



REPRESENTATIONS PROCEDURE NOTES

- A representation can be made against an application for a premise to carry on a licensable activity within the 28 day consultation period. Representations can also be made on premises that are making variations to an existing licence.
- Representations are made by:
 - Responsible authorities
 - Other persons
- Fill in the appropriate form and send to Licensing Team, Public Protection, Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury SY2 6ND

PLEASE NOTE: The representation form must be received by the Licensing Team before the end of the consultation period or it will not be accepted.



LICENSING ACT 2003
REPRESENTATION FORM

Other Persons

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| Name/Company Name/Name of Body you represent | Mr Joseph Capener & Miss Emily Compton |
| Postal & email address | [REDACTED] |
| Telephone number | [REDACTED] |

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| Name & Address of premises for which the representation is being made Bridgnorth Town FC AFC Bridgnorth LTD Crown Meadow Bridgnorth WV16 4HS |
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Your representation must relate to one of the following four Licensing Objectives. Please detail the evidence supporting your representation or the reason for your representation. Please use separate sheets if necessary.

THE PREVENTION OF HARM TO CHILDREN
We and many other residents in the immediate area have school age children. We feel that extending the 'licensable activities' in particular 'live and recorded music' up to the boundary of the premises (i.e. outdoors) to 23:00 Monday to Thursday and 24:00 on a Sunday will potentially affect their sleep and preparation for learning.
We have an infant child and a child in primary school who's sleep is already impacted by the noise of the venue.

TO PREVENT PUBLIC NUISANCE
We believe that extending the licensable activities for these hours is not appropriate for the middle of a residential area. This increase will likely cause increases public nuisance for the many dwellings and residents of the local area, including our own. This license will significantly impact our wellbeing to enjoy time outdoors and inside our home. The amplified music already played from the venue is clearly audible within our house and impacts our children's sleep. At times we are unable to sit in our garden or socialize with friends without the unwanted intrusion of continuous music from the football club. The potential of this becoming a daily/nightly event is unacceptable. Already there is anti-social behavior from people leaving the venue late at night. Increased disturbance and anti-social behavior is more likely to occur if the hours are extended.

TO PREVENT CRIME & DISORDER

Our property line backs onto the Crown Meadow, which is used as playing fields and a children's play park. The addition of 'off sales' would increase the likelihood of people drinking in the park. Frequently, bottles, cans and other litter is thrown over the fence into our garden. This is also likely to increase due to the addition of off sales.

In addition, the potential for disturbance and anti-social behavior in the park would also increase due to adding 'off sales'.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Suggested 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. Please use separate sheets where necessary - refer to checklist.

Our objection is not related to the activity of football or local businesses. We are supportive of enterprises in Bridgnorth. Our main issue is the disruption to our children's sleep. We also wish to support local bands in Bridgnorth.

Perhaps, live music extended to the boundary could be reserved for match days (Wednesday and Saturday) at reasonable hours.

We recognize that COVID has affected businesses locally and we wish to support them where possible. Is there potential for a temporary license while the business gets back on its feet?

Generally if there is to be a hearing to determine the premises licence application, the sub-committee will only be able to consider matters that have been previously disclosed. No new evidence can be introduced at the hearing. It is therefore imperative that you detail all matters that you wish to be considered on this initial representation. Please attach additional sheets if necessary.

If you do make a representation you will be expected to attend the Licensing Sub Committee and any subsequent appeal process. All representations in their entirety, including your name and address, will be disclosed to the applicant for the premises licence and any other interested parties. If all parties agree, the application can be dealt with without holding a hearing.

Signed:



Date: 11.6.21

Please return this form along with any additional sheets to the address below:

Licensing Team
Shropshire Council
Shirehall
Abbey Foregate
Shrewsbury
SY2 6ND

This form must be returned within the statutory period, which is generally 28 days from the date the notice was displayed on the premises or the date specified in the newspaper advert.

For confirmation on this date please contact the Licensing Team on 0345 678 9026