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24<sup>th</sup> June 2016

Mr C Boyle  
Licensing Officer  
Horsham District Council  
Parkside  
Chart Way  
Horsham  
West Sussex  
RH12 1RL

Dear Mr C Boyle

**Licensing Application - Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd**

Although not in the Parish of Nuthurst the new Premises Licence application for Camping World Show Ground, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road, Horsham RH13 6QA would greatly affect the parishioners living in Sedgwick Lane and Kerves Lane.

Nuthurst Parish Council would like it to be noted that they fully support the resident's objections to the current proposals.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Hall  
Clerk to Nuthurst Parish Council

**From:** Boyle, Chris <[Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk](mailto:Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk)>

**Sent:** 12 July 2016 14:33

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** FW: Camping World

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email and since I last spoke to you I can confirm that Sussex Police have, as I thought they would, proposed a condition limiting the use of Camping World to the Christmas period and each year the applicant must notify both Sussex Police and my department each year in advance the exact dates when the premises will be used. Any times outside the Christmas period will not be allowed

I hope this address your concern but please come back to me if you require further information.

Regards

**Chris Boyle**

Licensing Officer

**Telephone:** 01403 215578 |

**Email:** [Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk](mailto:Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk)



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Telephone: 01403 215100 (calls may be recorded) [horsham.gov.uk](http://horsham.gov.uk) Chief Executive - Tom Crowley

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** 12 July 2016 14:13

**To:** PublicHealth.Licensing

**Subject:** Camping World

Attn. Mr. Chris Boyle

Thank you for spending time with [REDACTED] and myself yesterday discussing the application for an alcohol and entertainment licence at the Camping World site in the Brighton Road.

I have subsequently visited the site, and spoken to [REDACTED].

I understand that the intention is to have an ice rink from October to the end of January, supported by a Christmas themed fair on the five weekends before Christmas, and one after, and I do not object to a licence being granted on this basis.

As we discussed, I am concerned that the application requests the licence to be in force from 10am to 10pm, seven days a week. I think that any activity outside of the stipulated Christmas period would be totally inappropriate in this area, and I would strongly object on the grounds that such activity would constitute a public nuisance. I therefore trust that you will put safeguards in place to ensure that this cannot happen.

regards

[REDACTED]

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 25 July 2016 16:59  
**To:** PublicHealth.Licensing  
**Subject:** Christmas Fantasia event at Camping World

Dear Sir,

I am writing to raise concerns about the proposed Christmas Market and Ice Rink developments at the premises of Camping World, Horsham.

The first area of concern relates to the potential noise nuisance this event will cause. The actual number of loudspeakers they plan to use is fairly irrelevant as it is the power of the amplification which will determine the volume of music and announcements at the site. On the basis that announcements from the current "tannoy" system in use at Camping World are clearly audible in a wide area outside of the site, I expect this still to be the case with the new multi-speaker audio system, which will give a greater density of sound coverage if anything. As the fair is billed to run for more than 11 hours a day, this will create an unacceptable nuisance factor.

The second area of concern relates to the length of time the fair will be running, namely from 21st October 2016 until 29th January 2017. If the fair were to run for a shorter time period, for example, from 20th November until 7th or 14th January, that would be more in keeping with the usual period when special Christmas events take place and this shorter time would alleviate some of my concerns about the nuisance factors this event will create.

Finally, I would ask that any licence to operate is granted for one event only and a new application will need to be submitted for any subsequent events. This will permit any objections to noise and other disturbances arising from this year's event to be presented at future licensing meeting.

Yours sincerely,

[REDACTED]

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 20 July 2016 19:58  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Boyle

Below are my formal objections and representations relating to the licence application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd for a premises licence to sell alcohol and provide regulated entertainment for Camping World Show Ground, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA.

1. Prevention of nuisance to residents in Sedgwick Lane.

We live approximately one mile from the Camping World site. Due the topographical features of the area my house is in line of sight across a valley.

