

Inverclyde Licensing Board

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Dear Member

Please attend a meeting of the **INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD** to be held on **THURSDAY 7 SEPTEMBER 2023** at **10.00 a.m.**

The Licensing Board Meeting will be held in hybrid format. Members may attend the meeting in person or access the meeting by remote online access. The joining details will be sent to Members and Officers prior to the meeting. Members are requested to notify Fiona Denver by 12 noon on Tuesday 5 September regarding how they intend to access the meeting.

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Please note that this meeting will be recorded only for the purposes of preparation of the Minute of the meeting. Further information relating to the recording of meetings can be found at the end of this notice.

Yours faithfully

Clerk

AGENDA

- 1. Apologies, Substitutions and Declarations of Interest**
- 2. Minutes of Meetings held on 1 June, 28 June and 1 August 2023.**
The Minutes of the Meeting of the Licensing Board held on 1 June, 28 June and the joint meeting with the Licensing Forum on 1 August 2023 are submitted for approval.
- 3. Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005: Application for Variation of Premises Licence**
A list of applications is enclosed
- 4. Police Scotland Annual Report 2022 - 2023**
Report by the Clerk of the Board with the Chief Constable's Annual Licensing report is enclosed.

5. Applications Granted under Delegated Authority for the Period from 1 May to 31 July 2023

A list of granted licences is enclosed.

The reports are available publicly on the Inverclyde Licensing Board's website and the Minute of the meeting will be submitted to the next standing meeting of the Licensing Board. The agenda for the meeting of the Inverclyde Licensing Board will be available publicly on the Licensing Board's website.

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INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD
THURSDAY 1 JUNE 2023 AT 10.00 A.M.

Present: Councillors Brooks, Cassidy, McCormick, McVey, Reynolds and Robertson.

Chair: Councillor Brooks presided.

In attendance: Ms Anne Sinclair (Depute Clerk to the Board); Fiona Denver (for Clerk to the Board); Sergeant Ian Robertson (Police Scotland); Roisin Dillon (Public Protection Manager/Licensing Standards Officer); Crawford Brown (Licensing Standards Officers) and Karen Barclay (Corporate Policy & Performance Officer).

Apologies: Councillor Jackson and Alan Best, Inverclyde HSCP. There were no substitutions.

Declarations of Interest: There were no declarations of interest intimated.

The meeting was held at the Municipal Buildings, Greenock with Councillors McCormick, McVey and Sergeant Robertson attending by video-conference.

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005
MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON 2 MARCH AND 26 APRIL 2023

The Chair moved approval of the Minutes of the previous meetings which was unanimously agreed.

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005
APPLICATION FOR VARIATION OF PREMISES LICENCE

Decision as per attached list.

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005
APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER WITH VARIATION OF PREMISES LICENCE

Decision as per attached list.

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005
APPLICATION FOR PROVISIONAL PREMISES LICENCE

Decision as per attached list.

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005
APPLICATION TO EXTENDED PROVISIONAL PREMISES LICENCE

Decision as per attached list.

**LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005
APPLICATION FOR OCCASIONAL LICENCE**

Decision as per attached list.

**LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005
APPLICATIONS GRANTED UNDER DELEGATED AUTHORITY FOR THE PERIOD FROM
1 FEBRUARY TO 30 APRIL 2023**

Noted.

INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD EQUALITY MAINSTREAMING REPORT 2023

Karen Barclay addressed the Board advising on the contents of the report.

There followed a short discussion and Karen answered Members questions.

Members noted the report.

PROPOSED DATES OF FUTURE INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD MEETING

Ms Sinclair requested Members approve set dates for meetings for the next year as outlined in the report with additional dates being allocated as and when required with the approval of the Chair/Vice-Chair.

Members unanimously agreed the report with meetings being set for the following dates:-

- Thursday 7 September 2023 – 10.00 a.m.
- Thursday 7 December 2023 – 10.00 a.m.
- Thursday 7 March 2024 – 10.00 a.m.
- Thursday 6 June 2024 – 10.00 a.m.

INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD – 1 JUNE 2023

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

(3) APPLICATION FOR VARIATION OF PREMISES LICENCE

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Variation Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
1.	Tina Birk	Taj Mahal 89/91 Kempock Street Gourock	Increase on sales commencement core licensing hour to 12 Noon Monday – Sunday Existing 2.30 p.m. – 11.45 p.m. Sunday – Thursday 2.30 p.m. – 12.15 a.m. Friday & Saturday	GRANTED
<p>Mr Brian McMahon, McMahon Consultancy, was present representing the applicant.</p> <p>Ms Sinclair advised that the application is within Policy and there are no objections or representations.</p> <p>Mr McMahon advised the application is sought to provide table lunches which is not currently available.</p> <p>Councillor Brooks moved grant of the application which was unanimously agreed.</p>				
2.	Lapwine Limited	Word Up 210 Dalrymple Street Greenock	Addition of the 'Back Lane' external drinking area to premises licence, incorporating the following:- (a) Activities Add outdoor drinking facilities to activities to be held both during and outwith core licensing hours. (Tick Box – Yes) Existing Tick Box – No <u>Any other Activities</u> Add – External area at the 'Back Lane'.	WITHDRAWN

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Variation Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
		Word Up 210 Dalrymple Street Greenock	Existing Quiz events, charity and fundraising events, local community and youth group meetings, plays and theatrical performances and similar artistic shows and events, hospitality events. (b) Increase occupancy capacity to 1044 persons (including 144 external area). Existing 900 persons (c) Amend layout plan to include the 'Back Lane' external drinking area	

Ms Sinclair advised that this application has been withdrawn.

3.	Lady Alice Bowling Club	Lady Alice Bowling Club Inverkip Road Greenock	Increase on sales terminal core licensing hours as follows:- Monday to 12 Midnight Thursday to 12.30 a.m. Sunday to 11.30 p.m. Existing Monday 11.00 a.m. - 11.00 p.m. Tuesday & Wednesday 11.00 a.m. - 12 Midnight Thursday 11.00 a.m. - 11.00 p.m. Friday 11.00 a.m. - 1.00 a.m. Saturday 10.00 a.m. - 1.00 a.m. Sunday 11.30 a.m. - 11.00 p.m.	GRANTED
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Mr Jim Gallacher, Treasurer was present.

Ms Sinclair advised that the application is within Policy and the there are no objections or representations.

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Variation Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
			Mr Gallacher addressed the Board explaining the running of the Bowling Games and the reasons for the request of increased hours. Councillor McVey moved grant of the application which was unanimously agreed.	
4.	Kulbinder Singh	Bullseye Sports Bar 11 Brougham Street Greenock	(a)(i) Increase terminal core licensing hour on Tuesday and Wednesday to 1.00 a.m. (ii) Decrease terminal core licensing hour on Thursday and Sunday to 12 Midnight Existing Monday – Wednesday 11.00 a.m. – 12 Midnight Thursday – Sunday 11.00 a.m. – 1.00 a.m.	GRANTED GRANTED
			(b) Add table tennis and darts to further details of activities to be held on premises. Existing Recorded music is in the form of background music. Film provision is in the form of a video juke box. Indoor Sports facilities are snooker, American pool and traditional pool.	GRANTED

Mr Archie Maciver, Messrs Brunton Miller was present representing the applicant.

Ms Sinclair advised that Police Scotland had submitted a representation in respect of the application and that Mr Maciver had provided two letters of support, one from Greenock Pool League and the other from Inverclyde Darts League. Ms Sinclair read the contents of all letters to the Board, copies of which had been circulated to Members.

Mr Maciver addressed the Board providing background information on the licence holder and the operation of the premises. He explained the process of competitions being held and difficulties with timings of same, hence the requirement for increased hours on certain day. He explained that in essence, the request is to basically swap the later hours from Thursday and Sunday to Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr Maciver also intimated that the addition of table tennis and darts is an administrative tidy up of the licence.

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Variation Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
			<p>Sergeant Robertson having heard the comments from Mr Maciver mentioned that it was not only persons playing in competitions that would be attending the premises. He confirmed that there was nothing further to add to the terms of their letter, it is for Members to consider if darts and snooker is significant entertainment in order to increase the trading hours.</p> <p>Ms Dillon had no comments to make on the application.</p> <p>A discussion followed with Members, Ms Sinclair and Mr Maciver, following which, Councillor Brooks moved grant of the application which was unanimously agreed.</p>	
5.	Punch Partnership (PTL) Ltd	Cardwell Inn 49 Cardwell Road Gourrock	<p>Addition of Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area to premises licence, incorporating the following:-</p> <p>(a) Activities Add Outdoor Drinking and Conference facilities to activities to be held on premises both during and outwith core licensing hours. (Tick Box – Yes)</p> <p>Existing Tick Box – No</p> <p><u>Further Details</u> Addition of the following:-</p> <p>The outdoor seating area to the front of the premises is not to be used after 9.00 p.m. No music shall be played at any time in the outdoor seating area.</p> <p>Existing The premises may open from 8.00 a.m. Monday – Sunday for the provision of teas, coffees, breakfasts etc. No alcohol will be sold outwith core hours. The indoor activity/activities will cease 15 minutes after the terminal hour for the sale of alcohol.</p>	GRANTED

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Variation Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
		Cardwell Inn 49 Cardwell Road Gourock	(b) Children and Young Persons Amend areas of the premises to which Children and Young Persons are allowed entry to all public parts of the premises Existing Lounge and Conservatory	GRANTED
			(c) Increase occupancy capacity to 255 persons (including 50 external area). Existing 205 persons	GRANTED AS AMENDED
			(d) Amend layout plan to include the outdoor drinking area.	GRANTED

Mr Campell Dorwood, Business Development Manager, Star Pubs and Mr Brett Clough, leaseholder and designated premises manager were present.

Ms Sinclair advised that there are no representations or objections to the application.

Ms Dillon advised that the outdoor area has been in operation since the introduction of outdoor areas during the covid pandemic and that no complaints or issues had been made to the department.

Mr Clough addressed the Board and confirmed that the occupancy capacity applied for is to be amended in line with Building Standards guidelines, therefore to remain at 205 persons. Mr Darwood also confirmed the amendment.

Councillor McCormick moved grant of the application as amended which was unanimously agreed.

INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD – 1 JUNE 2023

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

(4) APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER WITH VARIATION OF PREMISES LICENCE

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Transfer and Variation Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
1.	Zulfiquar Ali	Buyrite 13 Grey Place Greenock	(a) Transfer of licence holder to Buyrite Day-Today Ltd Existing Zulfiquar Ali	GRANTED
			(b) Increase off sales core licensing hours to:- 10.00 a.m. – 10.00 p.m. Monday – Sunday Existing 12 Noon – 10.00 p.m. Monday – Saturday 12.30 p.m. – 10.00 p.m. Sunday	GRANTED
			(c) Designated Premises Manager New premises manager – Faisal Mustafa Existing Zain Atlaf	GRANTED

Mr Gordon Emslie, GNE Consultancy was present representing the applicant.

Ms Sinclair advised that the application is within Policy and there are no objections or representations.

Sergeant Robertson and Ms Dillon confirmed no comments or objection to the application.

Councillor Cassidy moved grant of the application which was unanimously agreed.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Event Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
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ADDITIONAL ITEM

The Chair intimated that the Board had been asked to consider an additional item which he proposed to consider at this juncture, prior to hearing the next two items which could be taken together. Members agreed to the Chair's request.

Ms Sinclair advised that the additional item is in relation to an occasional licence application by Royal Gourock Yacht Club in respect of which two public objections had been received. The application is for a Disco/Dance event to be held on the balcony of the Club on 10 June from 2.00 p.m. – 10.00 p.m.

One objector, Ms Murdoch had submitted her apologies that she was unable to attend the meeting. Neither objector was in attendance.

Mr Doug Haldane, Honorary Secretary, Charles Webster and Bruce Glenny Event Organisers were present.

Ms Sinclair read the contents of each objection to the Board which referred mainly to noise levels and traffic problems.

Sergeant Robertson confirmed Police Scotland has no objection to the application.

Ms Dillon advised that having checked Council records, there have been no noise complaints reported previously and the premises have held similar events in the past which were not the subject of noise complaints. She considered that the terminal hour of 10.00 p.m. is not unreasonable. Ms Dillon intimated that in relation to the traffic issue, there are double yellow lines in the area.

Ms Sinclair advised Members that traffic management is an irrelevant consideration in licensing matters.

Mr Haldane addressed the Board stating that the disco/dance event had been held last year and the music finished at 9.30 p.m. He had no comment to make on the parking issues. Mr Haldane advised that the event is important to the Club, it is not a routine event, and only one event of this kind is planned this year, albeit they will hold one more similar event. Mr Haldane also clarified that being fully aware of the complaints that notices will be displayed around and outside the premises advising of noise levels.

There followed questions from Members which Mr Haldane responded to. Mr Webster provided further information on the organisation of the event including ticket sales. He advised that (i) no tables and chairs would be located on the roadside; (ii) no person under the age of 21 is admitted; (iii) professional stewards will be in place, (iv) last orders at the bar will be 9.15 p.m.; (v) the premises will be cleared at 10.00 p.m.; (vi) a varied selection of music will be played; and (vii) the sound levels will be monitored. Mr Webster stated that a number of residents were in support and attending the event and it will run as an exact carbon copy of last year's event which passed without any problem.

Councillor Robertson moved grant of the application which was unanimously agreed.

Prior to consideration of the next item, The Chair advised that it was his intention to consider items 5 and 7 together and as such he proposed to take item 6 next.

INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD – 1 JUNE 2023

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

(5) APPLICATION FOR PROVISIONAL PREMISES LICENCE

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Proposed Licence Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
1.	Buzzworks Hospitality Ltd	Scotts Greenock Ocean Terminal Custom House Way Greenock	Description of Premises Restaurant	GRANTED
			Core Licensing Hours – On Sales 10.30 a.m. – 12.30 a.m. Monday – Thursday 11.30 a.m. – 1.30 a.m. Friday & Saturday 10.30 a.m. – 12.30 a.m. Sunday	GRANTED
			Core Licensing Hours – Off Sales 10.30 a.m. – 10.00 p.m. Monday – Thursday 11.30 a.m. – 10.00 p.m. Friday & Saturday 10.30 a.m. – 10.00 p.m. Sunday	GRANTED
			Seasonal Variations The premises will apply for and or take advantage of such additional trading hours as may be permitted by the Licensing Board for the Festive Season in each year	GRANTED
			Activities Conference facilities; Restaurant facilities; Receptions including weddings, funerals, retirements etc; Club or other group meetings etc; Recorded music; Films; Televised sport; and Outdoor drinking facilities to be provided both during and outwith core licensing hours. (Tick Box – Yes)	GRANTED
			Bar meals; Live performances; Dance facilities; and Gaming to be provided during core licensing hours. (Tick Box – Yes)	

No Applicant

Premises

Proposed Licence Details

Decision

Scotts

Greenock Ocean Terminal
Custom House Way
Greenock

Further Details

Conference facilities, restaurant facilities, receptions, meetings, staff meetings, staff events, televised sport, recorded music/films may take place outwith core hours but no alcohol will be served outwith these hours without reference to the Licensing Board.

The premises may open from 8.00 a.m. for service of breakfasts but no alcohol will be served outwith core hours.

Outside drinking facilities: hot beverages, food and non-alcoholic drink will be available for consumption on the outside terrace before core times. During core times alcohol may be purchased inside the premises and taken to the outside terrace under supervision of management and staff on duty.

Any Other Activities

Karaoke, quizzes and Theme nights may be available but no alcohol will be served outwith core hours.

Children and Young Persons

Children and Young Persons will be allowed entry as follows:-

**GRANTED
AS
AMENDED**

Terms

Children (0-15years) will be allowed entry only if accompanied by an adult whilst having a meal or attending a function.

Young persons (16-17 years) will be allowed entry whilst having a meal or attending a function.

Ages

Children (0-15 years) and Young Persons (16-17 years)

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Proposed Licence Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
		<p>Scotts Greenock Ocean Terminal Custom House Way Greenock</p>	<p><u>Times</u> Children (0-15 years) will be allowed entry until 10.30 p.m. if accompanied by an adult for the purposes of having a meal or where a function is being attended to the terminal hour of the function. Young persons (16-17 years) will be allowed entry until 10.30 p.m. for the purpose of taking a meal or where a function is being attended to the terminal hour of the function.</p> <p><u>Parts</u> Children and Young persons will be allowed entry to all public parts of the premises.</p> <p>Capacity of Premises Ground Floor 705 persons Mezzanine Level 20 persons First Floor 282 persons</p> <p>Designated Premises Manager Michelle Martin</p>	<p>GRANTED</p> <p>NOTED</p>

Mr Brian Dunlop, Messrs Black Hay, Solicitors was present representing the applicant.

Ms Sinclair highlighted a few matters in the application form that are out with the Board's Policy, namely the on sales hours and the details pertaining to children and young persons being permitted. She also brought to the attention of Members that the occupancy sought is to cover three levels of the building and does not relate to the restaurant premises only.

Ms Sinclair intimated that Police Scotland have submitted a representation to the application and Messrs J & H Mitchell have submitted a letter of consent. Ms Sinclair read the contents of same to the Board, copies of which had previously been circulated to Members.

Ms Sinclair advised that Police Scotland have intimated the hours applied for are outwith the Board's Policy.

Sergeant Robertson confirmed there was nothing further to add to the terms of the Chief Superintendent's representation.

Mr Brown confirmed he had no comments to the application.

No Applicant

Premises

Proposed Licence Details

Decision

Mr Dunlop addressed the Board providing background information on the company and the businesses already held. He addressed the Police comments in relation to the on sales hours sought. Mr Dunlop intimated that the premises are unique and located within a purpose built building for the arrival of cruise ship passengers. He commented that other areas of the building are to be included within the licence to allow for events/functions to take place that are not necessarily being held in the restaurant.

Following discussions on the layout and operation of the premises, the Chair invited Mr Dunlop to address the Board on the terms of the proposals in relation to Children and Young Persons permitted to attend which are outwith policy.

Mr Dunlop addressed Members and requested to amend the application in order to bring it within the Board's Children and Young Persons Policy in all aspects.

On return from private discussion, Councillor Brooks moved grant of both the provisional premises licence application and occasional licence application as amended which was unanimously agreed.

INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD – 1 JUNE 2023

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

(6) APPLICATION TO EXTEND PROVISIONAL PREMISES LICENCE

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
1.	Ardgowan Distillery Company Ltd	Ardgowan Distillery Company Ltd Ardgowan Estate Inverkip	<u>Description of Premises</u> Distillery and tourist attraction featuring a full working distillery and brewery, visitor centre and tourist facilities along with chalet style accommodation and letting rooms, and which also includes a restaurant, cook-school, bar, and events and retail space. <u>Provisional Licence Dates</u> 6 June 2019 - 6 June 2023 Request to extend expiry date by one year.	GRANTED

Mr Stephen McGowan, Messrs TLT LLP was present representing the applicant. Ms Jessica Skelton, Mission Controller was in attendance.

Ms Sinclair advised that no consultations or reports are required for this request.

Sergeant Robertson and Mr C Brown confirmed they have no comments to make.

Mr McGowan addressed the Board advising on the progress of the project. He intimated that with supplies and delivering of equipment being difficult over the past few years, these have delayed the construction work and therefore the requirement to request an extension to the Provisional Licence.

Councillor Cassidy moved grant of the request which was unanimously agreed.

INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD – 1 JUNE 2023

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

(7) APPLICATION FOR OCCASIONAL LICENCE

<u>No.</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Event Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
1.	Nicola Watt	Scotts Greenock Ocean Terminal Custom House Way Custom House Quay Greenock	Restaurant <u>On Sales</u> Sunday – Thursday 10.30 a.m. – 12.30 a.m. Friday & Saturday 11.30 a.m. – 1.30 a.m. <u>Off Sales</u> Sunday – Thursday 10.30 a.m. – 10.00 p.m. Friday & Saturday 11.30 a.m. – 10.00 p.m. The premises will be open each day from 8.00 a.m. for service of breakfasts. No alcohol will be served outwith licensed hours. Children (if accompanied by an adult) and young persons will be permitted entry until 10.30 p.m. for the purpose of having a meal or attending a function. <u>Application Dates</u> 14 June – 27 June 28 June – 11 July 12 July – 25 July	GRANTED AS AMENDED

As per decision at item (5) above.

INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD

28 JUNE 2023 AT 10AM

Present: Councillors Brooks, Cassidy, Jackson, Law, McCormick, McVey, Reynolds and Robertson.

Chair: Councillor Brooks presided.

In attendance: Ms Anne Sinclair and Fiona Denver (for Clerk to the Board), Inspector Joanne Henderson and Sergeant Iain Robertson (Police Scotland), Roisin Dillon (Public Protection Team Lead) and Crawford Brown (Licensing Standards Officer).

