

Decision No. GREYDLC 062/2024

**IN THE MATTER**

of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 (the Act)

**AND**

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of an application by **RUNANGA CLUB** pursuant to s.138 of the Act for an on-site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at 15 Pitt Street, Runanga known as "Runanga Workingmen's Club"

**BEFORE THE GREY DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

The Runanga Club has made an application for a special licence to sell and supply alcohol for 10 upcoming events at 15 Pitt Street, Runanga.

The applicant holds a current Club Licence No. 055/CLUB/66/2015 and the hours of the licence are currently Monday to Sunday, 9am to 1am the following day.

The main entrance to the premises is from 15 Pitt Street, Runanga.

The social room, sports room, bar and smoking area of the premises is undesignated and the TAB area is designated restricted for the duration of this licence.

The days and hours applied for are:

<b>DAY</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>HOURS</b>
Saturday 22nd June 2024	Dunn 70th Birthday and Wedding anniversary	6.00pm to 1.00am
Saturday 10th August 2024	Mitre 10 Poker Series - poker tournament	1.00pm to 10.00pm
Saturday 17th August 2024	Mitre 10 Poker Series - poker tournament	1.00pm to 10.00pm
Saturday 31st August 2024	Mitre 10 Poker Series - poker tournament	1.00pm to 10.00pm
Saturday 7th September 2024	Mitre 10 Poker Series - poker tournament	1.00pm to 10.00pm
Saturday 2nd November 2024	Richardson 30th Birthday Party	5.00pm to 1.00am
Wednesday 6th November 2024	Wilson and Crisp Wedding	4.00pm to 1.00am
Saturday 23rd November 2024	Lockington and Wilson Wedding	3.00pm to 1.00am
Saturday 21st December 2024	Jones 21st Birthday Party	7.00pm to 1.00am
Tuesday 31st December 2024	New Years Eve	6.00pm to 1.00am

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>ESTIMATED NUMBER ATTENDING</b>	<b>AGE DISTRIBUTION</b>
Dunn 70th Birthday	60	18-90 years
Poker Series	60	18-70 years
Richardson 30th Birthday	99	18-70 years
Wilson/Crisp Wedding	70	18-70 years
Lockington/Wilson Wedding	60	18-70 years
Jones 21st Birthday	80	18-70 years
New Years Eve	60	18-70 years

## **DECISION**

The Grey District Licensing Committee Chairperson, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 **grants** an application by the Runanga Club for an on-site Special Licence for the premises at 15 Pitt Street, Runanga known as the “Runanga Workingsmens Club”, for the following events, subject to the following conditions:

### **Conditions:**

1. Alcohol may be sold under the licence only on the following days during the following hours:

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2. The sports room, social room, bar and smoking area of the premises is undesignated, and the TAB room designated restricted for the licence period and is shown on the plan attached to this licence.
3. A certified duty manager must be on duty at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol.

4. The licensee must take the following steps to ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the sale or supply of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed:
  - Minors and intoxicated persons must not be served alcohol.
5. The licensee must display signage as follows:
  - a. A sign at each principal entrance to the premises, so as to be easily read by patrons, stating the ordinary hours of business during which the premises will be open for the sale of alcohol;
  - b. At every point of sale detailing restriction on the sale and supply of alcohol to minors and intoxicated persons;
  - c. A copy of the licence attached to the premises so as to be easily read by persons attending the premises and;
  - d. A sign prominently displayed at the premises, which identifies by name the manager for the time being on duty.
6. The licensee must have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when the premises are open for the sale and supply of alcohol, a reasonable range of non-alcoholic and low-alcoholic beverages.
7. Food, as listed by the applicant must be available for consumption on the premises during the licence hours.
8. Drinking water is to be provided free of charge from a water supply prominently situated on the premises.
9. The licensee must provide information, advice and assistance about alternative forms of transport available to patrons from the licensed premises.
10. Noise levels are to be monitored at all times.
11. Payment of the fee prescribed under the Sale and Supply of Alcohol (Fees) Regulations 2013.

**The premises licensed area is set out on the plan submitted with the application and date stamped 21 May 2024. A note to this effect is to be made on the licence.**

### **REASONS FOR THE DECISION**

The applicant has previously operated Special Licences without incident, or cause for concern.

The applicant has provided in their application host responsibility details which demonstrate that suitable measures will be undertaken to provide the following measures with regard to the responsible sales or supply of alcohol, and that harm will be minimised by:

- A wide and substantial range of food will be available as per the menus supplied with the application.
- Free water will be available throughout the events from the tea and coffee station.
- Non alcoholic and Low alcohol beverages will be available for sale.
- A courtesy van will be available.