For some years Camping World have been using a tannoy system to tell their customers of the latest bargain purchase, the unfortunate part is that when we are at home we can hear every word crystal clear. In an attempt to have the volume of the tannoy turned down a number of residents have been in contact with the management at Camping World but they have been less than helpful and in some cases, I understand, very rude and even turning the volume up. The last email ( 13/6/2016) I received from Michael Cloake ( the manager and son in law of director of Camping World, David Fearn) stated "We will be repeating some audio tests in the coming months, although I am afraid there will be certain weekend when the PA system will be in us". In other words, tough luck.

Interestingly, now the application for Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd has been submitted the management at Camping World Ltd have managed to turn the volume down.

From this position I am sure you will understand that we view with trepidation the licensing application which, according to the Public Notice, is to sell alcohol and play music 12 hours a day for 7 days a week. I took the trouble to visit the site and met David Fearn ( Director of both Camping World Ltd and Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd) and Adam Proto of Terbell Event Management to explain my concerns. Following the meeting I received the attached email letter which has been passed on to residents. Mr Proto states we are unlikely to hear the music but I am not a noise expert so I cannot say whether what he proposes will be satisfactory and will allow my wife and I, and other Sedgwick Lane residents, to have quiet enjoyment of our properties.

Before any license is granted I feel tests should be completed to ascertain if noise levels can be kept at an acceptable level. If Sedgwick Lane residents are satisfied with the results of the tests then a temporary license could be granted for next winter to see how the new venture works in practice. Assuming a public nuisance has not been created and in light of the the practical experience gained during the first season of operation the matter of an on going license can be reviewed. I am sure it is very difficult to revoke a permanent license once it has been granted and so if this temporary procedure was adopted it would give

Sedgwick Lane residents more confidence that matters can be kept under control from the start.

## 2. Who controls the activities

Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd is a new company having common directors, David and Suzanna Fearn with Camping World Ltd.

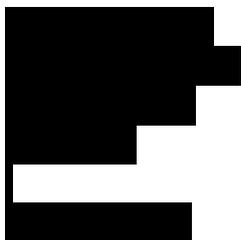
Terbell Event Management state Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd is their client and yet it is Terbell telling us the licensing application is for the Christmas Fantasia only and Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd will not be producing any other events on the site. Surely this is a matter for Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd to confirm this fact. Residents are fearful that once an alcohol and music license has been granted to Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd then other noisy events will follow on this Hornbrook site.

As the license will be in the name of Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd they will ultimately be responsible for controlling the noise levels. Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd share some of the same directors and management as Camping World Ltd and in view of the past record of staff at Camping World ignoring noise complaints from residents in Sedgwick Lane this is a cause of great concern. If the Committee is minded to grant a license there must be a clear and accountable line of management to take responsibility for the control of noise. In addition should there be any problems there must be a clear and defined method by which Sedgwick Lane residents can have remedial action taken quickly without endless time wasting.

## 3. Planning permission

This new venture must have planning permission bearing mind the change of use from retail to entertainment. As this site is in an elevated position the addition of extra outside lighting should be a concern.

Yours sincerely

A large black rectangular redaction box covering the signature area.

**Please pass this to anyone who may be affected by the development at Camping World Ltd/Horsham Outdoor Events**

A group of Sedgwick Lane residents thought you should know a new company called Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd has applied for a licence (see below) for the following activity at Camping World Show Ground, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road, Horsham RH13 6QA (Hornbrook Park is the site mainly occupied by Hillers Garden Centre) :-

- The Sale by Retail of Alcohol, Monday to Sunday: 10:00hrs till 22:00hrs daily
- Live Music, Monday to Sunday: 10:00hrs till 22:00hrs daily
- Recorded Music, Monday to Sunday: 10:00hrs till 22:00hrs daily

You can see the application form on line -

<https://www.horsham.gov.uk/licensingpages/licensing/licensing-act-2013-public-notice>

Sedgwick Lane residents have for some time suffered from the overloud tannoy announcements from Camping World and residents have made representations to the company in an attempt to have the nuisance reduced but without much success. David Fearn is a Director of both Camping World Ltd and Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd. Due to the topography most properties in Sedgwick Lane are in earshot of the tannoy at Camping World. It is suggested you email a formal objection to the proposed license on the grounds your property is in an area which already suffers noise pollution generated by Camping World and therefore music 7 days a week from 10am to 10pm will be a public nuisance and breach your entitlement of quiet enjoyment of your home.