Apologies and Declarations of Interest: There were no apologies or declarations of interest intimated.

The meeting was held in the Council Chambers, Municipal Buildings with Councillors Jackson, McCormick and Law attending remotely.

1. Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005: Finance and Function Reports

The Depute Clerk presented the Annual Finance report, with income and expenditure figures, and the Annual Functions report for the period April 2022 until March 2023, and explained that both reports require to be published on the Licensing Board's website by 30 June 2023 to comply with the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005. In relation to the Annual Finance report, the Depute Clerk highlighted the higher level of income in the last year in relation to liquor licensing fees. The Depute Clerk explained that this is a reflection on the increase in the number of applications received, particularly occasional licence applications, to facilitate outdoor drinking under the Board's previous outdoor drinking policy for the duration of the pandemic until 30 September 2022 and thereafter to facilitate outdoor drinking pending applications for major variation of premises licences. Following questions and a discussion the Members unanimously approved both the Annual Finance report and the Annual Functions report for 2022 to 2023.

2. Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005: Licensing Board Policy Statement Review

The Depute Clerk updated members on the outcome of the initial consultation in relation to the review of the Board's Licensing Policy Statement. The Depute Clerk reminded members that the Licensing Board's reviewed Policy Statement requires to be published within 18 months of the Local Government Elections which were held on 5 May 2022 and therefore no later than 4 November 2023. In particular, Ms Sinclair summarised the results of the 65 responses received in relation to the online consultation in Appendix 1 of the report, the response of Police Scotland, set out in Appendix 2 and the joint response of Inverclyde HSCP/Greater Glasgow & Clyde Health Board in Appendix 3, with health statistics in relation to the 17 intermediate zones in Inverclyde.

The Chair, Councillor Brooks, advised members that the Licensing Board Policy Statement requires input from the Local Licensing Forum and it would be helpful that the Board heard from the Forum in advance of considering what revisions were appropriate to the Policy. Cllr Brooks considered that it would be helpful if Members could have a timeline in relation to review of the policy.

Inspector Henderson confirmed that she had nothing further to add to the written submission on behalf of Police Scotland. The Chair also asked Roisin Dillon, Public Health Protection Manager, if she had anything further to add. She advised that she had no contribution at this time.

Thereafter the Chair invited Members to ask questions of Inspector Henderson or the Depute Clerk. Councillor McVey referring to the Curfew which is currently in place in Inverclyde asked Police Scotland what evidence existed to justify treating Inverclyde differently to other Licensing Board areas in Scotland, commenting that Inverclyde is the only Licensing Board area with such a curfew. Inspector Henderson explained that the response had been submitted by Sergeant Robertson who was currently attending the General Purposes Board and he intended joining the Licensing Board once the General Purposes Board had concluded.

In relation to the issue of over-provision, Cllr McVey expressed the view that the health statistics provided by Dr Daniel Carter are quite shocking and it is clear the Licensing Board requires to consider the issue of over-provision. Councillor McVey asked if it would be possible to differentiate between on and off-sales as one of the consultation responses mentioned that there were three off-sales within close proximity to each other. Ms Sinclair explained that it would be possible to differentiate and if there was an over-provision policy there would then be a rebuttable presumption that any new application would be refused. This policy would require to be applied consistently.

Councillor Robertson outlined two main areas of concern, in relation to the Curfew and the issue of over-provision.

Councillor Robertson explained she had been a member of an earlier Licensing Board which considered and decided to retain the Curfew. Councillor Robertson advised that at that time the Licensing Board Members followed the recommendation of Police Scotland that the curfew was useful in relation to the licensing objectives of preventing crime and disorder, securing public safety and preventing public nuisance. Accordingly, she considered that it was necessary that the Board has evidence before it from Police Scotland in relation to any proposed continuation of the curfew.

Councillor Robertson also stated that she would expect a report from the Licensing Forum to be made available in order to inform any decision of the Licensing Board in relation to overprovision. She expressed an initial view that over-provision has not been effective in the past. She considered that this was something which could be explored further during the joint session with the Licensing Forum . Councillor Robertson considered that it would be helpful to have additional information from Police Scotland available at the time of the joint meeting with the Inverclyde Licensing Forum.

Thereafter Councillor Jackson addressed Members of the Board on the issue of over-provision. He said that it seemed to him that in the past commercial interests always overruled health interests. Councillor Jackson acknowledged that it was important that any decision was evidence based, but stated that he would like to carefully consider over-provision in light of the health issues.

Thereafter Members heard from Roisin Dillon, Public Protection Manager. With reference to the recent Local Licensing Forum meeting she had attended, Roisin Dillon explained that there had been an in-depth conversation around the health data provided by Dr Daniel Carter. There was a discussion about linking data with areas of over-provision but in her view there is no concrete evidence available that those areas with the worst health statistics are areas where alcohol is being purchased. Roisin Dillon gave the example of Kilmacolm, a low provision area for alcohol, and stated that this demonstrates that residents are not purchasing their alcohol locally.

Ms Dillon also stated that deciding what localities to use for the purpose of overprovision is difficult. She spoke about the difficulty with the current statistics, in her view a lot of the information is weighted as a result of the Covid Pandemic.

The Chair pointed out that one of the objectives of the Licensing Board is to improve public health and the Board requires to consider any evidence based proof.

Thereafter the Board Members discussed a potential review of the Board's policy regarding children and young persons. The current provisions are set out in page 16 of the existing report and reflect that children and young persons shall be accompanied and supervised by a suitable adult or adults when they are in licensed premises with children and young persons permitted in licensed premises until 8pm and permitted in licensed premises between 8pm and 11pm while they are accompanied by an adult and having a meal. Councillor Robertson highlighted that this has previously caused difficulty in relation to applications which have come before the Board. She requested that officers look at the way in which other Licensing Board's deal with the management of children and young persons on licensed premises.

(Councillors Cassidy and Reynolds had left the Licensing Board at 10am in order to join the General Purposes Board. They both re-joined the Licensing Board, as it was not considering any quasi-judicial matter, at 11.05am at which point the Depute Clerk provided them with a summary of the discussion thus far in relation to the Licensing Board Policy Review).

Sergeant Robertson also joined the Licensing Board meeting at this point.

Sergeant Robertson was asked about Councillor Robertson's question concerning the Curfew and what statistical information was available in order to support this. Sergeant Robertson confirmed he thought that the statistics could be made available for a future meeting. He stated that he does not recall being asked previously to comment on evidence to support the curfew. He thought the curfew was in place prior to commencement of Police Scotland and therefore in existence from the days of Strathclyde Police Force. He said he had previously spoken to Licensed Premises owners and they were supportive of retaining the Curfew because it helps retain business. Councillor Robertson pointed out that the Licensing Board must have had clear evidence before it in relation to the Curfew, linked to the licensing objectives when the decision was made to retain the curfew in 2018.

Councillor McVey requested a report on the legislation concerning alcohol deliveries, he raised concerns about the sale of alcohol on apps and fears that children are buying alcohol in this way.

Ms Sinclair provided advice that the use of apps to obtain alcohol deliveries was a modern phenomenon and was not provided for in the licensing legislation. However, officers would be able to prepare a report in relation to legislation around alcohol deliveries.

Thereafter there was a discussion in relation to the invitation which has been extended to **Unite the Union** in order to give a presentation to the Licensing Board regarding the Home Safer Campaign. Ms Sinclair highlighted that this was an outstanding remit from an earlier Licensing Board, and it was agreed that this matter would be considered as part of the review of the Licensing Board Policy Statement. Ms Sinclair confirmed that arrangements were being made for the presentation, which ideally will take place at the joint meeting of the Licensing Board and Licensing Forum which is being arranged.

Following the discussion Members unanimously decided:

- (1) That the outcome of the initial consultation regarding review of the Licensing Board Policy Statement be noted, and no revisals be made to the existing policy at this point in light of the consultation responses;
- (2) Agreed the approach in relation to determining localities as set out in section 6.9 of the report, that is, the Board determined that there are 17 localities replicating the 17 Intermediate zones in the Licensing Board area; and
- (3) that a report should be brought to a joint meeting of the Inverclyde Licensing Board and Licensing Forum with relevant data in relation to each of the 17 localities/intermediate zones including mapping and confirmation of the number of licensed premises in each locality/intermediate zone.

INVERCLYDE LOCAL LICENSING FORUM AND INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD

MINUTE OF JOINT MEETING OF 1 AUGUST 2023 AT 10.15AM

Present:

Licensing Board: Councillors Brooks, Cassidy, Jackson, Law, McVey, Reynolds and Robertson.

Licensing Forum: Nikki Boyle, Adrian Howlett and Lucianno Rebecchi.

Chair: Councillor Brooks presided.

In attendance: Sgt Ian Robertson (Police Scotland), Ms Anne Sinclair, Ms Siobhan McMaster, Ms Diane Sweeney, Mr Crawford Brown.

Also in attendance: Ms Irina Do Carmo and Mr Stephen Pinder, Unite Trade Union.

The meeting was held at the Municipal Buildings, Greenock with Councillor Reynolds, Sgt Robertson, Ms Do Carmo and Mr Pinder attending remotely.

Apologies: Apologies for absence were intimated on behalf of Emma Cumming, with Nikki Boyle substituting, and Councillor McCormick.

Presentation by Representatives of Unite on the Get Me Home Safely Campaign

The Board heard a presentation on the Get Me Home Safely campaign given by Irina Do Carmo and Stephen Pinder of the Unite Trade Union. The campaign addresses the workplace safety issues faced primarily by women and aims to tackle gender-based violence by developing a host of solutions and extending the duty of care of employers of late-night workers to ensuring that they get home safely. Thereafter members discussed and considered the premise of the campaign in so far as it relates to the licensing objectives, and thereafter Ms Do Carmo, Mr Pinder and Ms Sinclair answered a number of questions from members.

Decided: that the presentation be noted.

Inverclyde Licensing Board Policy Statement Review

There was submitted a report by the Clerk to the Licensing Board providing additional information to members of the Licensing Board and Forum to assist in their discussion regarding a review of the Licensing Board's Policy Statement. The Policy Statement requires to be published within 18 months of the Local Government Elections on 5 May 2022 and therefore no later than 4 November 2023.

Ms Sinclair provided members with a provisional timescale for consideration of the Policy Statement before publication, with an informal private meeting of the Licensing Board by mid-August and a formal public meeting of the Licensing Board by the end of the month. Thereafter the Policy Statement would go out for consultation. Ms Sinclair advised that this would be a further opportunity for Forum members to submit their views in writing.

