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3<sup>rd</sup> March 2024

Licensing Manager,  
Regulatory Services  
Derbyshire Dales District Council  
The Town Hall  
Matlock  
Derbyshire DE4 3NN

Dear Sirs

**Re: Application made by Lightweight Adventure Festival at fields at Tideswell Moor, Tideswell, Nr Buxton for a premises licence.**

We wish to make a representation regarding the application made by Lightweight Adventure Festival at fields at Tideswell Moor for a "premises licence."

We are concerned that there is no date or dates mentioned on when the dates or dates advising when the event/s are proposed to take place.

The close location of the proposed event will have an adverse effect of our caravan site. We advertise our site as a quiet peaceful location and we attract caravan visitors who are seeking the same. Both ourselves and our visitors will not appreciate the noise of a large gathering of motor bikers together with loud music in various forms all day !!

We have friends with horses which are ridden along "Pittlemere Lane" and "Edale Lane" which is the lane past the field that the event is proposed to take place in. It will be impossible for these horses to be ridden out if the event takes place, as the horses and riders are very nervous of motorbikes and it is bad enough when one encounters one of two motorbikes along the lane and it would be impossible and very dangerous to attempt to pass a number of motor bikes. Therefore, if the event was allowed to take place it would totally spoil the enjoyment of the horse riders.

As Tideswell Moor is quiet, it has attracted all sorts of wildlife, including curlews, which are now a threatened species. It would be catastrophic to disturb these birds.

We are firmly against the proposal of Lightweight Adventurers. We have spoken to our neighbours and also Michael Critchlow of White Rake Farm, Tideswell Moor who also join us in our concerns and we are firmly against the proposals made by of Lightweight Adventurers Ltd and feel they should find a more urban location for their event/events.

Yours faithfully

Sue and Ian Clark telephone

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Michael Critchlow telephone

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**Mrs Wendy Mycock, Forest Lane Farm, Tideswell Moor, Nr Buxton SK17 8JE**

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I wish to raise the following points :-

- There is no date or dates advising of when an event/events are to be arranged and understand this can be at any time of year with numerous dates at the hours mentioned for the various activities mentioned. I have concerns regarding this application as I have a holiday cottage business since 1986 at my home address which is one of the closest residential addresses to the Festival field location. . Often there are families with babies and young children staying in the cottages and to have loud amplified music playing most of the hours of the days at weekends will impact on their peace and enjoyment of their stay and enabling the children to get to sleep. One of the attractions of Forest Lane Farm Cottages is the piece and tranquil location to escape the urban noise intrusions they normally experience at their home locations. Having had a recent experience of a gathering at the same location the constant playing of amplified loud music for over 18 hours each day over a long weekend was irritating and an intrusion to the enjoyment of my property.
- Forest Lane is a narrow country lane and the increase in traffic travelling to and from the Festival field will impact on the quiet enjoyment of the holiday cottages and my home. How will the traffic travelling too and from the festival field be managed? My concern is how the traffic will be managed to avoid the event attendees using this lane and travelling up Edale Lane to the Festival events field location.

- Tideswell Moor is one of the rare locations in the Peak District where the curlew, a now threatened population of large wading bird, use as their nesting ground and rearing their young. The survival of this ground nesting bird is in the balance. They are a naturally shy bird and choose Tideswell Moor due to its remoteness and quiet to give them a chance to re-produce successfully. The proposed frequent music events held at the location applied for will threaten one of their last strong holds and should be taken into account when considering this application.

I am strongly against what is proposed and wish these points to be considered when reviewing what is being proposed in this application.

Yours faithfully



Wendy Mycock.

Peter Atkin, Tideslow Farm, Tideswell Moor, Nr Buxton SK17 8JE Tel: [REDACTED]

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The points I wish to raise are the following:-

- I have run a caravan site since 1968 on my farm and the people who come to the site are attracted to the peace, quiet and tranquillity of the location. It is their escape from urban noise intrusion and their main comment is how peaceful the location is. However, having experienced loud music events at the similar location as proposed in this application in the recent past there was loud music/loud base music playing from breakfast time all day and night till early hours of the following day and re-starting again the following day at breakfast time and the hours repeated as described over a number of days. The noise was loud and irritating and not convivial to what my visitors to the site expected. This type of noise intrusion travels easily to my location and the site users did complain to me at the time. There did not seem to be any consideration to the quiet enjoyment of my property.
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I feel very strongly that the proposals made in this application should not be allowed.

Yours faithfully



Peter N Atkin

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