Vital points:-

1. Send an email to the HDC Licensing Officer Chris Boyle at [Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk](mailto:Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk) headed **Licence application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd.-prevention of public nuisance.** **deadline for representations to the Council is the 28<sup>th</sup> July.**

2.. In your email you MUST make it clear you are lodging a formal objection on the lines of:-

***I am making a formal objection to the application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd for a premises licence to sell alcohol and provide regulated entertainment for Camping World Show Ground, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA.***

***We, [REDACTED] residents and all our residing street neighbours, have for years, suffered from the outrageous overloud tannoy announcements from Camping World Ltd Like my property and any within a mile radius, these will be within earshot of the tannoy at Camping World Ltd and I object to the proposed license on the grounds music 7 days a week from 10am to 10pm will be a public nuisance and breach my entitlement to the quiet enjoyment of my home.***

**Name**

[REDACTED]

It would be better if you change or add to the suggested wording above as it carries more weight in the Council discussions if all the emails are not the same and there it some passion in the text. There are other issues such as who will be in control of the new venture;



**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 22 July 2016 19:14  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Subject:** Licensing Application - for Camping World Show Ground

To  
HDC Licensing Officer Chris Boyle

License application by Horsham Outdoor Events-PREVENTION OF PUBLIC  
NUISANCE

I wish to make a formal objection to the application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd for a premises licence to sell alcohol and provide regulated entertainment for Camping World Show Ground, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road RH13 6QA.

Since Moving to Sedgwick Lane 5 years ago for some peaceful, country living, we have continually had to put up with tannoy announcements drifting over the fields from Camping World. Along with others, we have made several complaints without success but wish to strongly object to the proposed licence on the grounds music played 7 days a week will be a PUBLIC NUISANSE.

[REDACTED]

-----Original Message-----

From: Details Removed

Sent: 17 July 2016 10:54

To: PublicHealth.Licensing

Subject: Licensing Application - for Camping World Show Ground

Dear Sirs

I strongly object to the proposed license application by Horsham Outdoor Events on the grounds of Public Nuisance due to noise. Camping World already create a noise nuisance with their PA system that can be heard inside our house with the doors and windows closed but all announcements are clearly discernible and loud while relaxing or entertaining in our garden. Previously we have not felt this was an issue to make a formal complaint as they only hold a few events each year with a couple of announcements an hour and this stops at 5:00 pm.

The idea that they are proposing to hold events in other months from 10am to 10pm with music in the Ice Rink, Fairground Apparatus and over Christmas leads us to object to this license.

They have demonstrated that they have little concern about the noise they currently make so I am not convinced by there reassurances on their new sound system, if they cared about their neighbours regarding noise why have they never installed a proper PA system in the last 10 years with a distributed speaker system rather than a single large loud speaker ?

If they are to proceed it would have to be with permanent sound proof structures built on the site for the ice rink and and the addition of 25 ft sound barriers around the perimeter to restrict fairground and crowd noise. I also have a concern regarding light pollution in the winter months and traffic management when people leave at 10 pm.

Yours faithfully

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 25 July 2016 20:36  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Dixon

## **Prevention of Public Nuisance**

My husband and I would like to make a formal objection to the application for an Entertainments license for Camping World at Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA.

The PA system that Camping World use has resounded around my yard here for several years, it is as if someone was using a loudspeaker on the roof of my house! Some days we were deluged with announcements every twenty minutes, particularly at weekends.

I contacted the Manager at Camping World directly regarding the PA sound system being used. I got nowhere with that. I contacted Ellie Griffiths at Horsham District Council in June 2013 and things became quieter, but earlier this year the announcements returned and I was told by the manager at Camping World "It's a Bank Holiday!"

I emailed Camping World's customer services department and received an apology from Michael Cloake to say the prevailing wind was probably the cause and their monitoring of the output of their address system met acceptable levels.

The elevated position of the site makes it totally unsuitable for the use proposed and the noise would adversely effect those properties to the West and South of the site.