Mr Rebecchi questioned if the times given in the 'Alcohol deliveries' section of the report at paragraph 6.10 were correct, and Ms Sinclair advised she would consider this further and update members accordingly.

Decided: that the additional information contained within the report be noted

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(3) APPLICATION FOR VARIATION OF PREMISES LICENCE

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Variation Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
1.	Paramjit Kaur	Paul's Food & Wine Store 94 Shore Street Gourock	Amendment to layout plan with increase of alcohol display area to 19.75 sq. m. Existing 14.32 sq. m.	
2.	Yat Wah Lee	Tulsi Indian Aroma 25/29 Kempock Place Gourock	(a) Add off sales core licensing hours as follows:- Monday – Saturday 12 Noon – 10.00 p.m. Sunday 12.30 p.m. – 10.00 p.m. Existing N/A (b) Add the following to any other activities to be provided:- Home delivery of food and alcohol. Alcohol to be delivered with food no alcohol only deliveries. Existing None	

<u>No</u>	<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Premises</u>	<u>Variation Details</u>	<u>Decision</u>
3.	C J Lang and Son Ltd	Spar 2 Ardgowan Road Wemyss Bay	<p>(a) Amendment to layout plan with increase of alcohol display area to 19.77 sq. m.</p> <p>Existing 18.89 sq. m.</p> <p>(b) <u>Activities</u></p> <p>(i) Add Gaming to activities to be held on premises. (Tick Box Yes)</p> <p>Existing Tick Box - No</p> <p>(ii) Amend the information to further details for activities provided outwith core licensed hours as follows:-</p> <p>The premises may open for general trade prior to the commencement of core hours. Recorded music may be played, such as Spar Radio prior to the commencement of core hours. This is background level only. National Lottery tickets/cards can be purchased prior to core hours.</p> <p>Existing Instore radio is operative during trading hours.</p> <p>(iii) Amend the information to any other activities provided as follows:</p> <p>The primary activity undertaken in the premises in the general retail sale of the following: Groceries; confectionery, bread & cakes, crisps/snacks, non-foods, toiletries, frozen & chilled foods, fruit/vegetables/flowers, news & magazines, toys, tobacco & cigarettes, beers/wines/spirits and other alcoholic products, non-alcoholic drinks.</p>	

No Applicant

Premises

Variation Details

Decision

Spar
2 Ardgowan Road
Wemyss Bay

Charity collection point and charitable events take place. Food to Go. Click & Collect. Home Deliveries. Paypoint payment. National Lottery outlet. Automated cash machine. Sampling & promotional activities.

Existing

The premises will be open outwith core hours for the sale of other items such as tobacco products, newspapers, confectionery, lottery tickets groceries and dairy products. Paypoint for bill payment facilities and purchase of mobile phone top ups, gift cards, television licence etc. Charity collection boxes are positioned at till points and charitable events take place within the premises form time to time. Supervised complimentary wine sampling is offered at the premises not more than twice in one year. An internal automated cash machine is provided.

4. Devinder Dhese

Cleats Bar
4 Kempock Street
Gourock

Increase terminal core licensing hour on Saturday to 2.00 a.m.

Existing

Monday – Wednesday	11.00 a.m. – 12 Midnight
Thursday	11.00 a.m. – 12.45 a.m.
Friday & Saturday	11.00 a.m. – 1.30 a.m.
Sunday	12.30 p.m. – 12 Midnight

Report To:	Inverclyde Licensing Board	Date:	7 September 2023
Report By:	Clerk to Inverclyde Licensing Board	Report No:	LS/084/23
Contact Officer:	Anne Sinclair	Contact No:	01475 712304
Subject:	Chief Constable's Report to the Inverclyde Licensing Board 2022-2023		

1.0 PURPOSE AND SUMMARY

1.1 For Decision For Information/Noting

1.2 The purpose of this report is to provide members of the Inverclyde Licensing Board with the Chief Constable's Inverclyde Annual Licensing Report for the period 1 April 2022 – 31 March 2023.

2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 The Inverclyde Licensing Board is asked to note the contents of the Chief Constable's Inverclyde Annual Licensing Report for the period 1 April 2022 – 31 March 2023.

Iain Strachan
Clerk to the Board

3.0 BACKGROUND AND CONTEXT

3.1 Section 12(a) of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 (the 2005 Act) requires the Chief Constable of Police Scotland to prepare a report for the Licensing Board setting out:

- (a) The Chief Constable's views about the matters relating to policing in connection with the operation of the 2005 Act in the Board's area during that year and the following year:
- (b) Any steps the Chief Constable:
 - (i) has taken during that year;
 - (ii) plans to take in the following year;

to prevent the sale or supply of alcohol to children and young persons in that area.

(c) The Chief Constable is then required, as soon as practicable after the end of each relevant financial year, to send that report to the relevant Licensing Board. The Chief Constable has now submitted the Inverclyde Annual Licensing report for the period 1 April 2022 – 31 March 2023 which is set out in **Appendix 1** to this report.

4.0 PROPOSALS

4.1 As the report is included in full at **Appendix 1**, its terms are not repeated within this covering report.

4.2 Members are asked to note the key points from the report which include:

- (1) Joint working during the reporting period is referenced between Police Scotland and various agencies, including the Board's Licensing Standards Officer.
- (2) During the reporting period, Police Scotland has not objected to or made representations in respect of the grant of any new premises licence application made to the Board.
- (3) During the reporting period, Police Scotland provided one submission in respect of a Personal Licence Holder to the Board.
- (4) No person was the subject of a personal licence review. One licensed premises was subject to a review application.
- (5) Partnership working will continue to be a key feature going forward with the report emphasising the importance of this collaboration for all agencies in seeking to promote the licensing objectives.

4.3 A breakdown of relevant statistics for the Inverclyde area is included within Appendix A to the Chief Constable's report.

4.4 The report sets out that during the relevant reporting period there were 198 licensed premises in Inverclyde, 73 were licensed for off-sales only, 71 for on-sales only and 54 were licensed for both on and off sales.

4.5 The report sets out that Police Scotland has three levels for categorising licensed premises that come to their attention, Monitored, Intervention and Problem premises.

4.6 The Chief Constable's report sets out that there were a total of 5 premises within Inverclyde which were monitored and subject to regular inspection during the relevant reporting period.

4.7 The report also sets out Police Scotland's local policy initiatives and campaigns such as "It'll Cost You – Proxy Purchase Campaign" and "I Am Me" together with the work carried out by the Inverclyde Partnership Hub in tackling anti-social behaviour, violence and drug related deaths.

4.8 A representative of Police Scotland will be in attendance at the Board meeting on 7 September 2023 to present the Chief Constable's report and answer any questions members of the Board may have.

5.0 IMPLICATIONS

5.1 The table below shows whether risks and implications apply if the recommendation(s) is(are) agreed:

SUBJECT	YES	NO	N/A
Financial		X	
Legal/Risk	X		
Human Resources			X
Strategic (LOIP/Corporate Plan)			X
Equalities & Fairer Scotland Duty			X
Children & Young People's Rights & Wellbeing			X
Environmental & Sustainability			X
Data Protection			X

5.2 Finance

There are no financial implications in relation to this report.

One off Costs

Cost Centre	Budget Heading	Budget Years	Proposed Spend this Report	Virement From	Other Comments
N/A					

Annually Recurring Costs/ (Savings)

Cost Centre	Budget Heading	With Effect from	Annual Net Impact	Virement From (If Applicable)	Other Comments
N/A					

5.3 Legal/Risk

The legal issues are addressed within the body of this report.

5.4 Human Resources

N/A.

6.0 CONSULTATION

6.1 None.

7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

7.1 None.

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Foreword

It gives me great pleasure to provide the Annual Licensing Report for 2022/23, in accordance with Section 12(A) Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005.

Police Scotland has continued to achieve success by focussing on prevention, early intervention and enforcement. This has been made far more effective with the continued support of the many active partnerships that exist within the 32 Local Authorities across Scotland.

This collaborative working is vital to ensuring a fair and consistent approach to licensing while focussing on preventing alcohol fuelled violence, disorder and antisocial behaviour.

In the year ahead our approach will remain focused on prevention and collaboration to ensure efficient and effective service delivery. I will continue to encourage officers and staff to utilise the range of options available to improve licensing standards, reduce violence and to positively influence behaviour and attitudes across Scotland.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our local partnerships and acknowledge their contribution in continuing to drive improvements with the Licensed Trade, and for the communities we all serve.

Sir Iain Livingstone QPM

Chief Constable

Police Service of Scotland

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Police Scotland Licensing Overview –

The Violence Prevention and Licensing Co-ordination Unit (VPLCU) sits within Partnerships Prevention & Community Wellbeing based at Dalmarnock Police Station, Glasgow.

The VPLCU upholds the two tier structure for licensing which supports both national and local priorities through service delivery. They have overall responsibility for determining and delivering national licensing strategy and policy, by providing advice, guidance and support to divisional licensing teams as well as undertaking other specialist functions.

The Violence Prevention and Licensing Co-ordination Unit is a specialist department which consists of a small team of officers, based in Glasgow. The officers within the unit work with divisional licensing teams and partner agencies to help shape policy and strategy around the police licensing function. They provide practical and tactical advice to police licensing practitioners, operational officers, supervisors and policing commanders.

The VPLCU seek to ensure that legislation governing the sale and supply of alcohol is applied consistently across the country and all opportunities are taken to stop the illegal or irresponsible sale, supply or consumption of alcohol with the intention of preventing and reducing crime and disorder.

During 2022/2023, from a licensing perspective, our particular focus was on the following;

- Scrutiny of the serious incidents of violence, disorder and antisocial behaviour linked to licensed premises.
- Governance and ongoing development of the National ICT Licensing System, known as “Inn Keeper”, to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of liquor and civic licensing administration and management. Police Scotland are currently working on upgrade to the National ICT system to ensure compliance with GDPR legislation.

Each of the 13 Local Policing Divisions have a licensing team responsible for the day to day management of licensing administration, complying with statutory requirements as well as addressing any issues that may arise within licensed premises in their local area.

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LICENSING BOARD AREA

The Licensing Board area is policed by Renfrewshire and Inverclyde (K) Division Chief Superintendent Laura Waddell is the Local Police Commander who has the responsibility for all day-to-day policing functions.

