

**IN THE MATTER**

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act  
2012

**AND**

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of an application by Ardgowan School  
Parent Teachers Association pursuant to  
s.137 and s.138 of the Act for a special  
licence in respect of premises situated at  
20 Main Street, Weston known as  
“**Weston Hall**”.

**BEFORE THE WAITAKI DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Cr Jim Hopkins

**DECISION – ON PAPERS**

This is an application by Ardgowan School Parent Teachers Association for a Special Licence in respect of premises situated at 20 Main Street, Weston known as “**Weston Hall**”.

Reports have been received from The Waitaki District Council Licensing Inspector, The New Zealand Police and The Medical Officer of Health.

Based on the information provided to us on the complete file, we have determined to grant the application on the papers.

We are satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s.142 of the Act. We grant the applicant a special licence pursuant to s.22 of the Act.

The licence is approved and will be subject to the following conditions:

**Section 147 (3) - Compulsory conditions**

- (a) Alcohol may be sold under the licence only on the following days and during the following hours:
- **Saturday 23 September 2023 from 6.00pm to 1.00am the following day**
- (b) Drinking water will be freely available on all tables and from the bar.

**Section 147 (1) - Discretionary conditions**

- An exemption from having a Certified Manager on duty is granted subject to Rebecca Arthur and Tina Gosney being responsible for the sale of alcohol activities for the duration of the event.
- The licence holder must display appropriate signs adjacent to every point of sale detailing the statutory restrictions on the supply of alcohol to minors and the complete prohibition on sales to intoxicated persons.
- Food must be available for consumption on the premises as specified in the application. Free platters of food must be provided on arrival, and a supper following the Lip sync event.
- Low-alcohol beverages must be available for sale and supply on the premises. Heineken Light and Speights Mid are specified in the application.
- Non-alcoholic beverages (juices, soft drinks, tea and coffee) must be available for sale and supply on the premises as specified in the application.
- The licensee must provide assistance with or information about alternative forms of transport from the premises. A courtesy van (with specified cost per person) must be available, and the name and phone numbers of local taxi firms must be displayed prominently.

- g) A copy of this licence, together with signs showing the age restriction must be clearly displayed.
- h) Members of the public must be excluded from the premises in the following circumstances:
- i) Entry is restricted to ticket holders only.

The licence is also subject to the following conditions, which in the committee's opinion are not inconsistent with the Act:

- (a) Noise should be controlled so as not to disturb neighbouring residents.

**DATED** at OAMARU this 18<sup>th</sup> day of September 2023

  
Chair  
Waitaki District Licensing Committee

