an ultraviolet feature.
- 4. The responsible person must ensure that
  - (a) where any of the following alcoholic drinks is sold or supplied for consumption on the premises (other than alcoholic drinks sold or supplied having been made up in advance ready for sale or supply in a securely closed container) it is available to customers in the following measures-
    - (i) beer or cider: ½ pint;
    - (ii) gin, rum, vodka or whisky: 25ml or 35ml; and
    - (iii) still wine in a glass: 125ml;
  - (b) these measure are displayed in a menu, price list or other printed material which is available to customers on the premises; and
  - (c) where a customer does not in relation to a sale of alcohol specify the quantity of alcohol to be sold, the customer is made aware that these measures are available.

Where licence authorises supply of alcohol:

- (1) No supply of alcohol may be made under the premises licence:
  - (a) at a time when there is no designated premises supervisor in respect of the premises licence, or
  - (b) at a time when the designated premises supervisor does not hold a personal licence or his personal licence is suspended.
- (2) Every supply of alcohol under the premises licence must be made or authorised by a person who holds a personal licence.

(Additional Condition with effect from 28 May 2014)

- 1. A relevant person shall ensure that no alcohol is sold or supplied for consumption on or off the premises for a price which is less than the permitted price.
- 2. For the purposes of the condition set out in paragraph 1 -
  - (a) "duty" is to be construed in accordance with the Alcoholic Liquor Duties Act 1979;
  - (b) "permitted price" is the price found by applying the formula -

$$P = D + (D \times V)$$

where -

- (i) P is the permitted price,
- (ii) D is the amount of duty chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the duty were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol, and
- (iii) V is the rate of value added tax chargeable in relation to the alcohol as if the value added tax were charged on the date of the sale or supply of the alcohol;
- (c) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a premises licence -
- (i) the holder of the premises licence,
- (ii) the designated premises supervisor (if any) in respect of such a licence, or
- (iii) the personal licence holder who makes or authorises a supply of alcohol under such a licence;
- (d) "relevant person" means, in relation to premises in respect of which there is in force a club premises certificate, any member or officer of the club present on the premises in a capacity which enables the member or officer to prevent the supply in question; and
- (e) "value added tax" means value added tax charged in accordance with the Value Added Tax Act 1994.
- 3. Where the permitted price given by Paragraph (b) of paragraph 2 would (apart from this paragraph) not be a whole number of pennies, the price given by that sub-paragraph shall be taken to be the price actually given by that sub-paragraph rounded up to the nearest penny.
- 4. (1) Sub-paragraph (2) applies where the permitted price given by Paragraph (b) of paragraph 2 on a day ("the first day") would be different from the permitted price on the next day ("the second day") as a result of a change to the rate of duty or value added tax.
  - (2) The permitted price which would apply on the first day applies to sales or supplies of alcohol which take place before the expiry of the period of 14 days beginning on the second day.

#### Annex 2 - Conditions consistent with the operating schedule

a) General - all four licensing objectives (b, c, d, e)

- 1. This premises licence shall have effect for the month of August each year.
- 2. The licence holder shall ensure that the supply of alcohol will take place giving consideration for the licensing objectives in a safe and regulated manner.
- 3. The site manager/security warden will be on hand 24 hrs a day to enforce: the 23:00 hrs noise curfew; controlled number of guests (no walk-ins allowed); guests are not contained within a building; bar area far from surrounding residential dwellings.

#### b) The prevention of crime and disorder

- 4. Strict bar opening times adhered to.
- 5. No sale of alcohol to anyone who appears to be intoxicated.
- 6. Site security guards will be in place at weekends when busier.
- 7. Site manager will be available 24 hours a day.
- 8. All guests are sent campsite guidelines prior to arrival and given a 5-minute briefing on the campsite rules and safety upon arrival.

#### c) Public safety

- 9. All drinks will be served in plastic vessels and not glass.
- 10. No happy hours or drinks promotions will take place.
- 11. First aid kit located at reception.
- 12. Area where alcohol is served will be kept clear for emergency vehicles at all times.
- 13. There are Fire assembly points and buckets of water and sand within the campsite.
- 14. Good lighting will be available and maintained in the communal areas.