Local Policing Priorities

Following our public consultation process, the policing priorities for Renfrewshire and Inverclyde Division, as set out in our Local Policing Plan are as follows;

- Cyber and Digital Crime
- Serious and Organised Crime
- Counter Terrorism and Domestic Extremism
- Antisocial behaviour, violence and disorder
- Road Safety and Road Crime
- Protecting vulnerable People
- Acquisitive Crime

The Licensing Board area is policed by Renfrewshire & Inverclyde Division Chief Superintendent Laura Waddell is the Local Police Commander with responsibility for all policing functions.

Chief Inspector Damian Kane is the Local Area Commander for Inverclyde with responsibility for the management of personnel, local service delivery, community engagement and partnership working to ensure local and national priorities are met for the reporting period.

Inverclyde is bordered to the north/west by the Firth of Clyde, the east by Renfrewshire and stretches south where it meets North Ayrshire. It has a population of over 80,000 people. It is one of the smallest in terms of area (29th) and population (27th) of the 32 Scottish unitary authorities.

The main population centres of Greenock, Port Glasgow and Gourock are surrounded by smaller local communities such as Wemyss Bay, Inverkip and Kilmacolm and policing delivery is tailored to meet the needs of those communities. Partnership working in Inverclyde is well established and those partnerships deliver a highly effective police service which has a positive impact on local communities.

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Inverclyde has a rich and renowned history in shipbuilding and the 'deep water docking' on the Clyde offers berth to visiting cruise ships. Much investment has been made in education within Inverclyde with the area being home to the Greenock campus of West College Scotland.

There are currently 198 licensed premises in Inverclyde, 73 are licensed for off sales only, 71 on sales only and 54 for both on and off sales.

OPERATION OF THE LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

Alcohol misuse, exacerbated by its accessibility, availability and affordability, is commonly acknowledged as a contributory factor in incidents of violence, disorder and antisocial behaviour.

Police Scotland continues to work with its partner agencies, including the licensed trade, to reduce the impact alcohol misuse has on local communities. By working together we can target those who fail or simply refuse to promote responsible trading practices. Together we can improve the safety and wellbeing of people, places and communities in Scotland.

Police Scotland currently have 3 levels for categorising licensed premises that come to our attention:

- **Monitored** – Premises that require extra support and supervision. This can include premises coming to police attention through incidents or newly opened premises with inexperienced staff. A low key approach is used to address issues before they escalate.
- **Intervention** – A formal intervention agreement is put in place to improve the safe and legitimate operation of a premises. This intervention plan, which contains a list of conditions, is agreed between all parties. The intervention period would last a minimum of three months and be subject to review.
- **Problematic** – Premises deemed problematic will normally be the subject of a premises licence review submission by Police Scotland to the Licensing Board.

Any categorised premises will be subject to regular inspections to ensure compliance and will form part of the tasking regime for the night time economy action plans. All inspections, pro-active, re-active or planned are submitted via the Innkeeper system.

Board Decisions

Figures for the period 1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023 show that there were a total of 5 premises within Inverclyde which were monitored and subject to regular inspections. There was 1 premises subject of a premises review.

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Appendix A provides details of crimes/offences detected within Inverclyde and the volume of applications processed by Police Scotland for licensed premises within Inverclyde in terms of the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005, between 1 April 2022 and 31 March 2023.

Section 1 – Unlicensed sale of alcohol – There were no offences of this nature reported.

Section 22 – Objections and Representations – No representations were submitted by Police Scotland in response to the grant of new premises licences.

Section 36 – Review Applications – 1 premise were subject to a review application.

Section 63 – Sale or supply out-with licensed hours – There were no offences of this nature reported.

Section 72 – Personal Licence Applications – 1 submission was made to the Licensing Board during the period.

Section 82 – Failure to notify Licensing Board of convictions – No persons were charged for failing to disclose convictions to Board.

Section 84 – Personal Licence Reviews – No individuals were subject of a personal licence review.

Section 94 – Exclusion Orders – There were 6 exclusion orders.

Section 97 – Closure Orders – There have been 1 closure orders issued.

Section 104 – Buy/attempt to buy alcohol on behalf of a child - No individuals were charged for committing this offence during the period.

Section 108 – Deliver alcohol to person under the age of 18 – No persons were charged for committing this offence during the period.

Section 111-116 – Drunkenness/Disorder Offences - No persons were charged under these sections during this period.

PREVENTING THE SALE OR SUPPLY OF ALCOHOL TO CHILDREN OR YOUNG PEOPLE

Partnerships

Partnership working is key to delivering tangible outcomes and we continue to strengthen our relationships with all agencies, community representatives and local residents to ensure our services are co-ordinated, effective and efficient and address the needs of our communities.

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IT'LL COST YOU - Proxy Purchase Campaign

This Campaign focused on hot spot areas with Educational interventions supported by third sector partners.

The main aims of the campaign were to

- Reduce the number of attempted purchases of alcohol for under 18s.
- Reduce crime and antisocial behaviour in the area.
- Reduce the vulnerability of those abusing alcohol under 18.
- Reduce the number of hospital admissions for under 18s with alcohol related injuries.
- Educate the public regarding the offence and dangers of proxy purchase within our communities.
- Educate Off-Sales and Licensed Premises to highlight the dangers of Proxy Purchase and operate within the Licensing Objectives.

The success of initiatives such as “Challenge 25” and joint work with Inverclyde Council have reduced the direct sale of alcohol to those under 18, however alcohol related violence and anti-social behaviour illustrate that younger age groups are increasingly gaining access to alcohol by other proxy sales. The most common method involves asking adults to buy alcohol for them.

The Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 makes it an offence for a person to act as an agent for a child in purchasing or attempting to purchase alcohol'. This is known as proxy purchase. The penalties for this offence include a fine of up to £5000 and/or three months in prison.

With the assistance from the community police information was distributed to off licenses alongside bottle marking initiatives and engagement with the License holders.

Major supermarkets were approached and joint social media posts were published with the major supermarket retailers. These premises also allowed campaign material to be left at alcohol aisles and front doors to their premises publicise the campaign.

Morton football club, Inverclyde Council were supportive of the campaign.

The campaign continued with joint initiatives with the safer communities departments carrying out engagement events at shopping centres within Inverclyde, local community Gala days and West of Scotland College campus through student services.

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There has been a slight decrease across the division on youth related alcohol incidents but has also highlighted the importance for the continuation of the campaign where certain areas have been highlighted for attention.

“I am Me”

Renfrewshire and Inverclyde Division works in partnership with “I Am Me” providing a network of local businesses to create ‘Keep Safe’ places for disabled, vulnerable, and elderly people. There are currently 156 Keep Safe places in the Division, 19 of them are licensed premises. The Keep Safe Ambassador Programme has continued in the Division and now has 114 High School Ambassadors which has more than doubled from the previous year, 12 Police Scotland Youth Volunteer Ambassadors, 40 Ambassadors with a learning disability and 9 Keep Safe Ambassador trainers across the Division. This provides vulnerable sections of the community areas where they can safely report crime. Such areas have been set up in the central business district where there is a higher proportion of on/off sales premises.

Inverclyde Partnership Hub

In 2021 Inverclyde Partnership Hub was formed and implemented by Police Scotland to operate within Greenock Police Office. It was developed utilising good working practices adopted from elsewhere and tailored to operate in Inverclyde, building on strong partnership foundations already established. The aim of the Inverclyde Community Partnership Hub is to work with partners on a daily basis to tackle anti-social behaviour, violence, drug related deaths and identify vulnerability in Inverclyde by co-ordinating all partners in an efficient structured and cohesive manner.

The structure used ensures that the daily tasking and risk incidents are focused, relevant and with clearly identified areas of ownership.

Each meeting involves a review of Police, Fire, Community Warden or other significant incidents or events over the previous 24-hour period. Information is pro-actively disclosed to partners who attend the daily meetings where reasonable, appropriate, proportionate and lawful to do so for effective and early intervention. Key to the development of the Inverclyde Partnership Hub has been full engagement and inclusion of key partners who have a responsibility for protection and wellbeing of our communities.

The following key partners are currently fully engaged in the Partnership Hub however there is more room to expand as necessity dictates.

- Police Scotland – LALO + support
- Inverclyde Council Community Safety Department
- Inverclyde Council HSCP
 - Mental health
 - Addiction services

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- Homeless services
- NHS
- Inverclyde Council Education Department
- Housing Associations
- Scottish Fire and Rescue Service
- Scottish Prison Service
- BTP

TACKLING SERIOUS AND ORGANISED CRIME

The Serious Organised Crime Taskforce was set up to ensure Scotland can respond robustly to the threat posed by organised crime, identify improvements, and ensure all agencies are working to the same aims to raise public awareness. Membership of the group includes the Solicitor General; the Police Service of Scotland; the Prison Service; Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs (HMRC); National Crime Agency (NCA); Society of Local Authority Chief Executives (SOLACE); Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary Scotland (HMICS) and Scottish Business Resilience Centre (SBRC).

Its remit is to work together to help deliver the Scottish Government's commitment to tackling serious organised crime by:

- Identifying priorities for tackling serious organised crime (SOC) in Scotland.
- Sharing best practice and improving co-ordination between law enforcement agencies and others;
- Identifying innovative ways of working together and encouraging better ways of working together;
- Developing a coherent Scottish response on reserved and other SOC issues; and
- Making proposals for legislation, research and other measures to tackle SOC.

There are several groups operating within the Renfrewshire and Inverclyde area, some of which have connections to the licensed trade, via licensed premises, second hand dealers, tanning salons and car wash facilities. Police Scotland, in conjunction with our partner agencies, have identified innovative ways to disrupt such organisations who are targeted through multi-agency days of action. Whilst it can be difficult to link these groups to serious crimes, targeting other crimes has proven to be a useful tool in disrupting their operations.

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PROPOSED ACTIVITY FOR THE YEAR AHEAD

Enforcement Operations

The Licensing department will continue to plan and co-ordinate multi agency operations with officers from Home Office Immigration Enforcement (HOIE), Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs (HMRC) and Inverclyde Council targeting all forms of licensed premises and persons within the area.

To conclude we would like to thank you for your continued support during what has been a challenging year for all. We have all had to adapt to a new way of working and ever changing circumstances which has been embraced by all.

We look forward to a safe and healthy 2023/2024.