With a three year history of trying to curtail the intrusive sound coming from Camping World we strongly object to the application for an Entertainments license which would mean our peaceful abode in the countryside would be completely turned upside down.

[REDACTED]

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 19 July 2016 12:33  
**To:** PublicHealth.Licensing  
**Subject:** Public nuisance

Dear Sirs

It has been brought to our attention that Camping World on Brighton Road have applied for an Entertainment License to extend its current activities.

I wish to object to this application on the grounds of public nuisance.

As residents of Kerves Lane, we are very concerned about the noise which will be generated. We can already hear announcements from the current PA system notwithstanding the distance of the site from our property. Should this application be approved, we would be adversely affected by the use of the additional speakers over the proposed extended period - this will also negatively affect other residents in Kerves lane and surrounding areas.

Yours faithfully

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 13 July 2016 13:42  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Boyle,

My address is:

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

On 13 Jul 2016, at 09:57, Boyle, Chris <[Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk](mailto:Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk)> wrote:

Dear [REDACTED]

Can you supply me with your contact details such as home address so I can write to you with details of the hearing

Many thanks

**Chris Boyle**  
Licensing Officer

**Telephone:** 01403 215578 |  
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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 13 July 2016 09:44  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Subject:** Re: Prevention of Public Nuisance

Dear Mr Boyle,

Thank you for the update. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Regards,

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

On 13 Jul 2016, at 09:37, Boyle, Chris <[Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk](mailto:Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk)> wrote:

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your response regarding The Christmas Fantasia application and your representation has been noted. The next step is arranging a Licensing Sub Committee hearing once the consultation period has ended on the 26 July 2016. At this stage I will be writing to you giving details of the hearing and inviting you to attend and if required to submit your representation verbally to the committee.

Regards

**Chris Boyle**  
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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 12 July 2016 22:55  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Prevention of Public Nuisance

Dear Mr Boyle,

The details of the proposed sound system fill me with horror: it now seems there will be at least 3 speakers pointing towards Sedgwick Lane. Furthermore, the exhaustive list of 'mitigations' indicates the applicant expects them to fail, so this is nothing more than a 'plan for failure' with the inevitable result being constant noise pollution and nuisance; a loss of our peaceful environment and a slide into a living nightmare.

Please consider these concerns to the applicants proposed system as part of my original Prevention of public nuisance complaint.

Rgds,  
[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

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The ice sound system will consist of 6 x small JBL speakers that will be evenly spread around the frame of the structure and all pointing inward to the rink. This allows us have complete control of the sound levels and gives us an equal spread across the rink at a very local level, we don't expect that the level we set on this sound system will be audible outside the boundaries of the site. The fact that the rink sound is enclosed within a temporary structure and set behind the existing shop building should eliminate any sound contamination to local residents and mitigate against any noise spread from an climatic change such as wind . We propose that once we have the system in place we conduct a local test with the residents and adjust frequencies and positioning so that we are assured that the levels are acceptable,

we will also provide an emergency number to all local residents so that they have a direct line to the site manager who can make further adjustments should they be required.

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Again this sound system will be similar to the rink system with no more than 6 speakers spread around the market site to provide a background soundscape of Christmas themed music and effects. The same provision will be made with the local residents to ensure that any noise contamination is well understood and set to a level that all stockholders are in agreement with. In this case, the system is not contained within a structure, so climatic variance will come into play and we will mitigate by pre-testing prior to opening and in consultation with local residents.

The current noise from Camping World events is generated by one rather crude speaker that serves the entire site and therefore has no or little environment control. The system we intend to install will make the current system redundant, is far more controllable and we fully expect it to provide a much more suitable audio solution to the site that is resident friendly.

We are very happy to speak to local residents, identify their concerns and create a plan between us that leaves everyone happy with the arrangements, any potential disruption the event causes is open to constant evaluation by us and the local community. The intention is to create a Christmas event that serves the Horsham community and is embraced by everyone, we are committed to having a positive relationship with everyone involved or potential affected, to this end we are happy to hear concerns and then work hard to mitigate any of those concerns as far as reasonably could be expected.

On 12 Jul 2016, at 22:13, [REDACTED] wrote:

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I would be grateful of your confirmation.

