

**SOUTH AYRSHIRE LICENSING BOARD - SPECIAL.**

Minutes of a hybrid webcast meeting held on 29 April 2026 at 10.00 a.m.

Present: Councillors William Grant (Chair); Laura Brennan-Whitefield; Martin Kilbride; Bob Pollock, and Duncan Townson.

Apologies: Councillors Kenneth Bell and Gavin Scott.

Attending: L. McChristie, Co-ordinator – Licensing and Depute Clerk to the Board; C. Andrew, Licensing Standards Officer; I. McColl, Inspector - Police Scotland and J. Chapman, Committee Services Officer.

**Opening Remarks**

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting, outlined the procedures for conducting this meeting and advised that the webcast would be available to view following the meeting.

**1. Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest by Members of the Board in terms of the Councillors' Code of Conduct.

In terms of Council Standing order, No 13.2. the Panel agreed to vary the order of business as hereinafter minute.

**2. Application for Extended Hours**

The Board considered the following applications:

**Applicant**

Buzzworks Holdings Ltd

**Premises**

Vics and the Vine  
132 Main Street  
Prestwick

13th/14th June 2026 – 02:30 – 05.00

24th/25th June 2026 – 00:30 – 02:00

Having heard from, the Licensing Standards Officer and the applicant's representative, the Board

**Decided:** to continue the application until the next board meeting.

**Applicant**

Ultimate Leisure Ltd

**Premises**

Notion  
1-5 Arthur Street  
Ayr

13th/14th June 2026 – 02:30 – 05.00

Having heard from, the Licensing Standards Officer and the applicant's representative, the Board

**Decided:** to grant

(1) the with additional conditions that tickets must be sold in advance and the number of tickets sold is to be shared with the LSO and Police Scotland when requested prior to the event and that no under 18's permitted on the premises.

(2) delegated powers to the Depute Clerk to grant further extended hours applications for future matches in the tournament if no adverse comments are received from the LSO or Police Scotland.

**Applicant**

Greene King Retailing Ltd

**Premises**

Rabbies  
23A Burns Statue Square  
Ayr

13th/14th June 2026 – 00:00 – 05.00

19th/20th June 2026 – 00:30 – 02:00

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**Applicant**

John Stewart

**Premises**

The Swee  
149 27 Knockcushan Street  
Girvan

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**Applicant**

Ayrshire Pubs Limited

**Premises**

Gracie O'Mally's  
111 Main Street  
Prestwick

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24th/25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - 00:30 – 02:00

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(1) the application with additional conditions that tickets must be sold in advance and the number of tickets sold is to be shared with the LSO and Police Scotland when requested prior to the event and that no under 18's permitted on the premises.

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**Applicant**

David Storrie

**Premises**

The Smoking Goat  
2A Academy Street  
Ayr

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**Applicant**

Sandie Graham

**Premises**

The Saints  
49 Cassillis Road  
Maybole

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**Applicant**

Parkdean Holiday Parks Ltd

**Premises**

Sundrum Castle Holiday Park  
Castle Drive

Sundrum

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**Applicant**

Buzzworks Inn Ltd

**Premises**

Treehouse  
67 Sandgate  
Ayr

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24th/25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - 00:30 – 02:00

Having heard from, the Licensing Standards Officer and the applicant's representative, the Board

**Decided:** to continue the application until the next board meeting.

**Applicant**

Buzzworks Hospitality Ltd

**Premises**

The Fox  
18 West Portland Street  
Troon

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19th/20th June 2026 – 01:00 – 02:00  
24th/25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - 01:00 – 02:00

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**Decided:** to continue the application until the next board meeting.