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APPENDIX A

Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005

Review Applications 1st April 2022– 31st March 2023

Inverclyde Board Area

<i>Type of Application</i>	Total
Section 36 Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 – Application for Review of Premises Licence	1
Section 84A Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 – application for review of personal licence due to conduct inconsistent with licensing objectives	0
Total	1

Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005

Applications Received 1st April 2022 – 31st March 2023

Inverclyde Board Area

Type of Application	Total
Premises Licence	0
Provisional Premises Licence	1
Extended Hours	58
Major Variation	4
Minor Variation	34
Occasional Licence	413
Personal Licence	45
Premises Transfer	6
Premises Transfer with Variation	3
Total	565

INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD – 7 SEPTEMBER 2023

LICENSING (SCOTLAND) ACT 2005

(5) LICENCES GRANTED UNDER DELEGATED AUTHORITY 1 MAY TO 31 JULY 2023

MINOR VARIATION - DPM

Premises	Applicant	Date Granted
Morrisons Daily 70/74 Inverkip Road GREENOCK	Alliance Property Holdings Ltd	15-May-23
Sainsbury's Local 32 - 36 Kempock Street Gourock	Sainsbury's SL Limited	07-Jun-23
Co-op 23 Greenock Road Wemyss Bay	Co-operative Group Food Ltd	13-Jun-23
Sainsbury's Local Unit 1 Kip Park Main Street INVERKP	Sainsbury's SL Limited	29-Jun-23
Morrisons Rue End Street / Dellingburn Street Greenock	Wm Morrison Supermarkets Limited	29-Jun-23
Scotmid 38/42 Murdieston Street Greenock	Scottish Midland Co-operative Society Ltd	12-Jul-23

Lidl Newark Street Port Glasgow	Lidl Great Britain Ltd	20-Jul-23
Co-op Campbell Place Lochwinnoch Road Kilmacolm	Co-operative Group Food Ltd	25-Jul-23
Morrisons Rue End Street / Dellingburn Street Greenock	Wm Morrison Supermarkets Ltd	28-Jul-23

MINOR VARIATION – OTHER

Premises	Applicant	Details of Variation	Date Granted
Co-op 10 - 14 Cardwell Road Gourock	Co-operative Group Food Limited	Amend layout plan - reduction in alcohol display area from 42.435 sq. m. to 36.195 sq. m.	02-May-23
Old Bank Bar 11 William Street Greenock	Caledonian Heritable Limited	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Change of Manager 2. Change name of premises to The Vault 	11-May-23
McColls 70/74 Inverkip Road GREENOCK	Alliance Property Holdings Ltd	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Amend layout plan including reduction in alcohol display area from 22.22 sq. m. to 17.62sq. m. 2. Change name of premises to Morrisons Daily 	19-May-23
My Kitchen 25/29 Kempock Place Gourock	Mr Yat Wah Lee	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Change of manager 2. Change name of premises to Tulsi Indian Aroma 	25-May-23

TRANSFER

Premises	Applicant	New Licence Holder	Date Granted
Kilmacolm Stores Ltd 3 Octavia Buildings Bridge of Weir Road Kilmacolm	Kilmacolm Retail Limited	Kilmacolm Retail Limited	08-Jun-23

CONFIRMATION OF PROVISIONAL LICENCE

Premises	Licence Holder	Date Granted
Co-op 10 - 14 Cardwell Road Gourock	Co-operative Group Food Limited	20-Jul-23
Scotts Greenock Ocean Terminal Custom House Way Greenock	Buzzworks Hospitality Limited	21-Jul-23

EXTENDED HOURS

Premises Name	Day	Date	On Sale Times	Event Details	Date Granted
Cleats Bar	Sunday	28-May-23	Midnight - 1.00am	May Bank Holiday Weekend Party Night	26-May-23
Greenock Golf Club	Sunday	18-Jun-23	11.00am - 12 Noon	Golf Club Open Sunday Event	15-Jun-23
Ardgowan Club	Saturday	24-Jun-23	9.30am - 11.00am	Open Bowling Competition	21-Jun-23

PERSONAL LICENCES

First Name/s	Surname	Date Granted	Application Type
Bernadette	O-Connor	18-May-23	New
Kimberley	Turner	18-May-23	New
Rebecca Louise	Taylor	18-May-23	New
David	McGibbons	18-May-23	New
Muhammad	Ameen	05-Jul-23	New
Christopher James	McCleary	05-Jul-23	New
Craig	Bowie	05-Jul-23	New
Abigail Marion Catherine	Cameron	05-Jul-23	New
	Chandak	05-Jul-23	New
Stephen James	Wishart	05-Jul-23	New
Kieran William	Livingstone	05-Jul-23	New
Stephen	Millar	05-Jul-23	New
Michelle	O'Donnell	05-Jul-23	New
Iain Stuart	Skilling	05-Jul-23	New
John Francis	Ogilvie	18-May-23	Renewal

OCCASIONAL LICENCES

Applicant	Premises	Start Date	End Date	On Sale Times	Off Sale Times	Event	Date Granted
Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	06-May-23	07-May-23	11.00am - 4.00pm	N/A	Dining Experience	02-May-23
Co-operative Group Food Limited	Co-op 10-14 Cardwell Road Gourock PA19 1UH	03-May-23	16-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 10.00pm	Convenience Store with Off Sales facility	02-May-23
Mr Mark Ingram	Market Stall Kilmacolm Farmers Market Lochwinnoch Road Kilmacolm	06-May-23	06-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 2.00pm	Kilmacolm Farmers Market	02-May-23
Giulia Canata	Greenock Wanderers Rugby Football Club Fort Matilda Playing Fields 75 Octavia Terrace Greenock PA16 7PX	05-May-23	06-May-23	N/A	6.00pm - 10.00pm on Friday 5 May 2023 2.00pm - 10.00pm on Saturday 6 May 2023	Whisky and Gin Tasting / Music	02-May-23
Lapwine Limited	Marquee Back Lane at Word Up off Haig Street Greenock PA15 1JG	08-May-23	21-May-23	11.00am - 10.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area	02-May-23
Lapwine Limited	Marquee Back Lane at Word Up off Haig Street Greenock PA15 1JG	22-May-23	04-Jun-23	11.00am - 10.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area	02-May-23

Mrs Mhairi McNeill	Inverkip Bowling Club Main Road Bridgend Inverkip PA16 0AS	05-May-23	05-May-23	7.00pm - 11.00pm	N/A	Charity Race Night	02-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	05-May-23	05-May-23	6.00pm - 11.00pm	N/A	Greenock Telegraph Awards Ceremony	02-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	06-May-23	06-May-23	6.00pm - 11.00pm	N/A	Gary Meikle Comedy Show	02-May-23
Mark Deegan	Port Glasgow Town Hall King Street Port Glasgow	06-May-23	07-May-23	6.30pm - 12.30am	N/A	Greenock Morton Football Club Presentation	02-May-23
Punch Partnerships (PTL) Limited	Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area The Cardwell Inn 49 Cardwell Road Gourock PA19 1UW	10-May-23	23-May-23	11.00am - 9.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area	09-May-23
Mr Neill Forrest	Stall Knapps Loch Bridge of Weir Road Kilmacolm	13-May-23	13-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 5.00pm	Kilmacolm & Port Glasgow Agricultural Show	10-May-23
Mr Neill Forrest	Stall Gourock Highland Games Battery Park Eldon Street Greenock	14-May-23	14-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 6.00pm	Gourock Highland Games	10-May-23

Mr Devinder Dhesi	Outdoor Area Drinking / Dining Area at side of premises Cleats Bar 4 Kempock Street Gourock PA19 1NA	15-May-23	28-May-23	11.00am - 9.00pm - Monday - Saturday 12.30pm - 9.00pm - Sunday	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	10-May-23
Mr Ian Brown	Gourock Park Bowling Club Larkfield Road Gourock PA19 1XZ	12-May-23	14-May-23	5.00pm - 11.45 pm on Friday 12 May 2023 1.00pm - 10.00pm on Saturday 13 May 2023 1.00pm - 9.00pm on Sunday 14 May 2023	N/A	Bowling Event and Social Night	10-May-23
Andrew Samuel	Stall Kilmacolm & Port Glasgow Agricultural Show The Knapps Loch Kilmacolm	13-May-23	13-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 6.00pm	Kilmacolm & Port Glasgow Agricultural Show	10-May-23
Mark Deegan	Port Glasgow Town Hall King Street Port Glasgow	12-May-23	13-May-23	6.30pm - 9.30pm	N/A	Jullide Darroch Dance Show	10-May-23
Lorna Smith	Stall Kilmacolm & Port Glasgow Agricultural Show The Knapps Loch Kilmacolm	13-May-23	13-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 6.00pm	Kilmacolm & Port Glasgow Agricultural Show	10-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Gamble Halls Shore Street Gourock	13-May-23	13-May-23	12 Noon - 5.00pm	N/A	First Communion Celebration	10-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	13-May-23	14-May-23	6.00pm - 12.30am	N/A	Grand Ball	10-May-23

Port Glasgow Golf Club	Beer Garden/ Dining Area Port Glasgow Golf Club Devol Road Port Glasgow PA14 5XE	15-May-23	28-May-23	12 noon - 10.00pm Sunday to Friday 11.00am - 10.00pm Saturday	N/A	Outdoor Drinking/ Dining Area	10-May-23
Inverkip Hotel Ltd	Designated area within car park at rear of premises Outdoor Drinking and Dining Area Inverkip Hotel Main Street Inverkip PA16 0AS	12-May-23	25-May-23	12 Noon - 9.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	12-May-23
Britannia Social Club	Britannia Social Club 15 Terrace Road Greenock PA16 0XD	13-May-23	13-May-23	11.00am - 10.30pm	N/A	Televised screening of football match & evening disco	12-May-23
Andrew Samuel	Stall Gourock Highland Games Battery Park Eldon Street Greenock	14-May-23	14-May-23	N/A	12 Noon - 6.00pm	Gourock Highland Games	12-May-23
Co-operative Group Food Limited	Co-op 10-14 Cardwell Road Gourock PA19 1UH	17-May-23	30-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 10.00pm	Convenience Store with Off Sales facility	16-May-23
Co-operative Group Food Limited	Co-op 10-14 Cardwell Road Gourock PA19 1UH	31-May-23	13-Jun-23	N/A	10.00am - 10.00pm	Convenience Store with Off Sales facility	16-May-23
Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	19-May-23	20-May-23	5.30pm - 11.30pm on Friday 19 May 2023 1.30pm - 11.45 pm on Saturday 20 May 2023	N/A	Pre-Wedding Dinner / Wedding Ceremony and Reception	17-May-23