#### d) The prevention of public nuisance

- 15. The bar will close at 22:00 hrs.
- 16. A noise curfew of 23:00 hrs will be enforced by site security/site manager.
- 17. No amplified music allowed on site at any time.
- 18. No large group bookings or hen/stag parties permitted on site.
- 19. Food will be sold alongside sales of alcohol and free fresh water drinking points are available on site.
- 20. Rubbish will be cleared regularly.

#### e) The protection of children from harm

21. There will be a Challenge 25 policy operating at the premises. Challenge 25 means that the holder of the premises licence shall ensure that every individual, who visually appears to be under 25 years of age and is seeking to purchase or be supplied with alcohol at the premises or from the premises, shall produce identification proving that individual to be 18 years of age or older. Acceptable identification for the purposes of age verification will include a driving licence, passport or photographic identification bearing the "PASS" logo and the persons date of birth. If the person seeking alcohol is unable to produce acceptable means of identification, no sale or supply of alcohol will be made to or for that person. 'Challenge 25' posters shall be displayed in prominent positions at the premises.

#### Annex 3 - Conditions attached after a hearing by the licensing authority

N/A

#### Annex 4 - Plans

This licence permits the licensable activities stated at the premises addressed above in accordance with the plan(s) attached.

Plan of Premises	
Plan/Drawing No:	
Date of Plan:	Plan approved 5th September 2022

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Vivien Pamela Sheriff 2 Hill Close Woodgreen

Fordingbridge

SP6 2BG

Registered number of holder, for example company number, charity number (where applicable)

Name of designated premises supervisor where the premises licence authorises for the supply of alcohol

Vivien Pamela Sheriff

State whether access to the premises by children is restricted or prohibited

Restrictions under the Licensing Act 2003 apply

#### <u>Duty to Keep & Produce Licence – Premises</u> <u>Licensing Act 2003</u>

#### Section 57 – Duty to Keep and Produce Licence

- (1) This section applies whenever premises in respect of which a Premises Licence has effect are being used for one or more licensable activities authorised by the licence.
- (2) The holder of the Premises licence must secure that the licence or a certified copy of it is kept at the premises in the custody or under the control of
  - (a) the holder of the licence, or
  - (b) a person who works at the premises and whom the holder of the licence has nominated in writing for the purpose of this subsection.
- (3) The holder of the Premises licence must secure that
  - (a) the summary of the licence or a certified copy of that summary, and
  - (b) a notice specifying the position held at the premises by any person nominated for the purpose of subsection (2),

are prominently displayed at the premises.

- (4) The holder of a Premises Licence commits an offence if he fails, without reasonable excuse, to comply with subsection (2) or (3).
- (5) A constable or an authorised person may require the person who, by virtue of arrangements made for the purposes of subsection (2), is required to have the Premises Licence (or a certified copy of it) in his custody or under his control to produce the licence (or such a copy) for examination.
- (6) An authorised person exercising the power conferred by subsection (5) must, if so requested, produce evidence of his authority to exercise the power.
- (7) A person commits an offence if he fails, without reasonable excuse, to produce a Premises Licence or certified copy of a Premises licence in accordance with a requirement under subsection (5).
- (8) A person guilty of an offence under this section is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 2 on the standard scale.
- (9) In subsection (3) the reference to the summary of the licence is a reference to the summary issued under Section 23 or, where one or more summaries have subsequently been issued under Section 56, the most recent summary to have been so issued.
- (10) Section 58 makes provision about certified copies of documents for the purposes of this section.



#### Application to vary a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003

#### PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Before completing this form please read the guidance notes at the end of the form. If you are completing this form by hand please write legibly in block capitals. In all cases ensure that your answers are inside the boxes and written in black ink. Use additional sheets if necessary.

You may wish to keep a copy of the completed form for your records. VIVIEN SHERIFF (Insert name(s) of applicant) being the premises licence holder, apply to vary a premises licence under section 34 of the Licensing Act 2003 for the premises described in Part 1 below Premises licence number Part 1 - Premises Details Postal address of premises or, if none, ordnance survey map reference or description HARRY'S MEAJOW CAMPSITE MALE PARK SP6 ZKE FOR JINGBRIDGE Postcode Post town Telephone number at premises (if any) Non-domestic rateable value of premises £O Part 2 - Applicant details Daytime contact telephone number campo harrysfield. co.vic E-mail address (optional) Current postal address if different from premises MOOJGREEN address Postcode SP6 2BG FORDING BLIDGE