Regards

[REDACTED]

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From: Boyle, Chris <[Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk](mailto:Chris.Boyle@horsham.gov.uk)>

Sent: 12 July 2016 09:53

To: [REDACTED]

Subject: FW: Prevention of Public Nuisance

Dear [REDACTED]

I was made aware of the noise complaints regarding the PA system and I asked the applicant how they intend to address concerns raised, can I therefore ask that you read the following and if it does not address your concerns I will be happy to accept your representation against the grant of the application and you will be invited to a Licensing Sub Committee hearing that will be arranged at the end of the consultation period, if you have any questions then please do not hesitate to contact myself on 01403 215578

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 10 July 2016 15:07  
**To:** PublicHealth.Licensing  
**Subject:** Prevention of Public Nuisance

Reference- **Prevention of Public Nuisance**

Applicant- Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd

Site- Camping World adjacent to Hillier Garden Centre Brighton Road Horsham RH13 6QA

Licence seeks-

- The sale of alcohol 10AM to 11PM 7 days a week.

- Live music 10 AM to 11 PM 7 days a week.
- Recorded music 10AM to 11PM 7 days a week.

Dear Sir / Madam,

The site of Camping World is in an elevated position. The current PA system is a Public Nuisance.

I live approximately 1 mile from Camping World and can hear their current PA system making announcements.

This License Application seeks amongst other matters to play live or recorded music.

Given that current announcements can be heard from 1 mile (plus) from the site, it will affect many people and not permit residents **to the entitlement of quiet enjoyment – a legal right.**

I strongly object to this Application on the grounds of Public Nuisance.

Yours faithfully

[Redacted signature block]

**From:** [REDACTED]

**Sent:** 12 July 2016 22:13

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Telephone: 01403 215100 (calls may be recorded) [horsham.gov.uk](http://horsham.gov.uk) Chief Executive - Tom Crowley

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 10 July 2016 15:07  
**To:** PublicHealth.Licensing  
**Subject:** Prevention of Public Nuisance

Reference- **Prevention of Public Nuisance**

Applicant- Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd

Site- Camping World adjacent to Hillier Garden Centre Brighton Road Horsham RH13 6QA

Licence seeks-

- The sale of alcohol 10AM to 11PM 7 days a week.
- Live music 10 AM to 11 PM 7 days a week.
- Recorded music 10AM to 11PM 7 days a week.

Dear Sir / Madam,

The site of Camping World is in an elevated position. The current PA system is a Public Nuisance.

I live approximately 1 mile from Camping World and can hear their current PA system making announcements.

This License Application seeks amongst other matters to play live or recorded music.

Given that current announcements can be heard from 1 mile (plus) from the site, it will affect many people and not permit residents **to the entitlement of quiet enjoyment – a legal right.**

I strongly object to this Application on the grounds of Public Nuisance.

Yours faithfully

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-----Original Message-----

From: AB

Sent: 26 July 2016 11:31

To: Boyle, Chris

Cc:

Subject: Bashford

The noise from Camping World's tannoy system carried southwards very loudly and is disturbing. The description of an entertainments license would mean further noise which would be intrusive and ruin the peaceful setting that we live in. For this reason both my husband and I strongly object.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 25 July 2016 14:17  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Subject:** Brown

### Prevention of public nuisance

I wish to lodge a formal objection to the recent application made by Horsham Outdoors Events Ltd relating to a licence to sell alcohol and provide entertainment, albeit stated to be regulated, from the premises of Camping World, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA

I object to the licence being granted on the basis that music 7 days a week from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. will be a public nuisance and interfere with my entitlement to quiet enjoyment of my home in Sedgwick Lane. We residents in Sedgwick Lane have at times already been subjected to very loud tannoy announcements from Camping World on various occasions.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 25 July 2016 16:03  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Mr Boyle

We are writing to lodge a formal objection to the application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd. for a premises licence to sell alcohol and provide regulated entertainment for the Camping World Show Ground, Hornbook Park, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA.

