

<b>DECISION</b>	<b>25/4280</b>
<b>IN THE MATTER</b>	of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012
	<b>AND</b>
<b>IN THE MATTER</b>	of an application by <b>FEILDING LITTLE THEATRE PLAYERS INCORPORATED</b> for the issue of a special 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**

**FEILDING LITTLE THEATRE PLAYERS INCORPORATED** has applied for a special licence to provide alcohol sales. The application relates to a series of theatrical productions and live stage performances for 2025.

**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 17 June 2025 was received and considered. The Inspector does 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 issue a special licence, the licensing committee considered the criteria set out in section 142 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 142 of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 the Manawatu District Licensing Committee grants the issue of a special licence to **FEILDING LITTLE THEATRE PLAYERS INCORPORATED** in respect of the event for which the licence was sought, subject to the following conditions:*

1. Alcohol may be sold under the licence only on the days and hours as detailed in the schedule attached to this special licence.
2. The licensee must display a copy of this special licence at the point of sale so as to be easily read by people attending the event.
3. The persons nominated to manage the sale and supply of alcohol at all times the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol is Elizabeth Evenson and a sign shall be prominently displayed at the point of sale, which identifies by name the person responsible under the licence.
4. The licensee must take the following steps to ensure that the provisions of this Act relating to the sale or supply of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed:  
**Signage at the bar, staff to check ID, staff to monitor for minors and intoxicated persons, minors will not be served alcohol, intoxicated persons will not be served alcohol.**
5. Drinking water must be freely available at the bar and in the auditorium at all times alcohol is being sold.
6. Food must be available for consumption on the premises at all times alcohol is available for sale or supply as detailed in the application.
7. Non-alcohol beverages must be available for sale and supply on the premises including but not limited to ginger beer, soft drinks and orange juice.
8. Non-alcohol beverages must be available for sale and supply on the premises including but not limited to Amstel Light and DB Citrus.
9. The licensee must take the following steps to provide assistance with or information about alternative forms of transport from the premises:  
**Signage with access to a telephone at the ticket desk.**

*The Manawatu District Licensing Committee grants an exemption pursuant to section 213(2) of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 in respect of the appointment of a manager for the duration of this special licence.*

**Duration:**

This licence is in force from 6.00 p.m., 18 July 2025 until 12.00 a.m. (midnight), 29 November 2025 during the days and hours detailed in the schedule included in condition (1) above.

Dated at Feilding this 7<sup>TH</sup> day of July 2025

Signed



Ross Brannigan  
**Commissioner, Manawatu District Licensing Committee**



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## **Feilding Little Theatre 2025¶**

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### **“Top Girls” show—Dates and times:¶**

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Friday 18 July 2025 → → 6pm to 12am¶

Saturday 19 July 2025 → → 6pm to 12am¶

Thursday 24 July 2025 → → 6pm to 12am¶

Sunday 27 July 2025 → → 3pm to 7pm¶

Sunday 27 July 2025 → → 6pm to 12am¶

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Friday 1 August 2025 → → 6pm to 12am¶

Saturday 2 August 2025 → → 6pm to 12am¶

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### **Pantomime:¶**

Thursday 13 November 2025 → 6pm to 12am¶

Friday 14 November 2025 → 6pm to 12am¶

Saturday 15 November 2025 → 6pm to 12am¶

Friday 21 November 2025 → 6pm to 12am¶

Saturday 22 November 2025 → 6pm to 12am¶

Friday 28 November 2025 → 6pm to 12am¶

Saturday 29 November 2005 → 6pm to 12am¶

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