

NEATH PORT TALBOT COUNCIL

Licensing and Gambling Acts Sub Committee

20th January 2025

Report of the Head of Legal Services – Craig Griffiths

Matter for Decision

Wards Affected: Margam

Application for the Grant of a Premises Licence

Purpose of the Report

1. To consider representations received in respect of the following application made under the Licensing Act 2003.

Premises Name	Old Park Farm
Premises Address	Water Street, Port Talbot, Margam, SA13 2PB
Applicant Name	Climax Promotions & Events Limited
Applicant Address	Bute House, Unit 1b Lakeview Business Park, Lamby Way, Rumney, Cardiff, CF3 2EP
DPS Name	Robert Dudley

Executive Summary

2. This is an application for the grant of a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003 by Climax Promotions & Events Limited. The premises licence will authorise the sale of alcohol, both on and off the premises, Regulated Entertainment and Late-Night Refreshment.
3. The application is for events to take place for a maximum of 8 event days per calendar year.
4. Representations were received in respect of the application from South Wales Police and Legal Regulatory Services, requesting that additional conditions be attached to the licence.
5. In addition, representations were received from 6 residents.
6. The applicant has agreed to the additional conditions raised by South Wales Police and Legal Regulatory Services. However, representations received from the residents are unresolved, therefore, final determination of the application needs to be made by the Licensing and Gambling Acts Sub Committee.

Background

7. The Licensing Act 2003 requires that any person wishing to provide licensable activities obtains a premises licence from the Licensing Authority.
8. An application for the grant of a premises licence must be advertised in the prescribed manner and allows "responsible authorities" or "other persons" to submit representations in respect of the application.
9. Where all parties have reached an agreement and amendments have been made to the original application, the Licensing Authority can dispense with the need for a hearing. However, where a negotiated position cannot be achieved, the Sub-Committee are required to determine the application at a formal hearing.

Licence Application

10. The applicant has included the following information in the application outlining the requested hours of operation and details on how the applicant proposes to promote the four licensing objectives.

Opening Hours

11. Monday 00:00 – 00:00

Tuesday 00:00 - 16:00

Thursday 10:00 - 00:00

Friday 00:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 00:00

12. Non-standard timings

The Premises will be open to campers from 10:00 Thursday until 16:00 on Tuesday (subject to the Premises being open on Bank Holiday Monday). On Mondays that are not Bank Holidays, the Premises will be open until 16:00 on Monday (to allow for campers to depart). Tuesdays will only relate to campers, should the Premises be open on Bank Holiday Monday.

Provision of Plays Both Indoors/Outdoors

13. Monday 00:00 - 01:00 and 10:00 - 23:00

Thursday 11:00 - 23:00

Friday 10:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

14. Non-standard timings

Mondays will only relate to Bank Holiday Mondays. Sundays preceding a regular Monday will cease at 23:00

Provision of Films Both Indoors/Outdoors

15. Monday 00:00 - 01:00 and 10:00 - 23:00

Thursday 11:00 - 23:00

Friday 10:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

16. Non-standard timings

Mondays will only relate to Bank Holiday Mondays. Sundays preceding a regular Monday will cease at 23:00

The Main Stage (open air, otherwise referred to as 'The Parc Stage') only: This open air stage is conditioned to close at 23:00. This non-standard timing is designed to permit an exceptional extension of a maximum of 10 minutes, solely to accommodate any delays to the performances of headline artists. Thus, the latest possible operating time for the Main Stage would be 23:10. This 10-minute extension is only to be used when necessary and at the discretion and agreement of on-site NPT Licensing or Environmental Health Officers. This extension would only apply on Fridays, Saturdays, or Sundays.