We are already long standing and suffering residents of Sedgwick Lane caused by the noise pollution generated by Camping World at weekends and Bank Holidays, particularly during the Spring and Summer months. I have also made several complaints to Camping World about their noisy alarm system, which typically goes off most nights of the week and takes at least 30 minutes before it stops and then sometimes repeatedly sounds for several hours.

Camping World is already an anti-social and noisy neighbour generating unacceptable and unreasonable levels of noise pollution at weekend events, often pronounced by an irritating tannoy system blaring unnecessary noise throughout the weekend. Their new Christmas proposal seems entirely based on commercial gain and will add little to the community other than creating a further public nuisance for the residents of Sedgwick Lane. Do we really have to suffer their noise all year round? It needs curbing as it stands without allowing Camping World further concessions against the residents and public will.

Our property adjoins the Hornbook Park/ Hilliers site and we are already very unhappy about the noise pollution generated by Camping World and therefore granting Camping World a licence that permits music and the sale of alcohol 7 days a week 10am to 10pm will be a larger public nuisance and further breach of our entitlement of the quiet enjoyment of our home. In addition, given the location of my property I am also concerned about the security risk to our premises given that the public will be able to gain access from the rear of Hornbook Park, where the site is proposed.

Please note our full objection to the application. We seek the Council to ensure the prevention of nuisance and instead uphold and protect the residents entitlement of quiet, and reject the application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd.

Yours Sincerely

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

From: Email Address Remove  
Sent: 17 July 2016 19:58  
To: PublicHealth.Licensing  
Subject: FW: Licensing Application - for Camping World Show Ground

Attention Mr C Boyle

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 25 July 2016 11:07  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Subject:** [REDACTED]

Dear Mr Boyle,

Ref: Proposed ice rink and Christmas market at Camping World, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA.

I would like to make a formal objection to the proposed application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd to provide an ice rink along with a licensed bar and Christmas Fantasia market at the Camping World Show Ground, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA.

Living in such close proximity to Camping World (Sedgwick Lane) I strongly object to the use of what will be 12 in total speakers playing loud music from 10am until 10pm everyday 21st October through to 29th January - this is totally unacceptable and will certainly be a Public Nuisance and actually impact on my enjoyment of living in my home.

On a further note the notes we got through from the company say this is a Christmas event - we object to this - Christmas does not occur from October until January it is in December. And whilst we would not object for a ONE OFF one to two week event at Christmas we DO NOT wish and object for this to set a precedence for further events to take place especially ones with loud music and a licensed bar. Although the company say they will work with us to get sound levels correct I believe with past tannoy announcements residents have complained but without much success. I wonder whether the organisers would approve to such an event with loud repetitive Christmas music 7 days a week 10 - 10 for what will be nearly 4 months in such close proximity to their property - I think not!

I would seriously like our views to be taken into consideration and the impact it will have on my right to live in my home without the public nuisance of nearly 4 months of music 7 days a week all day!

I look forward to receiving your comments back.

Kind regards

[REDACTED]

From: Email Address Removed  
Sent: 23 July 2016 14:48  
To: Boyle, Chris  
Subject: Holford

Licence application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd - prevention of public nuisance

Dear Sir,

We are making a formal objection to the application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd for a premises licence to sell alcohol and provide regulated entertainment for Camping World Show Ground, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA.

As residents of Sedgwick Lane we enjoy living in a rural environment and do not appreciate it being interrupted by overloud tannoy announcements from Camping World Ltd. Due to the topography our property is within earshot of the tannoy at Camping World Ltd and we object to the proposed license on the grounds that music 7 days a week from 10am to 10pm will be a public nuisance and breach our entitlement to the quiet enjoyment of our home.

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> From:  
> Sent: 22 July 2016 17:25  
> To: Contact  
> Subject: Christmas Fantasia Event. camping World Site, Horsham  
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> Hallo,  
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> I have recently received notification of an event to be held at the Camping World Site in Hornbrook Park this winter from the 21st October to 29th January. Open from 10am to 10pm and to include a Ferris wheel, roller coaster and ice rink. As a resident of Kerves Lane I believe the noise from these activities could be extremely intrusive, a concern the organisers themselves recognise as a potential problem. I am also concerned that the event is advertised as family centred and yet the ice rink and bar will remain open until 10.00. I wonder if there is not a more suitable and perhaps less residential area for this to be staged?  
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> Yours faithfully  
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> Sent from my iPad  
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## Prevention of Public Nuisance

We live in [REDACTED]. We write to object in the strongest possible terms to the application for an Entertainments License that has been made by Camping World, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road Horsham RH13 6QA.

