

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of  
Alcohol Act 2012

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by Hamilton  
Car Club Incorporated for  
renewal of a club licence  
pursuant to s.127 of the Act in  
respect of premises situated at  
116 Vaile Road NEWSTEAD  
known as "Hamilton Car Club".

**BEFORE THE WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENSING COMMITTEE**

Commissioner: Andrew Baker

**DECISION**

[1] I have before me an application by Hamilton Car Club Incorporated for the renewal of a club licence in respect of premises situated at 116 Vaile Road, Newstead known as "Hamilton Car Club".

[2] The general nature of the business to be undertaken for the premises is that of a sports club.

[3] Reports on the application were received from an Inspector, the Medical Officer of Health and the Police and offer no opposition.

[4] The application was duly advertised and did not attract any public objection.

[5] I am satisfied as to the matters which I must have regard as set out in s.105 of the Act, and I am satisfied that the application meets the purpose and object of the Act. Accordingly, I grant the applicant a renewal of the underlying on licence with the following conditions:

- (a) Alcohol may also be sold to a person who is on the premises at the invitation of, and is accompanied by, a reciprocal member.
- (b) Alcohol may be sold under the licence only on the following days and during the following hours:

<b>Every second Wednesday of the month</b>	<b>5.00pm to 12.00midnight</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>5.00pm to 12.00midnight</b>
<b>Saturdays &amp; Sundays</b>	<b>12.00midday to 12.00midnight</b>
- (c) A range of food choices must be always readily available when the premises are open and alcohol is available. Menus must be visible, and food should be actively promoted.
- (d) The licensee must have available for consumption on the premises, at all times when alcohol may be sold under the licence, a reasonable range of non-alcoholic and low-alcohol beverages.
- (e) Drinking water must be freely available at the bar and kitchen servery.

- (f) The licensee must take the following steps to ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the sale and supply of alcohol to prohibited persons are observed:
- (i) Display appropriate signs adjacent to every point of sale detailing the statutory restrictions on the supply of alcohol to minors and the complete prohibition on sales to intoxicated persons.
- (g) The licensee must take the following steps to ensure that the provisions of the Act relating to the management of the premises are observed:
- (i) All staff will be trained in their responsibilities under the Act.
  - (ii) A sign shall be prominently displayed inside the premises, which identifies by name the manager on duty or of the person responsible for the management of the sale and supply of alcohol under the licence.
  - (iii) A manager must be on duty at the following times when alcohol is being sold or supplied under the licence:
    - from 10.00pm
    - when there are more than 50 patrons present
- (h) The sale, supply and consumption of alcohol is authorised on the premises generally. The premises situated at 116 Vaile Road; Newstead, are more precisely identified in a plan date stamped as received by the Waikato District Licensing Committee on 10 May 2017.

[6] The licence may issue for a period of three (3) years upon payment of any outstanding fee.

[7] I refer any party who wishes to appeal this decision or part of this decision to sections 154 through to 158 of the Act.

DATED at Auckland this 27th day of May 2026



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A Baker".

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Andrew Baker  
Commissioner  
Waikato District Licensing Committee