Lauren Mortimer	Port Glasgow Town Hall King Street Port Glasgow	24-May-23	27-May-23	7.00pm - 9.00pm	N/A	Musical Theatre	17-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	19-May-23	20-May-23	6.30pm - 12.30am	N/A	Sportsman's Dinner	17-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	20-May-23	21-May-23	2.00pm - 12.30am	N/A	Wedding Reception	17-May-23
Valerie Campbell	Beer Tent, Garden and Seating Area Wemyss Bay Community Centre Ardgowan Road Wemyss Bay PA18 6AT	20-May-23	20-May-23	12 Noon - 4.00pm	N/A	Wemyss Bay Gala Day	19-May-23
Punch Partnerships (PTL) Limited	Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area The Cardwell Inn 49 Cardwell Road Gourock PA19 1UW	24-May-23	06-Jun-23	11.00am - 9.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	23-May-23
Mr Neill Forrest	Market Stall Gourock Farmers Market Train Station Car Park Gourock	27-May-23	27-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 2.00pm	Gourock Farmers Market	25-May-23
Mr Mark Ingram	Market Stall Gourock Farmers Market Train Station Car Park Gourock	27-May-23	27-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 2.00pm	Gourock Farmers Market	25-May-23

Mr Ian Brown	Gourock Park Bowling Club Larkfield Road Gourock PA19 1XZ	26-May-23	28-May-23	5.00pm - 11.45 pm on Friday 26 May 2023 1.00pm - 10.00pm on Saturday 27 May 2023 1.00pm - 9.00pm on Sunday 28 May 2023	N/A	Bowling Event and Social Night	25-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	26-May-23	26-May-23	6.30pm - 9.30pm	N/A	Paul Smith Comedy Show	25-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	27-May-23	28-May-23	2.00pm - 12.30am	N/A	Wedding Reception	25-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	28-May-23	28-May-23	2.00pm - 12 Midnight	N/A	Wedding Reception	25-May-23
Greenock Cricket Club	Beer Tent Greenock Cricket Club Glenpark Brisbane Street Greenock PA16 8NY	28-May-23	28-May-23	12 Noon - 8.00pm	N/A	Mini Gig on the Green - Music Festival	26-May-23
John Scott Black	Beer Tent and Licensed Drinking Area The Knapps Showfield Bridge of Weir Road Kilmacolm PA13 4NQ	13-May-23	13-May-23	11.00am - 5.00pm	N/A	Kilmacolm & Port Glasgow Agricultural Show	26-May-23

Inverkip Hotel Ltd	Designated area within car park at rear of premises Outdoor Drinking and Dining Area Inverkip Hotel Main Street Inverkip PA16 0AS	26-May-23	08-Jun-23	12 Noon - 9.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	26-May-23
Colin Vize	St John's Church Hall Brown Street Port Glasgow PA14 5ND	27-May-23	27-May-23	6.30pm - 12 Midnight	N/A	Sports Dinner	26-May-23
Aidan Quinn	Market Stall Gourock Farmers Market Train Station Car Park Gourock	27-May-23	27-May-23	N/A	10.00am - 5.00pm	Gourock Farmers Market	26-May-23
Mark Deegan	Beer Garden/ Dining Area Port Glasgow Golf Club Devol Road Port Glasgow PA14 5XE	29-May-23	11-Jun-23	12 noon - 10.00pm Sunday to Friday 11.00am - 10.00pm Saturday	N/A	Beer Garden - Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area	29-May-23
Devinder Dhesi	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area Cleats Bar 4 Kempock Street Gourock PA19 1NA	29-May-23	11-Jun-23	11.00am - 9.00pm - Monday to Saturday 12.30pm - 9.00pm - Sunday	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	29-May-23
Nicola Watt	Scotts Greenock Ocean Terminal Custom House Way Custom House Quay Greenock PA15 1EG	31-May-23	13-Jun-23	11.00am - 12 Midnight Sunday – Wednesday 11.00am - 1.00am Thursday 11.00am - 1.30am Friday & Saturday SUNDAY WITH CONDITION	11.00am - 10.00pm Monday - Sunday	Restaurant	30-May-23

Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	03-Jun-23	03-Jun-23	1.30pm - 11.45 pm	N/A	Wedding Ceremony and Reception	31-May-23
Mr Mark Ingram	Market Stall Kilmacolm Farmers Market Lochwinnoch Road Kilmacolm	03-Jun-23	03-Jun-23	N/A	10.00am - 2.00pm	Kilmacolm Farmers Market	31-May-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	03-Jun-23	04-Jun-23	2.30pm - 12.30am	N/A	Wedding Reception	31-May-23
Emma Bilsland	Kilmacolm Primary School Churchill Road Kilmacolm PA13 4LH	09-Jun-23	09-Jun-23	5.00pm - 11.00pm	N/A	PTF Fundraising Event - Summer Fete	31-May-23
Mrs Mhairi McNeill	Inverkip Bowling Club Main Road Bridgend Inverkip PA16 0AS	09-Jun-23	11-Jun-23	7.00pm - 11.00pm on Friday 9 June 2023 2.00pm - 4.00pm on Saturday 10 June and Sunday 11 June 2023	N/A	Kip Fest / Try Bowls	06-Jun-23
Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	10-Jun-23	10-Jun-23	6.00pm - 12 Midnight	N/A	Wedding Ceremony and Reception	08-Jun-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	10-Jun-23	11-Jun-23	6.30pm - 12.30am	N/A	Greenock Juniors Presentation	08-Jun-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	11-Jun-23	11-Jun-23	1.00pm - 6.00pm	N/A	Ardgowan Hospice Ladies Day	08-Jun-23

Inverkip Hotel Ltd	Designated area within car park at rear of premises Outdoor Drinking and Dining Area Inverkip Hotel Main Street Inverkip PA16 0AS	09-Jun-23	22-Jun-23	12 Noon - 9.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	08-Jun-23
Mark Deegan	Port Glasgow Town Hall King Street Port Glasgow PA14 5HD	10-Jun-23	10-Jun-23	6.30pm - 11.00pm		Port Glasgow Boys Football Club Presentation	08-Jun-23
Mark Deegan	Beer Garden/ Dining Area Port Glasgow Golf Club Devol Road Port Glasgow PA14 5XE	12-Jun-23	25-Jun-23	12 Noon - 10.00pm Sunday to Friday 11.00am - 10.00pm Saturday	N/A	Beer Garden - Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area	08-Jun-23
Co-operative Group Food Limited	Co-op 10-14 Cardwell Road Gourock PA19 1UH	14-Jun-23	27-Jun-23	N/A	10am - 10pm	Convenience Store with Off Sales	08-Jun-23
Co-operative Group Food Limited	Co-op 10-14 Cardwell Road Gourock PA19 1UH	28-Jun-23	11-Jul-23	N/A	10am - 10pm	Convenience Store with Off Sales	08-Jun-23
Devinder Dhési	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area Cleats Bar 4 Kempock Street Gourock PA19 1NA	12-Jun-23	25-Jun-23	11.00am - 9.00pm - Monday to Saturday 12.30pm - 9.00pm - Sunday	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	08-Jun-23

Mr Mark Kelly	Wellington Park Bowling Club 2 Drumfrocher Road Greenock PA15 4TS	10-Jun-23	10-Jun-23	11.00am - 7.00pm	N/A	Renfrewshire Bowls County Match	09-Jun-23
Gillian Wishart	Lodge Doric Kilwinning No. 68 7 Brown Street Port Glasgow PA14 5BP	14-Jun-23	14-Jun-23	10.00am - 1.00pm	N/A	Funeral Reception	12-Jun-23
Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	17-Jun-23	18-Jun-23	2.00pm - 6.00pm	N/A	Dining Experience	13-Jun-23
Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	24-Jun-23	24-Jun-23	1.30pm - 11.45 pm	N/A	Wedding Ceremony and Reception	13-Jun-23
Ms Jessica Emma Skelton	Ardgowan Distillery Shop Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	18-Jun-23	01-Jul-23	N/A	10.00am - 10.00pm	Off Sales /Remote Sales / Click and Collect Service	13-Jun-23
Ms Jessica Emma Skelton	Ardgowan Distillery Shop Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	02-Jul-23	15-Jul-23	N/A	10.00am - 10.00pm	Off Sales /Remote Sales / Click and Collect Service	13-Jun-23
Ms Jessica Emma Skelton	Ardgowan Distillery Shop Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	16-Jul-23	29-Jul-23	N/A	10.00am - 10.00pm	Off Sales /Remote Sales / Click and Collect Service	13-Jun-23
Ms Jessica Emma Skelton	Ardgowan Distillery Shop Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	30-Jul-23	12-Aug-23	N/A	10.00am - 10.00pm	Off Sales /Remote Sales / Click and Collect Service	13-Jun-23

Mr Mark Ingram	Market Stall Gourock Farmers Market Train Station Car Park Gourock	24-Jun-23	24-Jun-23	N/A	10.00am - 2.00pm	Gourock Farmers Market	13-Jun-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	24-Jun-23	25-Jun-23	2.30pm - 12.30am	N/A	Wedding Reception	13-Jun-23
Inverkip Hotel Ltd	Designated area within car park at rear of premises Outdoor Drinking and Dining Area Inverkip Hotel Main Street Inverkip PA16 0AS	23-Jun-23	06-Jul-23	12 noon - 9.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	13-Jun-23
Marie Stuart	St Michael's Primary School Bridgend Avenue Port Glasgow PA14 5SU	09-Jun-23	09-Jun-23	6.00pm - 9.30pm	N/A	Fundraising Family BBQ	13-Jun-23
Muriel Russell	Clydeview Academy Burnside Road Gourock PA19 1UX	19-Jun-23	21-Jun-23	6.00pm - 11.00pm	N/A	School Show	13-Jun-23
Norman Young Mungin	Fort Matilda Bowling Club Newark Street Greenock PA16 7TW	16-Jun-23	16-Jun-23	6.30pm - 11.30pm	N/A	Bowling and BBQ/Social Evening	13-Jun-23
Ian Brown	Gourock Park Bowling Club Larkfield Road Gourock PA19 1XZ	16-Jun-23	18-Jun-23	5 pm to 11 pm on Friday 16 June 2023 1 pm to 10pm on Saturday 17 June 2023 1 pm to 9 pm on Sunday 18 June 2023		Bowling and Social Night	13-Jun-23