The request for an entertainment license to allow a skating rink to be used from 10am to 10pm for about 100 days, a bar and a Christmas Fantasia to run from the end of November to the beginning of January will create significant noise constituting a public nuisance to those of us living nearby. Currently we hear the PA system from Camping World very clearly indeed, and have done so consistently on weekends, though they have now finally responded to requests to turn it down, presumably because they have this application in place.

They propose to use 6 speakers for the rink and 6 speakers for the fantasia, so a total of 12 professional quality speakers. It seems highly unlikely that they will be playing the same music as we are told that the fantasia speakers will broadcast Christmas themed music, which is unlikely to be suitable for skating. The clear result will be that the volume of each system will need to be sufficiently loud to overcome the other and will therefore quite clearly be audible outside the facility and most particularly for those of us on the south of the site.

There is apparently no provision for any soundproofing to be constructed so we must only assume that the fact that we have been able to hear their existing PA system means we will hear this proposed system as well. The application requests that they be granted a licence for everyday of the week so exposing the surrounding residents to a non-stop barrage of noise abuse.

On match days the noise from the Horsham Football ground is clearly audible to us coming from a different direction, but that is only on match days and for no more than a couple of hours. Given we understand that Camping World is already advertising the facility as a venue for corporate and other social events, we must assume that above and beyond the noise from their sound system you must also add the people noise, particularly as a bar is being proposed as well. I believe that consistent noise above 45dB is grounds for a complaint and I would find it very hard to believe that the noise generated from this site will be less than 45dB.

We are also very surprised to find that both the Skating and Fantasia are already being advertised and bookings taken making it seem that the application for a licence has been already granted. Taking everything into consideration we ask that the Public Health & Licensing Department reject this application at the first instance on the grounds that it will constitute a Public Nuisance.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter. We believe that the Christmas Market in Horsham serves the surrounding community very well and adds a welcome and festive spirit to the Town Center. There is no need for a further Christmas Market creating a Public Nuisance to an existing residential area everyday of the week.

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From: Details Removed  
Sent: 17 July 2016 13:24  
To: PublicHealth.Licensing  
Cc: Boyle, Chris  
Subject: Prevention of Public Nuisance

Dear Mr Boyle,

We are writing to lodge an official objection to the request by Camping World for an Entertainment License based on the following Public Nuisance & Public Safety issues.

1. NOISE POLLUTION:

We already suffer from the PA system from this site which interrupts and disturbs our weekday and weekend days/afternoons. The announcements are heard clearly when we are using our garden and indoors if any window is open. Ourselves and all neighbours will thus be subjected to noise pollution for 12 hours a day on any day the events are planned. The number of events may also escalate. It is inevitable that the outlined winter events will escalate into summer and all year round events. Such increases in noise pollution are completely unacceptable and we all object to this application.

2. PUBLIC SAFETY:

The proposed activities will lead to high volumes of the public attending the events between 10am-10pm. The parking at the site is often full with the existing businesses. With events running into the night the car park has no streetlamp lighting and the mix of drivers in a dark car park, sale of alcohol and children and adults walking to the event is a significant hazard to public safety. The car park surface is essentially compacted rubble/stone with only the Hilliers car park at the front tarmaced. With pot holes and an uneven and unlit surface and again with access to alcohol also is a public safety issue. Reference to the protection of children from harm is also relevant here.

Please acknowledge receipt of this message.