Post town

# Part 3 - Variation

Please tick as appropriate  Do you want the proposed variation to have effect as soon as possible?  Yes  No
If not, from what date do you want the variation to take effect?  DD MM YYYY  OH O F 2 0 2 5
Please describe briefly the nature of the proposed variation (Please see guidance note 1)  THE PREMISES REMAIN THE SAME - A CONVECTED  HORSEBOX IN AN AREA WHERE THERE IS A STRETCH  TENT AND SEATING. THIS IS SET IN 30 ACRES OF  LAND USED AS A CAMPSITE (NOT SOU) AT FULL  CAPACITY).  WE WISH TO VARY THE DATES OF THE LICENCE TO  SALES OF ALCOHOL FROM 17:00 -22:00 FROM  I JULY TO 31 AUGUST.
If your proposed variation would mean that 5,000 or more people are expected to attend the premises at any one time, please state the number expected to attend:

#### Part 4 Operating Schedule

Please complete those parts of the Operating Schedule below which would be subject to change if this application to vary is successful.

Prov	ision of regulated entertainment	Please tick all that apply
a)	plays (if ticking yes, fill in box A)	
b)	films (if ticking yes, fill in box B)	
c)	indoor sporting events (if ticking yes, fill in box C)	
d)	boxing or wrestling entertainment (if ticking yes, fill in box D)	
e)	live music (if ticking yes, fill in box E)	
f)	recorded music (if ticking yes, fill in box F)	
g)	performances of dance (if ticking yes, fill in box G)	
h)	anything of a similar description to that falling within (e), (f) or (g) (if ticking yes, fill in box $H$ )	
Prov	rision of late night refreshment (if ticking yes, fill in box I)	
<u>Sale</u>	by retail of alcohol (if ticking yes, fill in box J)	9
In al	cases complete boxes K, L and M	

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Please highlight any adult entertainment or services, activities, other entertainment or matters ancillary to the use of the premises that may give rise to concern in respect of children (please read guidance note 8).

NONE

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Hours premises are open to the public Standard days and timings (please read guidance note 6)			State any seasonal variations (please read guidance note 4)
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Fri	00;00	60:00	FOR THE MONTHS OF JULY & AUGUST EACH YEAR.
Sat	00:00	00:00	GENERAL PUBLIC. ONLY CAMPERS MAY USE THE BAR DURING ALCOHOL LICENSED HOURS.
Sun	00:00	00;00	

Please identify those conditions currently imposed on the licence which you believe could be removed as a consequence of the proposed variation you are seeking.

CONDITION 1. THIS PREMISES LICENCE SHAU MANE EFFECT FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST EACH YEAR.

	Please tick as appropriate
<ul> <li>I have enclosed the premises licence</li> </ul>	9
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If you have not ticked one of these boxes, please fill in reasons for not part of it below	including the licence or
Reasons why I have not enclosed the premises licence or relevant part	of premises licence.

M  Describe any additional steps you intend to take to promote the four licensing objectives as a result of the proposed variation:
a) General – all four licensing objectives (b, c, d and e) (please read guidance note 9)
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b) The prevention of crime and disorder
c) Public safety
d) The prevention of public nuisance
e) The protection of children from harm

#### Checklist:

## Please tick to indicate agreement V I have sent copies of this application and the plan to responsible authorities and

others where applicable. I understand that I must now advertise my application.

I have enclosed the premises licence or relevant part of it or explanation.

I understand that if I do not comply with the above requirements my application will be rejected.

IT IS AN OFFENCE, LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING LEVEL 5 ON THE STANDARD SCALE, UNDER SECTION 158 OF THE LICENSING ACT 2003, TO MAKE A FALSE STATEMENT IN OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS APPLICATION.

Part 5 - Signatures (please read guidance note 10)

I have made or enclosed payment of the fee.

Signature of applicant (the current premises licence holder) or applicant's solicitor or other duly authorised agent (please read guidance note 11). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Signature		
Date	28/01/25	
Capacity	APPLICANT	

Where the premises licence is jointly held, signature of 2nd applicant (the current premises licence holder) or 2nd applicant's solicitor or other authorised agent (please read guidance note 12). If signing on behalf of the applicant, please state in what capacity.