There are three certified duty managers listed, Kelsey Taylor, Tammie Sandrey and Sabrina Fry. They will be supported by committee members.

The Inspector's report indicates that the amenity and good order of the locality will not be adversely affected by more than a minor extent and she does not oppose the application.

Police and the Medical Officer of Health do not oppose this application.

I am satisfied that the applicant has sufficient staff and adequate training to manage these events safely and in accordance with the Act.

The application was not required to be publicly notified and no opposition or notice of desire to be heard has been received. Accordingly I deal with the matter on the papers.

I am satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s.142 of the Act.

**DATED** at GREYMOUTH this 6th day of June 2024



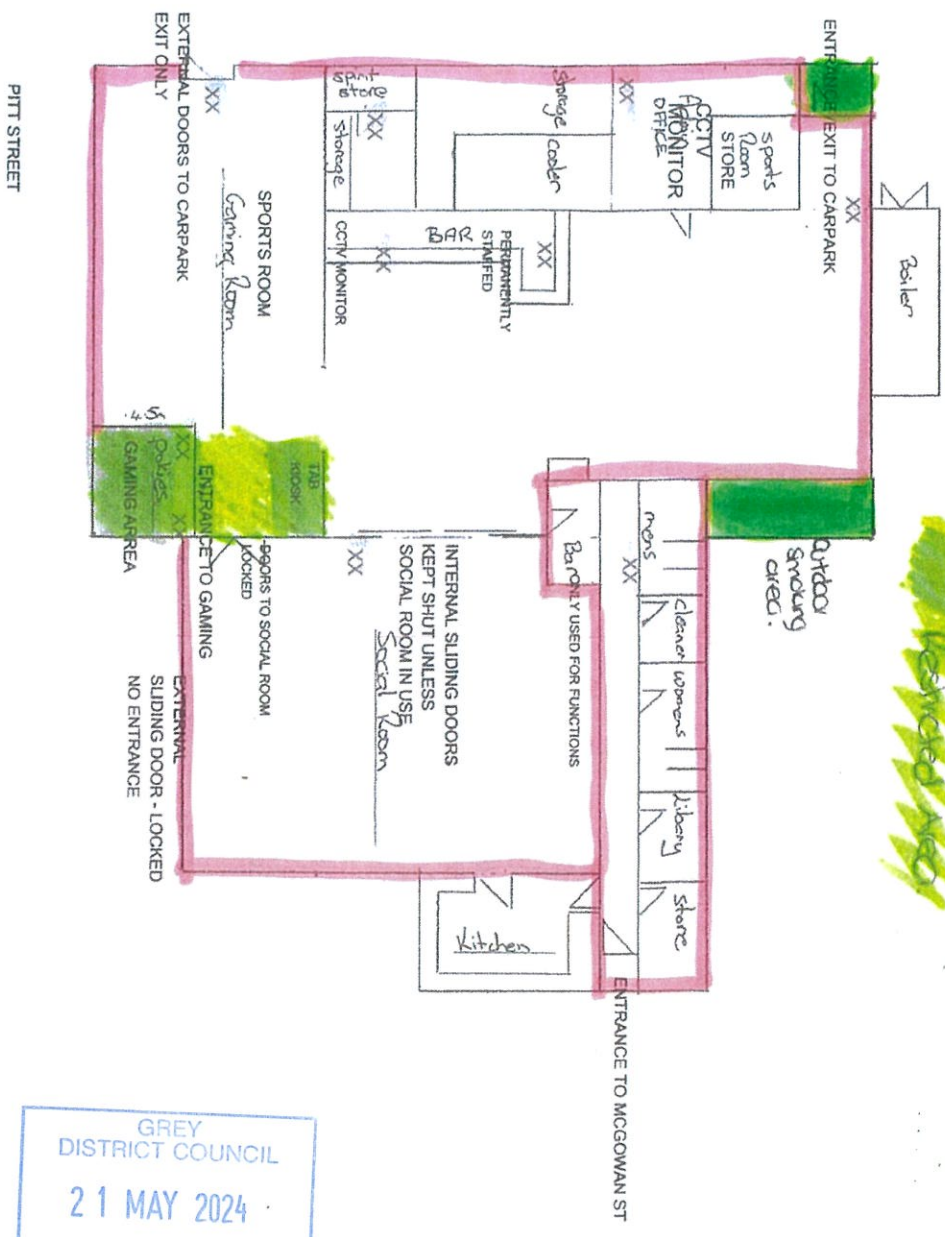
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Rachel M Van der Geest  
Chairperson/Commissioner

Runanga Workingtons Club

XX CCTV cameras  
All other areas are undesignated.

Reserved Area



GREY DISTRICT COUNCIL  
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