Provision of Indoor Sporting Events

17. Monday 00:00 - 01:00 and 10:00 - 23:00

Thursday 11:00 - 23:00

Friday 10:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

18. Non-standard timings

Mondays will only relate to Bank Holiday Mondays. Sundays preceding a regular Monday will cease at 23:00

Provision of Boxing or Wrestling Both Indoors/Outdoors

19. Monday 00:00 - 01:00 and 10:00 - 23:00

Thursday 11:00 - 23:00

Friday 10:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

20. Non-standard timings

Mondays will only relate to Bank Holiday Mondays. Sundays preceding a regular Monday will cease at 23:00

Provision of Live Music Both Indoors/Outdoors

21. Monday 00:00 - 01:00 and 10:00 - 23:00

Thursday 11:00 - 23:00

Friday 10:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

22. Non-standard timings

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Provision of Recorded Music Both Indoors/Outdoors

23. Monday 00:00 - 01:00 and 10:00 - 23:00

Thursday 11:00 - 23:00

Friday 10:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

24. Non-standard timings

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Provision of Performance of Dance Both Indoors/Outdoors

25. Monday 00:00 - 01:00 and 10:00 - 23:00

Thursday 11:00 - 23:00

Friday 10:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

26. Non-standard timings

Mondays will only relate to Bank Holiday Mondays. Sundays preceding a regular Monday will cease at 23:00

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**Provision of Anything of a Similar Description to Music or Dance
Both Indoors/Outdoors**

27. Monday 00:00 - 01:00 and 10:00 - 23:00

Thursday 11:00 - 23:00

Friday 10:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 02:00 and 10:00 - 00:00

28. Non-standard timings

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Late Night Refreshment Both Indoors/Outdoors

29. Monday 00:00 - 02:00 and 23:00 - 00:00

Thursday 23:00 - 00:00

Friday 00:00 - 01:00 and 23:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 03:00 and 23:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 03:00 and 23:00 - 00:00

30. Non-standard timings

Mondays will only relate to Bank Holiday Mondays. Sundays preceding a regular Monday will cease at 00:00

Supply of Alcohol Both On and Off Sales

31. Monday 00:00 - 00:30 and 10:00 - 22:30

Thursday 11:00 - 22:30

Friday 10:00 - 00:00

Saturday 00:00 - 01:30 and 10:00 - 00:00

Sunday 00:00 - 01:30 and 10:00 - 00:00

32. Non-standard timings

Mondays will only relate to Bank Holiday Mondays. Sundays preceding a regular Monday will cease at 22:30

Licensing Objectives

33. The following information has been provided by the applicant.

General

34. This Licence will permit a maximum of 8 event days only per year, taking place across Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday or Bank Holiday Monday only.

35. Annually in January, formal discussions between the Licensing Authority, Premises Licence Holder, and South Wales Police must take place to discuss the proposed events for the year. Discussions will include the event profile, number of expected attendees and identify any additional resource levels that may be required.

36. The exact days and dates of the event will be agreed with the Licensing Authority and Safety Advisory Group (SAG) at least 16 weeks in advance.

37. Each event will be presented annually to the Safety Advisory Group.

38. The exact event layout (including the number and position of stages, tents, bars and other infrastructure) will be agreed in advance with the Local Authority and Safety Advisory Group to be submitted no later than 7 days prior to the commencement of the event.

39. A detailed and scaled site plan will be developed and shared with the Licensing Authority and Safety Advisory Group. The plan will indicate the ingress and egress points, sanitation points, fire exits, structures and back of house production areas to be submitted no later than 7 days prior to the commencement of the event.
40. An event and site-specific Event Safety Management Plan (ESMP) will be developed and shared with the Licensing Authority and Safety Advisory Group. The first draft will be shared a minimum of 4 months prior to the event.
41. The ESMP will be a “living” document that outlines the management structure, roles and responsibilities, organization, control, monitoring and review mechanisms as identified by the event specific Risk Assessment (RA).
42. The ESMP will include details on: Risk Assessments, Site Plan, Fire Risk Assessment, Crowd/Security Management, Drugs Policy, Alcohol Management, Medical Management, Adverse Weather, Noise Management, Traffic Management, Ingress/Egress, Sanitation, Campsite Management, Child Welfare/Vulnerable Persons, Terms & Conditions of Entry, Prohibited Items & Search Policy.
43. The final version of the ESMP will be presented to the Licensing Authority and Safety Advisory Group no later than 21 days prior to the event.
44. All provisions contained in the ESMP which relate to the promotion of the four licensing objectives will be regarded as conditions of this premises licence.
45. Following the circulation of the ESMP, the licence holder must consult with the Safety Advisory Group and shall take due account of any representation made by any responsible authority regarding the content of the document.
46. Where following the submission of the final version of the ESMP but prior to the commencement of the event, the licence holder considers it necessary to make any adjustment to the ESMP the proposed adjustment shall be notified to the Legal Regulatory Services Section (Licensing) and the Safety Advisory Group. No adjustment shall be made to the ESMP unless it is agreed with the Legal Regulatory Services Section.