Signature	
Date	
Capacity	

Contact name (where not previously given) and address for correspondence associated with this application (please read guidance note 13)

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#### Christa Ferguson

From:

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Sent:

22 February 2025 13:05

To:

Licensing e-mail address

Subject:

License to sell alcohol at Harry's Meadow SP62RE.

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Dear Sir.

My Wife and I object to the selling of alcohol at Harry's Meadow, Monday to Sunday from 17:00-22:00 hrs, from 1st. July to 31st. August 2025 for the following reasons.

We bought Home Farm, (opposite Harry's Meadow) in 1979 and have run a herd of Rare Breed White Park Cattle here since 1982, employing local labour.

The farm was extreamly rundown and we have made a considerable investment In it over the past forty five years. The area was quiet and Hale Lane was only used by local traffic. Indeed we could safely move the cattle and sheep up and down the Lane sometimes without the worry of meeting a single vehicle.

At that time the Forest had lots of areas like this. We would have called them the Quiet Areas of The New Forest. Over the past 20 years or so with the advent of the internet we are now overrun with home deliveries by delivery vans. Gone are the days of the Postman delivering just about everything once a day.

The New Forest National Park is now under ever increasing pressure by our ever increasing population to use the Park as a place of recreation. The traditional pony riding and occasional dog walker has now been joined by the mountain bike rider, the road racing cyclists, the orienteer, the professional dog walker (which some car parks have now had to be closed during the breeding and nesting season) as ground nesting birds numbers are beginning to plummet.

On top of all this pressure we now have certain land owners who need to diversify.

We agree with this in principle for small farms and small holdings but not for the large country house owner in such a sensitive area as The New Forest. Camp sites should be kept to official New Forest Designated sites only. The site at Harry's Meadow has been an on going dispute with the Hale Parish Council and local Rate Payers for several years now. The owners and organisers do not appear to have the slightest interest in the feelings of local people.

Once again the feelings of 90% of local Rate Payers was not taken into account with the camping decision that was passed for Harry's Meadow on 21st. May 2024. We do not as yet know what percentage of objections there will be to the application for an alcohol license, but we can be confident that any will be overruled by the Licensing Authority. The worry is that once Harry's Meadow becomes established the owners will keep coming back for more. Also does the granting of Planning Permission to Harry's Meadow open the door to a favourable application for camping at Home Farm, SP62 RE, for a similar venture?

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So we appeal to you to to at least let us keep back a few quiet areas in our Beloved New Forest National Park because we can see in the not to distant future one will have to have a timed Permit just to walk within the boundary's of The New Forest National Park.

Yours sincerely, Mark and Helen Clark.

Sent from my iPad

#### Christa Ferguson

From:

Neil Cruden

Sent:

23 February 2025 19:40

To:

Licensing e-mail address

Subject:

FW: Formal Objection to Alcohol License Application – Harry's Meadow (SP6 2RE)

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#### Dear Licensing Authority,

We write to formally object to the application for a license to sell alcohol at Harry's Meadow from Monday to Sunday, 17:00–22:00, between 1st July and 31st August 2025. This application presents serious legal, environmental, and public safety concerns that directly contradict the planning conditions set by the New Forest National Park Authority (NFNPA), the Licensing Act 2003, and other relevant regulations.

#### 1. Public Nuisance - Violation of Licensing Act 2003 & Planning Conditions

Under Section 4(2) of the Licensing Act 2003, the Licensing Authority must uphold the four licensing objectives:

- · Prevention of crime and disorder
- Public safety
- Prevention of public nuisance
- · Protection of children from harm

The NFNPA's planning conditions explicitly prohibit noise disturbances, including:

- Condition 10: "No music shall be played in conjunction with the use of the land as a temporary campsite. Reason: In the interests of the tranquillity of the area and neighbouring businesses."
- Condition 7: "No external lighting shall be installed on the site. Reason: To protect the amenities of the area."

Permitting an alcohol license in a site with an explicit ban on amplified noise contradicts the very purpose of these restrictions. The likelihood of increased noise, disorder, and late-night disturbances from alcohol consumption directly undermines the planning conditions intended to protect the surrounding community.

#### 2. Environmental Impact - Contradiction to Conservation Safeguards

The New Forest National Park Local Plan 2016-2036 (August 2019) enforces strict environmental protections. The NFNPA's planning approval for Harry's Meadow is conditional upon compliance with key environmental safeguards, including:

- Condition 3: Ecological mitigation must be agreed and implemented before development.
- Condition 9: No barbecues or wildfires shall be carried out at the site without prior approval.