Mrs Alison Allan	Royal Gourock Yacht Club Ashton Road Gourock PA19 1DA	25-Jun-23	25-Jun-23	6 pm - 11.30pm		Concert	13-Jun-23
Devinder Dhesi	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area Cleats Bar 4 Kempock Street Gourock PA19 1NA	26-Jun-23	09-Jul-23	11.00am - 9.00pm - Monday to Saturday 12.30pm - 9.00pm - Sunday	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	13-Jun-23
Neill Forrest	Stall Gourock Farmers Market Train Station Car Park Gourock	24-Jun-23	24-Jun-23	N/A	10.00am - 2.00pm	Gourock Farmer's Market	13-Jun-23
Mrs Mhairi McNeill	Inverkip Bowling Club Main Road Bridgend Inverkip PA16 0AS	24-Jun-23	25-Jun-23	1.00pm - 12 Noon Saturday 24 June 2023 1.00pm - 7.00pm Sunday 25 June 2023	N/A	Charity Wapinshaw Bowling Competition	13-Jun-23
Gillian Wishart	Lodge Doric Kilwinning No. 68 7 Brown Street Port Glasgow PA14 5BP	20-Jun-23	20-Jun-23	1.00pm - 5.00pm	N/A	Funeral Reception	13-Jun-23
Mr Edward McCallum	Beer Tent and Garden Coronation Park Port Glasgow	24-Jun-23	24-Jun-23	11.00am - 6.00pm (bar to close at 5.30pm)	N/A	Comet Festival	23-Jun-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	08-Jul-23	09-Jul-23	2.30pm - 12.30am	N/A	Wedding Reception	28-Jun-23

Norman Young Mungin	Fort Matilda Bowling Club Newark Street Greenock PA16 7TW	07-Jul-23	07-Jul-23	6.30pm - 11.30pm	N/A	Bowling and Surf & Turf/ Social Evening	28-Jun-23
Devinder Dhesi	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area Cleats Bar 4 Kempock Street GOUROCK PA19 1NA	10-Jul-23	23-Jul-23	11.00am - 9.00pm - Monday to Saturday 12.30pm - 9.00pm - Sunday	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	28-Jun-23
Parkdean Holiday Parks Ltd	External Area Wemyss Bay Holiday Park Wemyss Bay PA18 6BA	01-Jul-23	01-Jul-23	12 Noon - 4.00pm	12 Noon - 4.00pm	Summer Family Fun Day	28-Jun-23
Parkdean Holiday Parks Ltd	External Area Wemyss Bay Holiday Park Wemyss Bay PA18 6BA	08-Jul-23	08-Jul-23	12 Noon - 4.00pm	12 Noon - 4.00pm	Summer Family Fun Day	28-Jun-23
Parkdean Holiday Parks Ltd	External Area Wemyss Bay Holiday Park Wemyss Bay PA18 6BA	15-Jul-23	15-Jul-23	12 Noon - 4.00pm	12 Noon - 4.00pm	Summer Family Fun Day	28-Jun-23
Parkdean Holiday Parks Ltd	External Area Wemyss Bay Holiday Park Wemyss Bay PA18 6BA	22-Jul-23	22-Jul-23	12 Noon - 4.00pm	12 Noon - 4.00pm	Summer Family Fun Day	28-Jun-23
Parkdean Holiday Parks Ltd	External Area Wemyss Bay Holiday Park Wemyss Bay PA18 6BA	29-Jul-23	29-Jul-23	12 Noon - 4.00pm	12 Noon - 4.00pm	Summer Family Fun Day	28-Jun-23

Royal West of Scotland Amateur Boat Club	Royal West of Scotland Amateur Boat Club Esplanade Greenock PA16 7SE	01-Jul-23	02-Jul-23	2.00pm - 1.00am	N/A	Wedding Ceremony and Reception	28-Jun-23
Mrs Mhairi McNeill	Inverkip Bowling Club Main Road Bridgend Inverkip PA16 0AS	07-Jul-23	09-Jul-23	7.00pm - 11.00pm Friday 7 July 11.00am - 7.00pm Saturday 8 July 12 Noon - 7.00pm Sunday 9 July	N/A	Bowling Competition / Games Night	28-Jun-23
Co-operative Group Food Limited	Co-op 10-14 Cardwell Road Gourock PA19 1UH	12-Jul-23	25-Jul-23	N/A	10.00am - 10.00pm	Convenience Store with Off Sales facility	28-Jun-23
Co-operative Group Food Limited	Co-op 10-14 Cardwell Road Gourock PA19 1UH	26-Jul-23	08-Aug-23	N/A	10.00am - 10.00pm	Convenience Store with Off Sales facility	28-Jun-23
Natasha Hardy	Designated area within car park at rear of premises Outdoor Drinking and Dining Area Inverkip Hotel Main Street Inverkip PA16 0AS	07-Jul-23	20-Jul-23	12 noon - 9.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	07-Jul-23
Mr Mark Ingram	Market Stall Gourock Farmers Market Train Station Car Park Gourock	29-Jul-23	29-Jul-23	N/A	10.00am - 2.00pm	Gourock Farmers Market	12-Jul-23

Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	22-Jul-23	23-Jul-23	2.00pm - 6.00pm	N/A	Dining Experience	12-Jul-23
Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	04-Aug-23	05-Aug-23	5.30pm - 11.30pm on Friday 4 August 2023 1.30pm - 11.45 pm on Saturday 5 August 2023.	N/A	Pre-Wedding Dinner / Wedding Ceremony and Reception	12-Jul-23
Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	19-Aug-23	20-Aug-23	2.00pm - 6.00pm	N/A	Dining Experience	12-Jul-23
Mrs Alison Allan	Royal Gourock Yacht Club Ashton Road Gourock PA19 1DA	15-Jul-23	16-Jul-23	11.00am - 1.00am on Saturday 15 July 2023 11.00am - 10.00pm on Sunday 16 July 2023	N/A	Regatta - Barbecue and Competitors Reception / Prizegiving	12-Jul-23
Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	22-Jul-23	23-Jul-23	2.30pm - 12.30am	N/A	Wedding Reception	12-Jul-23
Norman Young Mungin	Fort Matilda Bowling Club Newark Street 87 Octavia Terrace Greenock PA16 7PY	29-Jul-23	29-Jul-23	2.30pm - 11.30pm	N/A	Sponsors Bowling / Members and Friends Social Evening	12-Jul-23
Ian Brown	Gourock Park Bowling Club Larkfield Road Gourock PA19 1XZ	21-Jul-23	23-Jul-23	5 pm to 11 pm on Friday 21 July 2023 1 pm to 10pm on Saturday 22 July 2023 1 pm to 9 pm Sunday on Sunday 23 July 2023		Bowling and Social Night	12-Jul-23

Devinder Dhesi	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area Cleats Bar 4 Kempock Street Gourock PA19 1NA	24-Jul-23	06-Aug-23	11.00am - 9.00pm - Monday to Saturday 12.30pm - 9.00pm - Sunday	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	12-Jul-23
Devinder Dhesi	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area Cleats Bar 4 Kempock Street Gourock PA19 1NA	07-Aug-23	20-Aug-23	11.00am - 9.00pm - Monday to Saturday 12.30pm - 9.00pm - Sunday	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	12-Jul-23
Neill Forrest	Stall Gourock Farmers Market Train Station Car Park Gourock	29-Jul-23	29-Jul-23	N/A	10.00am - 2.00pm	Gourock Farmer's Market	12-Jul-23
Ludovic Houston Shaw Stewart	Ardgowan House Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	15-Jul-23	15-Jul-23	12 Noon - 4.00pm	N/A	Vow Renewal and Reception	12-Jul-23
Nicola Watt	Scotts Greenock Ocean Terminal Custom House Way Custom House Quay Greenock PA15 1EG	26-Jul-23	08-Aug-23	10.30am - 12.30am Sunday - Thursday 11.30am - 1.30am Friday & Saturday SUNDAY WITH CONDITION	10.30am - 10.00pm Sunday - Thursday 11.30am - 10.00pm Friday & Saturday	Restaurant	12-Jul-23
Nicola Watt	Scotts Greenock Ocean Terminal Custom House Way Custom House Quay Greenock PA15 1EG	09-Aug-23	22-Aug-23	10.30am - 12.30am Sunday - Thursday 11.30am - 1.30am Friday & Saturday SUNDAY WITH CONDITION	10.30am - 10.00pm Sunday - Thursday 11.30am - 10.00pm Friday & Saturday	Restaurant	12-Jul-23

Annemarie Curran	Greenock Town Hall Clyde Square Greenock	13-Jul-23	13-Jul-23	6.30pm - 10.30pm	N/A	The Steamy Show	12-Jul-23
Gillian Wishart	Lodge Doric Kilwinning No. 68 7 Brown Street Port Glasgow PA14 5BP	20-Jul-23	20-Jul-23	11.00am - 4.00pm	N/A	Funeral Reception	17-Jul-23
Mrs Alison Allan	Royal Gourock Yacht Club Ashton Road Gourock PA19 1DA	22-Jul-23	22-Jul-23	2.00pm - 10.00pm	N/A	Disco/Dance on the Balcony	18-Jul-23
Giulia Canata	Greenock Wanderers Rugby Football Club Fort Matilda Playing Fields 75 Octavia Terrace Greenock PA16 7PX	28-Jul-23	28-Jul-23	N/A	6.00pm - 10.00pm	Whisky and Gin Tasting / Music	20-Jul-23
Natasha Hardy	Designated area within car park at rear of premises Outdoor Drinking and Dining Area Inverkip Hotel Main Street Inverkip PA16 0AS	21-Jul-23	03-Aug-23	12 noon - 9.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	21-Jul-23
Natasha Hardy	Designated area within car park at rear of premises Outdoor Drinking and Dining Area Inverkip Hotel Main Street Inverkip PA16 0AS	04-Aug-23	17-Aug-23	12 noon - 9.00pm	N/A	Outdoor Drinking / Dining Area	21-Jul-23

Ms Jessica Emma Skelton	Ardgowan Distillery Ardgowan Estate Inverkip PA16 0DW	22-Jul-23	22-Jul-23	12 Noon - 6.00pm	12 Noon - 6.00pm	Ardgowan Distillery Open Day	21-Jul-23
Port Glasgow Golf Club	Beer Garden/ Dining Area Port Glasgow Golf Club Devol Road Port Glasgow PA14 5XE	24-Jul-23	06-Aug-23	12 Noon - 10.00pm Sunday to Friday 11.00am - 10.00pm Saturday	N/A	Beer Garden - Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area	27-Jul-23
Port Glasgow Golf Club	Beer Garden/ Dining Area Port Glasgow Golf Club Devol Road Port Glasgow PA14 5XE	07-Aug-23	20-Aug-23	12 Noon - 10.00pm Sunday to Friday 11.00am - 10.00pm Saturday	N/A	Beer Garden - Outdoor Drinking/Dining Area	27-Jul-23