**DECISION** 

24/4179

IN THE MATTER

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act

2012

AND

IN THE MATTER

of an application by

TE KAWAU RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB

**INCORPORATED** 

for the renewal of an club-licence

# **DECISION OF THE MANAWATU DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE (ON THE PAPERS)**

This application was considered by the Manawatu District Licensing Committee pursuant to the provisions of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.

# **Application**

**TE KAWAU RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB INCORPORATED** has applied for the renewal of an club-licence in respect of premises situated at Wye Street, Rongotea and known as Te Kawau Rugby Football Club.

# **Inquiring Agency Reports**

#### **Police**

The New Zealand Police do not oppose the application.

#### Licensing Inspector

A report from the Manawatu District Council Licensing Inspector dated 1 April 2025 was received and considered. The Inspector did not oppose the application.

# Medical Officer of Health

The Medical Officer of Health does not oppose the application.

#### **Local Alcohol Policy**

There is no local alcohol policy in force within the Manawatu district.

#### **Consideration of the application**

As no objection to the application has been filed and no matters of opposition have been raised by the inquiring agencies, the application was considered on the papers.

In considering whether to renew the club-licence, the licensing committee considered the criteria set out in section 131 of the Act.

# **District Licensing Committee decision**

Having regard to the information supporting the application and having regard to the criteria set out in section 131 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 the Manawatu District Licensing Committee grants the renewal of an club-licence to **TE KAWAU RUGBY FOOTBAL CLUB INCORPORATED** in respect of premises situated at Wye Street, Rongotea and known as Te Kawau Rugby Football Club, for a period of three years expiring on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December 2027, subject to the following conditions:

1. Alcohol must be sold only on the following days and during the following hours:

**Tuesday and Thursday** 

6.00 p.m. to 10.00 p.m.

Friday

5.00 p.m. to 12.00 midnight

**Saturday and Public Holidays** 

12.00 midday to 12.00 midnight

Sunday

3.00 p.m. to 10.00 p.m.

- 2. The club must have a secretary at all times.
- 3. Within 10 working days of the appointment of a new secretary, the club must inform the Secretary of the District Licensing Committee, the name of the new secretary.
- 4. The area where alcohol is to be sold and consumed is described in the plan date stamped as received by the District Licensing Committee on 14 November 2024 and no alcohol is to be taken out of this area.
- 5. The club must have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when the club is open for the sale of alcohol, a reasonable range of non-alcoholic and low-alcohol refreshments.
- 6. Water must be freely available from the bar at all times when the club is open for the sale of alcohol.
- 7. Food must be available for consumption on the premises as follows:

  At all times when the premises are authorised to be open for the sale of alcohol, a minimum of three (3) types of food should be available consisting of a range and style similar to that shown on any menu submitted or a range of snack foods in the nature of pies, sandwiches, filled rolls, pizzas and the like. Food must be conveniently available for all members and their guests and the availability of those foodstuffs must be notified to them by appropriate notices throughout the premises.
- 8. The licensee must ensure that signs are prominently displayed within the licensed premises detailing information regarding alternative forms of transport from the premises.
- 9. The licensee must implement and maintain the steps proposed in the application for the licence aimed at promoting the responsible consumption of alcohol.
- 10. The Club Committee must ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the sale and supply of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed.

Dated at Feilding this 14th day of April 2025

Signed

Ross Brannigan

**Commissioner, Manawatu District Licensing Committee** 

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