47. The premises licence holder shall ensure the event running orders and artist provision are discussed in advance with relevant key stakeholders. The list of artists must be provided 31 days prior to the event. Any changes must be discussed and agreed with the key stakeholders including onsite meetings during and on the day of the event(s). Any changes to the list of artists must be sent to the relevant stakeholders as soon as reasonably practicable.
48. In year one of the Licence (2025), the maximum capacity on site will not exceed 35,000 (inclusive of all persons on site).
49. In year two of the Licence (2026), the maximum capacity on site will not exceed 40,000 (inclusive of all persons on site).
50. In year three of the Licence (2027), the maximum capacity on site will not exceed 45,000 (inclusive of all persons on site).
51. In year four of the Licence (2028 and onwards), the maximum capacity on site will not exceed 49,999 (inclusive of all persons on site).
52. The Licensing Authority and SAG will be informed of the actual festival capacity no later 21 days before the start of each event.
53. The Premises Licence Holder (PLH) shall take all reasonable steps to ensure that people with disabilities are catered for and will assist with access and facility requirements.

Prevention of Crime and Disorder

54. A reputable and experienced security and stewarding company will be appointed to ensure public safety and to help prevent crime and disorder.
55. To ensure security and integrity of the site a level of search as pre-agreed with the relevant authorities prior to the event shall be instigated.
56. Where applicable following discussion with the Licensing Authority, SAG and Police, an agreed number of door supervisors working at the premises will be deployed with digitally recording Body Worn Video (BWV). The BWV will be used to record any incidents which occur inside or outside of the premises involving customers, prospective customers or any staff member that impact on any of the four licensing objectives. Data recording shall be made immediately available to an authorised Local Authority Officer or Police officer together with facilities for viewing upon

request, subject to the provisions of the Data Protection Act. All recordings will be stored for a minimum period of 31 days.

57. The events shall have an adequate system of counting and recording persons in and out of the event site to ensure that the customer levels in all areas do not exceed the limit endorsed in the Risk Assessment and ESMP. This information must be made available to Authorised Officers throughout the event and upon request.
58. The PLH must ensure that all Stewards & Security personnel are suitably trained and capable of carrying out their allocated duties, aged 18 years or over, and while on duty they should concentrate only on their duties and not on the entertainment.
59. The ESMP Crowd Management Plan will outline the number, position and roles of the Security and Stewarding staff working at the events.
60. All Stewards & Security personnel shall wear distinctive clothing, to ensure they are individually identifiable.
61. A register of Stewards & Security personnel to be maintained at all times at the premises. Such register to include the name, SIA registration number, contact details of the member of staff along with the date, time on duty and time off duty.
62. An Incident Register shall be maintained at the premises showing details of the date and time of all incidents, injuries, accidents or ejections, as well as details of the staff member involved the nature of the incident and the action/outcome. The Register must be kept available for inspection by the Police or Authorised Officers of the Local Authority.
63. An Alcohol Management Plan will be drawn up and implemented.
64. Alcohol will only be served on site to adults – a Challenge 25 policy will be in force at all bars, as outlined in the Alcohol Management Plan.
65. Alcohol consumption will be monitored by bar staff and SIA security staff.
66. The Designated Premises Supervisor (DPS) shall ensure that nobody under the age of 18 years of age is employed to sell alcohol.
67. The Designated Premises Supervisor (DPS) shall ensure that all staff are instructed about the acceptable forms of identification (ID) for proof of age and are fully aware of the Challenge 25 scheme.

