

<b>COMMITTEE:</b>	<b>CENTRAL LICENSING SUB-COMMITTEE</b>
<b>DATE:</b>	<b>1 DECEMBER 2020</b>
	<b>APPLICATION FOR PREMISES LICENCE - ABERSOCH DINER, HIGH STREET, ABERSOCH</b>
<b>PURPOSE:</b>	<b>FOR DECISION</b>
<b>AUTHOR:</b>	<b>HEAD OF ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT</b>

## 1. APPLICATION RECEIVED

- 1.1 An application is attached for a premises licence for Abersoch Diner, High Street, Abersoch, L153 7DY from the applicant Gavin Hancock. The applicant is seeking to vary an existing premises licence for a single-storey dining room for 30 people.
- 1.2 The application is made in relation to extending opening hours, hours of the sale of alcohol (on the premises only) and the provision of recorded music on the premises.
- 1.3 Officers from the Licensing Authority are satisfied that there is sufficient evidence that the application has been submitted in accordance with the requirements of the Licensing Act 2003 and the relevant regulations and is therefore valid.
- 1.4 Several objections to the application have been received from members of the public, and the applicant has agreed to public protection conditions in terms of a compromise to not use the outdoor area after 6pm. Police and the Fire and Rescue Service had no observations or objections.

See the attached table for details of the proposed hours:

<b><u>Trwydded Presenol/Current Licence</u></b>	<b><u>Trwydded Arfaethedig/Proposed Licence</u></b>
<b>Oriau Agor / Opening Hours</b>	<b>Oriau Agor / Opening Hours</b>
Dydd Sul/Sunday 08:00 - 21:30	Dydd Sul/Sunday 08:00 - 00:30
Dydd Llun/Monday 08:00 - 22:30	Dydd Llun/Monday 08:00 - 00:30
Dydd Mawrth/Tuesday 08:00 - 22:30	Dydd Mawrth/Tuesday 08:00 - 00:30
Dydd Mercher/Wednesday 08:00 - 22:30	Dydd Mercher/Wednesday 08:00 - 00:30
Dydd Iau/Thursday 08:00 - 22:30	Dydd Iau/Thursday 08:00 - 00:30
Dydd Gwener/Friday 08:00 - 22:30	Dydd Gwener/Friday 08:00 - 00:30
Dydd Sadwrn/Saturday 08:00 - 22:30	Dydd Sadwrn/Saturday 08:00 - 00:30
<b>Gweithgareddau Trwyddedadwy / Licensable Activities:</b>	
<b>Cyflenwi Alcohol/Supply of Alcohol: Ar yr Eiddo / On the Premises</b>	<b>Cyflenwi Alcohol/Supply of Alcohol: Ar yr Eiddo / On the Premises</b>
Dydd Sul/Sunday 12:00 - 21:00	Dydd Sul/Sunday 11:00 - 00:00
Dydd Llun/Monday 12:00 - 22:00	Dydd Llun/Monday 11:00 - 00:00
Dydd Mawrth/Tuesday 12:00 - 22:00	Dydd Mawrth/Tuesday 11:00 - 00:00
Dydd Mercher/Wednesday 12:00 - 22:00	Dydd Mercher/Wednesday 11:00 - 00:00
Dydd Iau/Thursday 12:00 - 22:00	Dydd Iau/Thursday 11:00 - 00:00
Dydd Gwener/Friday 12:00 - 22:00	Dydd Gwener/Friday 11:00 - 00:00
Dydd Sadwrn/Saturday 12:00 - 22:00	Dydd Sadwrn/Saturday 11:00 - 00:00
	<b>Cerddoriaeth wedi ei Recordio/Recorded Music: Dan do / Indoors</b>
	Dydd Sul/Sunday 11:00 - 00:00
	Dydd Llun/Monday 11:00 - 00:00
	Dydd Mawrth/Tuesday 11:00 - 00:00

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	Dydd Sadwrn/Saturday	11:00	-	00:00

## 2. Measures recommended by the applicant to promote the licensing objectives

Measures recommended by the applicant include the following -

- The challenge 21 policy will be adhered to in relation to the sale of alcohol and there will be no sale of alcohol off the premises.
- Staff training on the sale of alcohol, child protection policy and disorder
- Zero-tolerance policy towards drugs and drink will be adopted
- Fire protection system and alarms will be installed and serviced regularly

See full details of the recommended measures in section **M** of the application.

## 3. CONSULTATION

The application was consulted upon and the following responses were received -

<b>RESPONSES</b>	<b>REPRESENTATIONS</b>
Members of the public / neighbouring residents.	E-mail - objection
Councillor	E-mail – objection and observations
Llanengan Community Council	E-mail – objection
Public Protection	Observations and conditions

### 3.2 Members of the public and neighbouring residents

Nine e-mails have been received objecting to the application based on the licensing objectives of:

- Public nuisance prevention
- Public safety
- Prevention of crime and disorder

Concerns were expressed regarding anti-social behaviour issues in terms of noise, public nuisance, sanitary issues and crime and disorder. There were also concerns that the premises was close to the main road, a lack of parking and close to residents. There were several comments in respect of the presence of too many licensed premises already in this area.

### 3.3 Local Councillor

The application is unclear in relation to the use and purpose of the building, and concerns about noise and public nuisance for neighbouring residents if the outdoor area is used, were expressed.

### 3.4 Llanengan Community Council

Concerns about noise and public nuisance for neighbouring residents if the outdoor area is used, were expressed.

### **3.5 Public Protection**

Observations and conditions have been received from the Public Protection Department. The applicant agreed to compromise to not use the outdoor area after 6pm due to concerns about noise, that windows and doors must be closed when music is playing , which must be at a background noise level only.

## **4 RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that this Committee approve the application - in accordance with what was agreed with the Public Protection service; and in accordance with the requirements of the Licensing Act 2003.