Alcohol consumption increases fire risks and environmental damage, particularly in a site that already has restrictions on open flames due to its location in a protected landscape. Adding alcohol to this environment escalates risks of non-compliance with safety and conservation laws.

#### 3. Road Safety & Inadequate Infrastructure

The NFNPA's conditions restrict vehicle access for safety reasons, including:

 Condition 5: No new access routes shall be formed outside the approved plan, in the interest of highway safety.

The only access road to Harry's Meadow—Hale Lane—is a narrow, single-track road with blind bends and limited passing places. It already suffers from:

- Severely eroded ancient wildflower banks due to traffic overflow.
- Blocked culverts and ditches, causing rainwater damage and potholes.
- Unmaintained roadside hedges, creating additional hazards.

Allowing alcohol sales would increase vehicle traffic—including intoxicated drivers—on an already unsafe route, directly contradicting highway safety measures.

#### 4. Economic Misrepresentation - No Benefit to Local Businesses

The licensing application claims to "boost the local economy," yet the NFNPA's conditions clearly limit the commercial activities of the campsite:

• Condition 6: No goods, plant, or machinery shall be stored on-site without express permission from the Local Planning Authority.

This reinforces that the campsite is not intended as a commercial hub but rather a restricted seasonal operation. An alcohol license benefits only the operators of Harry's Meadow—not the local community.

#### 5. Escalation to Environmental Health & Licensing Review

As one of the closest affected residents, we intend to escalate any and all breaches to the Local Environmental Health Department and NFNPA Enforcement Officers should this application be granted. Any violation of noise, safety, or environmental conditions will be formally reported, and if necessary, we will pursue a formal review of the license under Section 51 of the Licensing Act 2003.

#### Conclusion - Request for License Rejection

Given that this application:

- Directly contradicts planning conditions imposed by the NFNPA.
- Fails to uphold the Licensing Act 2003's objectives of preventing public nuisance and ensuring public safety.
- Poses unacceptable risks to road safety and environmental conservation.
- Provides no demonstrable benefit to the local community.

We urge the Licensing Authority to reject this application in alignment with existing planning restrictions and the overwhelming objections of local residents.

Yours sincerely,

Neil Cruden,

Hatchett End, Hatchett Green, Hale, SP6 2ND.

## Christa Ferguson

From:

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Sent:

26 February 2025 12:12 Licensing e-mail address

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Harry's Meadow 1842/1

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We are writing as neighbouring property owners.

We understand that a variation to the current licence has been applied for.

The current licence states 'no walk-ins allowed'. On previous years local residents from the surrounding area were drinking on site.

The Planning Permission granted on 13/02/25 Application number 24/00102FULL

States: 'No External Lighting'

'No Music'

We ask that any licence you approve includes the same conditions as the Planning Permission as currently they do not With many thanks Hannah and Ian Downie

Garden Cottage Queen St Hale SP62RD

Sent from my iPad

From: Sarah Herringshaw on behalf of Licensing e-mail address

To: <u>Christa Ferguson</u>

**Subject:** OBJECTION - Harrys Meadow Campsite

**Date:** 06 March 2025 09:17:49

Importance: High

#### Hi Christa

This one came in over night – Hale Parish Council

#### Sarah Herringshaw

Licensing Officer
New Forest District Council

Tel: 02380 285505

From: Hale Parish Council Clerk < hpcclerk@gmail.com>

Sent: 05 March 2025 21:14

To: Licensing e-mail address < Licensing@NFDC.gov.uk>

Subject: Re: Application: Variation Premises Licence (S34) Ref: LICPR/22/13072 - Harry's

Meadow Campsite

#### Good evening,

Application: Variation Premises Licence (S34) Ref: LICPR/22/13072 - Harry's Meadow Campsite

Hale Parish Council wishes to make the following representation regarding the above licence application.

The Management Plan for this site (which must be adhered to as stated in the planning conditions) states a curfew of 10.30pm and hence Hale Parish Council believes that any licence issued must work in accordance with this. The planning decision notice states that no external lighting is to be installed at the campsite and again Hale Parish Council believes that any licence issued must work in accordance with this notice.

many thanks

Amanda

Amanda Johnson Clerk to Hale Parish Council

Tel: 07553 728121 01725 511636

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