68. All drinks shall only be sold in opened cans, plastic cups or PET containers. No glass will be permitted into the event site (including campsites), with the exception of artist and hospitality areas where they may be a limited amount of glassware. The PLH will have measures in place to prevent glass from being taken into the general event areas.
69. When a crime or other incident requiring police attendance is reported to, or discovered by a security operative, they shall obtain as much detail as possible with particular importance being placed on identifying victims, suspects, witnesses and scenes of crime preservation.
70. Security and stewards will ensure that emergency vehicle access to the site is maintained at all times. These access routes will be detailed on the Site Plan.
71. Security and stewards will also ensure that emergency exits from the site are kept clear at all times.
72. Amnesty Bins for the confiscation of prohibited items will be provided and secured at the entrance to the premises. The disposal of the contents of the Amnesty Bins will be coordinated with the Police.
73. The Drugs Policy will include Controlled Substances, New Psychoactive Substances (NPS) as well as No2/NOS/Nitrous Oxide. None of these substances will be permitted on site.
74. Anyone found on entry with more than the agreed quantities for personal consumption (as outlined in the drugs policy) of controlled substances or NPS will be refused entry and the police informed immediately.
75. Appropriate signage will be present on site which will inform attendees that a Drugs Policy is in effect and that search is a condition of entry.
76. Anyone found with an offensive weapon on entry will be refused admittance and the police informed immediately.
77. A Digital CCTV system shall be installed at the premises which will be operational at all times when the premises is open to the public & be capable of providing pictures of evidential quality - particularly facial identification, in all lighting conditions. The CCTV recordings must be correctly timed, date stamped & retained for a period of 31 days and made available for viewing by the Police or an authorised Officer of the Licensing Authority on request.

78. The ESMP will provide details on the location of CCTV cameras and the coverage provided. This will include details of entrances/exits, stages/big tops/marquess as well as bars and any other locations.

Public Safety

79. All aspects of public safety will be discussed in advance with the relevant Key Stakeholders during the SAG process. Full details of which will be outlined in the ESMP.
80. The ESMP will be developed in line with the best practices set out in publications such as: The Purple Guide (2017), The Event Safety Guide (HSG195), Managing Crowds Safely (HSG154), Guide to Safety at Sports Grounds (Green Guide), Fire Safety Risk Assessment (Open Air Events & Venues).
81. Suitable and sufficient Risk Assessments and Fire Risk Assessments will be carried out by a competent person. The events will operate in accordance with the Risk Assessments and ESMP.
82. A suitable and sufficient Traffic Management Plan will be drawn up and implemented for the events. This will take in to account all aspects of audience traffic and travel (including the provision of any shuttle bus services and the use of any offsite 'park & ride' locations).
83. The PLH & relevant stakeholders from the SAG will conduct a site inspection prior to the Premises opening to the public.
84. The PLH shall carry out a suitable and sufficient risk assessment as well as use the purple guide to determine the level of first aid provision for events, such that there is no undue demand on National Health Service resources.
85. The PLH shall have in place suitable and sufficient first aid provisions available from build-up to breakdown of the site.
86. Tented structure(s) shall be provided for the medical treatment of visitors to the event, these shall also be provided with suitable lighting, drinking water, tables and chairs. It must be such that privacy and decency can be guaranteed whilst attending to the patient.
87. A record shall be made and kept of each visitor to the first aid tent and anybody that receives first aid on site. These records shall be retained by

the PLH for at least 7 years or at least 3 years beyond the age of 18 years of age in the case of a child.

88. It shall be the responsibility of the PLH to ensure that all such incidents that are classified as reportable under RIDDOR 2013 are duly reported to the HSE within the reporting time stipulated in the regulations.
89. Stage/Tents/Temporary Demountable Structures - All built structures shall have a completion certificate issued by a competent person from the supplying company and provided to the PLH. Upon request, these will also be provided to relevant stakeholders.
90. All EMERGENCY EXITS, TOILETS AND FIRST AID POSTS shall be clearly indicated, such that it is visible for all attendees.
91. All temporary electrical supplies, including all generators, distribution cabling and end connection for the arena shall be installed by specialised contractors in accordance to BS7909, fitted with RDC or RCBO protection where necessary and suitably earthed in accordance with the site plan and power specifications.
92. No petrol generator is allowed on site.
93. All portable electrical equipment and temporary installations associated with all work shall be protected by a Residual Current Device (RCD) and suitably earthed.
94. All temporary electrical works must have an appropriate electrical sign off certificate issued at the time of works to the PLH and be available for inspection if required by authorised officers.
95. In the unlikely event that the event has to stop, which may be temporary whilst a problem is resolved or the first step in an evacuation of the site either due to crowd related issues, or structural collapse, off site events, extreme weather conditions or at the direction of the Police, Fire Service or the other Responsible Authority, the PLH shall ensure procedures are in place that are familiar to all key role players and rehearsed such that all concerned know what their role is in any scenario and that the plans can be effected immediately.
96. In the event of an emergency the PA systems will be used to broadcast announcements. In the event of either the PA system or the power supply failing, there will be loud hailers available.

