

## 15. NORTH WAI BOARDRIDERS CLUB: APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENCE

<b>Officer responsible</b> Community Advocate, Burwood/Pegasus	<b>Author</b> Adrian Carpenter - Community Secretary, DDI 941-5305
---	---

The purpose of this report is to inform the Board of the Sale of Liquor Act Committee's recommendation on an application from the North Wai Boardriders Club Incorporated to the Council, as landlord of the North New Brighton Community Centre, for a club liquor licence for the clubrooms in the Centre.

### BACKGROUND

The North Wai Boardriders Club has been based at the North New Brighton Community Centre for many years, in clubrooms on the ground floor of the building. A liquor licence has not been held previously.

### APPLICATION

In seeking a liquor licence, the Club initially requires the agreement of the Council, as landowner of the North New Brighton Community Centre. The application would then be made to the District Licensing Authority.

The Council has delegated the power to grant such consent as landowner to community boards.

The Club wishes the club licence to operate on Wednesday to Friday from 11.00 am to 11.00 pm, and Saturday and Sunday from 10.00 am to 11.00 pm. A member of the Club is currently obtaining a management licence.

The Club proposed that the licence cover the clubroom premises and an external area on the seaward side of the building with some form of canopy structure.

### SALE OF LIQUOR COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATION

The Committee notes that the operation of a liquor licence within a Council Community Centre is unusual, although there is another example within the Burwood/Pegasus area with the Parklands United Sports Club's base in the Parklands Community Centre.

The Committee decided that the proposed hours of operation would be appropriate. However, the Committee did not support the proposal for the licence to permit the consumption of alcohol outside of the clubrooms.

In conjunction with the planned refurbishment of the Centre, the Committee understands that the Club's use of the clubrooms will be formalised with a lease or licence. Host responsibilities could be included within these formal arrangements.

#### Committee

**Recommendation:** That the Board grant the Council's approval as landlord for the North Wai Boardriders Club application for a club licence restricted to within the club premises Wednesday to Friday from 11.00 am to 11.00 pm, and Saturday and Sunday from 10.00 am to 11.00 pm.

#### Chairperson's

**Recommendations:**

1. That the abovementioned recommendation be adopted.
2. That host responsibility clauses be included with strict provisions and monitoring for restricting the supply of alcohol to those under 18 years of age.