**Applicant**

Shanter Inns Ltd

**Premises**

Tam O'Shanter  
230 High Street  
Ayr

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19th/20th June 2026 – 23:00 – 02:00  
24th/25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - 23:00 – 02:00

Having heard from the Licensing Standards Officer and the applicant's representative, the Board

**Decided:** to continue the application until the next board meeting.

**Applicant**

Shanter Inns Ltd

**Premises**

Market Inn  
2 Castlehill Road  
Ayr

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24th/25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - 23:00 – 02:00

Having heard from the Licensing Standards Officer and the applicant's representative, the Board

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**Applicant**

Prestwick Inns Ltd

**Premises**

Golf Inn  
154 Main Street  
Prestwick

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**Applicant**

Cambusdoon Sports Club

**Premises**

Cambusdoon Sports Club  
2 Burns Wickey  
Alloway

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**Applicant**

Melli Limited

**Premises**

The Burgh Bar  
112-114 Main Steet  
Prestwick

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**Applicant**

Robert Shields

**Premises**

The Twa Dugs  
4 Killoch Place  
Ayr

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**Applicant**

Rosemount Taverns Ltd

**Premises**

The Black Bull  
22 River Street  
Ayr

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**Applicant**

JD Wetherspoon (Scot) Ltd

**Premises**

The Prestwick Pioneer  
87 Main Street  
Prestwick

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24th/25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - 00:30 – 01:30

Having heard from the Licensing Standards Officer and the applicant's representative, the Board

**Decided:** to continue the application until the next board meeting.

**Applicant**

JD Wetherspoon (Scot) Ltd

**Premises**

The West Kirk  
58A Sandgate  
Ayr

19th/20th June 2026 – 00:30 – 01:30

24th/25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - 00:30 – 01:30

Having heard from the Licensing Standards Officer and the applicant's representative, the Board

**Decided:** to continue the application until the next board meeting.

**Applicant**

Partnership of Rosemary Robertson and  
Peter Childe

**Premises**

Ropes Maidens  
27A Harbour Road  
Maidens

13th/14th June 2026 – 23:45 – 05.00

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Having heard from the Licensing Standards Officer and the applicant's representative, the Board

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**Applicant**

Richard Stephen Cole

**Premises**

The Bee Hive Hotel  
40-42 Joppa  
Coylton

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(2) delegated powers to the Depute Clerk to grant further extended hours applications for future matches in the tournament if no adverse comments are received from the LSO or Police Scotland.

**Applicant**

Greene King Retailing Ltd

**Premises**

Smiths Bar  
13 Dalblair Road  
Ayr

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**Applicant**

Western House Catering Ltd

**Premises**

Princess Royal Stand  
2 Whitletts Road  
Ayr

19th/20th June 2026 – 00:00 – 02:00

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**Adjournment**

The Board adjourned at 11:40 and reconvened at 12:00.

**Applicant**

Bourne Leisure Ltd

**Premises**

Lighthouse Bar  
Craig Tara Holiday Park  
Dunure Road  
Ayr

13th/14th June 2026 – 23:45 – 04:30

19th/20th June 2026 – 23:45 – 02:00

24th/25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - 23:45 – 02:00

Having heard from the Licensing Standards Officer and the applicant's representative, the Board

Councillor Brennan-Whitefield abstained from Voting.

**Decided:** to grant

(1) the above application with the mandatory conditions for premises opening beyond 1.00am and with additional conditions that tickets must be sold in advance and the number of tickets sold is to be shared with the LSO and Police Scotland when requested prior to the event and that Children and young persons aged 10 years and over may attend the event if a ticket is purchased in advance (by a responsible adult) and they must be in the company of a person aged 18 years or over.

(2) delegated powers to the Depute Clerk to grant further extended hours applications for future matches in the tournament if no adverse comments are received from the LSO or Police Scotland.

**Applicant**

Bourne Leisure Ltd

**Premises**

Owners Lounge  
Craig Tara Holiday Park  
Dunure Road  
Ayr

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**Applicant**

Bourne Leisure Ltd

**Premises**

Live Lounge  
Craig Tara Holiday Park  
Dunure Road  
Ayr

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The Board noted that the following applications had been withdrawn.

**Applicant**

Greene King Retailing Ltd

**Premises**

Drouthy Neebors  
56 Smith Street  
Ayr

13th/14th June 2026 – 02:00 – 05.00

24th/25<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - 00:30 – 02:00

**Applicant**

Kirsten Hood

**Premises**

Ayr Eight Ball  
15 Arthur Street  
Ayr

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**3. Closing Remarks**

The Chair thanked officers and the Board for their hard work and concluded the meeting.

The meeting ended at 12:30.