

(17/SP/028/2016)

IN THE MATTER of the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 (The Act)

AND

IN THE MATTER of an application by Rose Marriner on behalf of the Southern United Rugby Football Club pursuant to s138 of The Act for an On Site Special Licence in respect of premises situated at 3 – 37 Mossop Road and known as Southern United Rugby Football Club.

BEFORE THE SOUTH WAIKATO DISTRICT LICENCING COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON

THE APPLICATION

Rose Marriner applies for a Special Licence on behalf of Southern United Rugby Football Club in respect of premises situated at 3 – 37 Mossop Road, Tokoroa and known as SURF.

The proposed event is a prize giving and meal on Sunday the 21st February 2016 in celebration of athletes completion of the South Waikato Supersports, an event held over 3 days.

The proposed prize giving is to commence at 6:00pm and conclude at 1:00am. This event will be the 30th Annual event.

The evening will consist of a prize-giving and a full buffet meal, which is restricted to participants and extended families, friends and supporters.

Alcohol will be sold from the bar and consumed within the clubrooms for both events.

The applicant has provided information that the event will be catered and will have a full buffet menu. Low alcohol and non-alcoholic refreshments will be provided. Drinking water will be available from the bar or freely available through the upstairs kitchen.

The applicant has included information regarding the provision of help with information about alternative forms of transport from the premises if necessary. The applicant has advised availability of a courtesy van and will also provide public access to a telephone.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The applicant has previously operated Special Licences. The Licensing Inspector Ms Kristina Moore reports that there have been minor issues in the past with the Club and their licence however these matters were resolved and no matters have come to her attention since these matters were resolved. The Licensing Inspector does not oppose this application.

The applicant, Rose Marriner, is an active member of the Alcohol Accord Group and is well known to the South Waikato District Licensing Representatives.

Substantive food and free water will be available throughout both events.

The comprehensive report of the Inspector indicates that the amenity and good order of the locality will not be adversely affected by more than a minor extent.

Neither the Police nor the Medical Officer of Health raises any matters in opposition.

The South Waikato District Council does not currently have a Local Alcohol Policy.

I am satisfied as to the matters to which we must have regard as set out in s105 & s142 of the Act.

DECISION

The District Licensing Committee Chairperson, acting pursuant to the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 grants the applications by Southern United Rugby Football Club for an on-site Special Licence (17/SP/028/16) in respect of premises situated at 3 – 37 Mossop Road, Tokoroa known as Southern United Rugby Football Club” subject to the following conditions.

CONDITIONS

Alcohol may be sold and supplied under the licence only on the following days and during the following hours:

1. The entire premises are *designated "Supervised"* between the hours of 6:00pm and 9:00pm and *"Restricted"* from 9:00pm till 1:00am.
2. The premises shall be vacated within 30 minutes of designated closing time, that being 1:30am (the following day).

DATED at TOKOROA this 19th day of February 2016



Jenny Shattock QSM JP

Chairperson

South Waikato District Licensing Committee