97. A supply of drinking water shall be available at all times whilst the venue is open to the public, including arenas and campsites.
98. All grey waste water toilet effluent shall be the responsibility of the event organiser and arrangement shall be sought to ensure the correct transfer and disposal.
99. LPG cylinders - These shall only be used by the concessions and managed on a basis of one cylinder in use per appliance plus one spare. A designated LPG store will be identified and indicated on the site plan. This will be for the safe storage of additional cylinders.
100. The appropriate type and number of firefighting equipment shall be provided throughout the site. Locations and numbers will be specified in the ESMP or FRA.
101. Campsites and car parks will feature maintained fire lanes.
102. Suitable and sufficient lighting shall be provided to the event site especially as it is getting dark such that all health and safety information and notice signage can be easily seen and read and at the close of the event to enable visitors to leave the site safely.

The prevention of public nuisance

103. The PLH shall have in place an arrangement (contract) with a reputable waste management company to manage the event site for the duration of the event.
104. Stages will close down in a staggered fashion with the Main Stage ceasing performances at 23:00. Any other performance areas continuing beyond 23:00 will be detailed in the ESMP & NMP.
105. An experienced and suitably qualified Noise Management Consultant will be engaged to liaise with Environmental Health Officers (EHO) to develop and implement the EMP Noise Management Plan (NMP).
106. The Noise Management Consultant will carefully monitor noise levels from the event to ensure that noise levels from the event do not exceed the dB levels agreed with EHO and stipulated in the NMP. All dB readings will be made available to EHO with a full post event report being provided no later than 14 days post event.

107. Local residents (including businesses) will receive prior notification of the event including details of the event timings. The distribution radius for the notification letter will be agreed with the Licensing Authority any relevant Local Councillors.
108. A noise “hot line” number will also be included to allow residents to contact an event representative should they need to make a complaint.
109. Adequate litter collection and disposal procedures will be in place both inside and around the immediate vicinity of the event. The post event clean up will be planned and discussed in advance with the relevant Key Stakeholders to be as time effective as possible. The scope of the post event clean will be agreed with the Licensing Authority in advance of the event.
110. Where deemed necessary by the SAG, adequate advanced warning signage/event access signage will be provided at the site to assist with and attempt to minimise and prevent traffic problems in the area.
111. Where possible, deliveries/collections from site will be undertaken at a reasonable time so as to have minimal impact on local residents.
112. Adequate sanitary provision will be put in place within the event and at agreed areas externally in the immediate vicinity (if deemed necessary by the SAG).
113. Any pyrotechnic displays will follow all current legislation guidance and will only be undertaken by competent suppliers whose standards have been pre-vetted.
114. The St Davids Estate will be staffed with a minimum of 2 x dedicated SIA for the duration of the event (Thu AM - Mon AM). Their roles and responsibilities be will clearly defined in the Security Management Plan.
115. From year two of this licence (2026, 40,000 capacity onwards), the number of SIA staff on duty at St Davids Estate will increase to 3 x SIA. Their roles and responsibilities be will clearly defined in the Security Management Plan.

The protection of children from harm

116. Where applicable and as agreed by the SAG, suitably qualified/experienced child welfare staff (DBS checked) will be in

attendance to assist with the provision of lost children/parents as appropriate.

