

On Seventh Day of June Two Thousand and Sixteen

An Assembly of Principals and Electors of the Parish of St. Peter will be held in the Parish Hall on Wednesday 08 June 2016 , at 7.30pm to:-

- 1 Receive and if deemed advisable, approve the Act of the Parish Assembly held on Tuesday 24 May 2016.**
- 2 Take into consideration the following application for recommendation to the Assembly of Governor, Bailiff and Jurats of Licences for the year 2016.**

**Name: Jersey Rugby Football Club
La Rue des Landes
St Peter
JE3 7BG**

Reason: Extend Fifth category Club Licence to incorporate pavilion and pitch- side bars

**Business: Jersey Rugby Football Club
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- 1 On the proposition of Kristina Moore, seconded by Julia Quenault, the minutes of the Parish Assembly held on Tuesday 24 May 2016, which had been previously handed out, were approved.
- 2 On the proposal of **Mr William Dempsey**, seconded by **Alfred David Lapidus**, the Connetable asked for clarification of their application.
Mr Dempsey stood and explained that the Jersey Rugby Club is restructuring the club and also there will be new changes to the constitution and club rules. In view of this they need to extend their club licence to cover the pavilions and side pitch-bars. The old club licence has always covered the grounds and car park and pitch side bars are covered under the licensing laws in the old licence.

In the past members had the right to sign in guests and there were people who paid to attend but were not affiliated members. The new rules would allow members to still sign in guests but the people who pay would be classed as guests now and not affiliated members, this is purely to regularise what they currently offer.

The Connetable asked would Pitch 2 be covered by the club licence, Mr Dempsey said no, in the past when they have had a marquee they have applied for an extension to the licence however, they have not used pitch 2 for 3 years and have no intention of using it in the future.

A neighbour of the Jersey Rugby Club, Mr Tom Zambon, asked are there going to be additional outlets other than what is used now, Mr Dempsey confirmed No. Mr Zambon also asked a question not relating to the agenda therefore the Connetable explained that this could be discussed once this assembly was finished.

The Connetable asked the Chef de Police for his comments for which he agreed that the situation regularises what's happening at the moment- Ticket sold to an affiliated member before, in the future they will not be an affiliated member but classed as a guest.

Another neighbour, Mrs Driscoll stated that there are licensing issues which need to be addressed as currently she experiences her garden being filled with plastic glasses on match days, there are people queuing for buses with drinks in their hands, and is this not covered under the public order act? Mr Dempsey apologised, he stated that G4S are employed from 1.00pm to 6.00pm and he would look into extending these hours to ensure that the areas surrounding the pitch would be checked and he would liaise with the Chef de Police regarding this.

Richard Vibert, Chef de Police also apologised as he was not aware of the problem on the East side, he said that sadly, it is a fact of life with licence premises, licensee's cannot always see the issues. The licensing law does cover that drink should not be taken off the premises and they will ensure that this does not happen.

Deputy Kristina Moore was in attendance as she had also received a complaint from a neighbour, she was happy with what had been explained but asked could the hours of the Club licence be clarified, Mr Dempsey and Mr Vibert confirmed that there was no intention to keep hours late, the Connetable asked when they have late matches were they intending to stay late, it was confirmed that 11.00pm was usually the latest and they have arranged transport in the past for these events.

As there were no further questions from the assembly, the Connetable asked for a show of hands, of which 7 were For and 3 Against.

As there was no further business the Connetable thanked everyone for attending.

This concluded the business of the Assembly.

08 June 2016

**J M Refault
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