117. A lost/found child/vulnerable persons policy will be submitted as part of the ESMP.
118. A Challenge 25 Policy will be operated, as outlined in the Alcohol Management Plan.
119. A register of refusals will be kept detailing all refused sales of alcohol, as outlined in the Alcohol Management Plan.
120. No adult entertainment will be permitted.
121. Suitably qualified medical personnel will be available to deal with any child related issues as appropriate.
122. The PLH shall ensure that up to date records are available for inspection of staff training in respect of age-related sales as outlined in the ESMP Alcohol Management Plan

Relevant Representations

123. Mr R & Mrs A Copp, 40 Cwrt Y Carw, Coed Hirwaun, Margam, Port Talbot, SA13 2TS - Local Resident
124. The above representation is reproduced in Appendix 3.
125. Mr Bryan Powell, 6 St Davids Park, Margam, Port Talbot, SA13 2PA - Local Resident
126. The above representation is reproduced in Appendix 4.
127. Mr C & Mrs S Brown, 19 St Davids Park, Margam, Port Talbot, SA13 2PA - Local Resident
128. The above representation is reproduced in Appendix 5.
129. Mr C & Mrs J Evans, 24 Eglwys Nunnydd, Margam, Port Talbot, SA13 2PS - Local Resident
130. The above representation is reproduced in Appendix 6.
131. Mr Wayne Morris, Benchmark Barn, Eglwys Nunnydd, Margam, Port Talbot, SA13 2PS - Local Resident

132. The above representation is reproduced in Appendix 7 and Appendix 8.
133. Catherine Jones, 25 Eglwys Nunnydd, Margam, Port Talbot, SA13 2PS -
Local Resident
134. The above representation is reproduced in Appendix 9.

Officer Report

135. This is an application for the grant of a premises licence under the Licensing Act 2003 by Climax Promotions & Events Limited. The premises licence will authorise the sale of alcohol, both on and off the premises, regulated entertainment and late-night refreshment.
136. Representations were received in respect of the application from South Wales Police, requesting that additional conditions be attached to the licence which have been agreed and are attached as Appendix 1.
137. Representations were received in respect of the application from Legal Regulatory Services, requesting that additional conditions be attached to the licence which have been agreed and are attached as Appendix 2.
138. The representations from local residents are required to be considered at a formal hearing; final determination of the application needs to be made by the Licensing and Gambling Acts Sub- Committee.
139. There is an existing premises licence in force in respect of this premises, which was granted in 2022 and is limited in capacity to 29,999 persons. This purpose of this application is a change to the capacity as set out in the application form and in appendix 10 - additional information from applicant.

Legal Impacts

140. There is a right of appeal against the decision to the Magistrates' Court.

Risk Management

141. Not Applicable.

Consultation

142. Consultation has been undertaken in accordance with the Licensing Act 2003.

Recommendation

143. The members determine the application after considering all relevant representations.

Reasons for Proposed Decision

144. To ensure the licensing objectives as set out in the Licensing Act 2003 are promoted.

Implementation of Decision

145. The decision is for immediate implementation

Appendices

146. Appendix 1 - South Wales Police Representation and Agreement

147. Appendix 2 - Legal Regulatory Services Representation and Agreement

148. Appendix 3 - Mr R & Mrs A Copp Representation

149. Appendix 4 - Mr Bryan Powell Representation

150. Appendix 5 - Mr C & Mrs S Brown Representation

151. Appendix 6 - Mr C & Mrs J Evans Representation

152. Appendix 7 - Mr Wayne Morris Representation

153. Appendix 8 - Mr Wayne Morris Supplementary photographs

154. Appendix 9 - Catherine Jones Representation

155. Appendix 10 - Additional information from applicant

156. Appendix 11 - Capability Statement

157. Appendix 12 - Event Safety Management Plan 2025

- 158. Appendix 13 - Representation Themes Response
- 159. Appendix 14 - Noise Management Plan 2024
- 160. Appendix 15 - Ten Point Traffic Management Plan 2025 & Beyond

List of Background Papers

- 161. Application for the grant of a premises licence
- 162. Neath Port Talbot Licensing Policy
- 163. <https://www.npt.gov.uk/media/17641/appendix-1-draft-licensing-act-policy-2021-english.docx?v=20220627093306>
- 164. Secretary of State's Guidance
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/explanatory-memorandum-revised-guidance-issued-under-s-182-of-licensing-act-2003>

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