Kind regards,

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> -----Original Message-----  
> From: Details Removed  
> Sent: 23 July 2016 13:23  
> To: PublicHealth.Licensing  
> Subject: Fwd: Christmas Fantasia Event. - Objection  
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>> We reside in Kerves Lane and would like to formally object to the above event on the following basis.  
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>> The event is described as a Christmas Fantasia Event however in part will run from the 21st of October until the 29th of January, we would hardly describe this a CHRISTMAS EVENT.  
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>> The proposed venue is in close proximity to local urban developments all of which will be affected by noise from the two sets of six speakers running from 10 in the morning until 10 pm. Aside from the speaker system there will undoubtedly be a tannoy system and noise from the equipment used to run the ice rink to add to the disturbance.  
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>> Although the original letter states that they do not expect any inconvenience to traffic or public nuisance caused by those attending the event we do not accept that this will be the case especially if alcohol is to be served in the Alpine umbrella bar.  
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>> Whilst we are happy to support local business and don't want to be a Christmas killjoy the proposed event will undoubtedly cause severe disruption to local residents especially those with young children for THREE MONTHS which in our view is totally unacceptable.  
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>> Regards  
  
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>> Sent from my iPad  
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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 26 July 2016 19:59  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Morris

Dear Mr Boyle,

Further to the above mentioned application for a license I am the developer of family homes nearby that are currently being marketed.

During the construction phase it was evident that some form of public address system is in use at the current Garden Centre for attracting the attention of staff given much of the retail activity is outdoors. As a result it is very audible within the new garden space for the housing and indeed indoors during the summer weather when windows might be open. I will raise this with your EHO colleagues in any event as this noise level occurs at present without the license for a Xmas Market and peripherals. But as a result of the current level of noise disturbance I feel I can comment with some certainty on the impact of the proposed stepping up in activity at the site.

Whilst I note the application includes references to audio systems pointing away from housing it is not clear the applicant is even aware of our new housing currently out to market. The application does not appear to include any detailed acoustic report that might otherwise provide some comfort that residents of the new homes would be unaffected. I am aware that long periods of excessive noise, that would class as a statutory noise nuisance, is addressed in other legislation but would prefer new residents of the homes to not need to resort to such action. To this end I OBJECT to the license unless satisfactory evidence is forthcoming to provide greater assurance on noise levels.

I would welcome an update please on the process from here so that I might engage further should the process allow.

Kindest

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> From: Details Removed  
> Sent: 25 July 2016 08:30  
> To: PublicHealth.Licensing  
> Subject: Premises Licence for Camping World Show Ground

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> Dear Sir

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> I am writing to object to the proposed Christmas Fantasia Event on the Camping World Site in Hornbrook Park.

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> My understanding is that the event is set to last for 100 days from Oct 21st 2016 to 29th January 2017. The event will be open for 11 or 12 hours per day. There will be an Ice Rink, Ferris Wheel, Roller Coaster, Santa's Grotto, Bar and a Christmas Market. There are set to be 6 speakers surrounding the Ice Rink and up to a further 6 surrounding the Christmas Market. All the speakers to be set up in the open air.

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> I believe that David Fearn is involved in both Camping World and Horsham Outdoor Events. Camping World have not proved to be a good neighbour to the residents near Camping World in recent years. Camping World have a PA system that they use most frequently on a Sunday. This system has been used as a source of information to their customers. Unfortunately it is a source of great irritation to local residents since it is played loud enough to be audible in surrounding houses particularly those South of the site. We are now informed that there could be up to 12 speakers on the site in part controlled by one of the Directors of Camping World who has in the past managed to create a nuisance with just one PA system. It is interesting to note that there has been a reduction in noise from the Camping World PA system since the Christmas Fantasia Event Licence Application. The only conclusion I can draw from that is Camping World knew that they were creating a nuisance but with a licence application in with the Council have cynically decided to stop the nuisance for a few weeks.

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> In addition to the noise from the speakers there will also be noise from the gathering of a large number of people. We quite clearly hear noise from the Horsham YMCA FC on match days. Horsham YMCA have matches once or twice a week and the duration of the noise is a couple of hours. The proposal from Horsham Outdoor Events is a nuisance that lasts 11/12 hours per day for 100 days! Horsham YMCA are about 3/4 of a mile from my house whereas the Camping World Site is around 200 yards of open land. Sound travels across this open land and my understanding is that the PA system can be heard a long way down Sedgwick Lane.

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> The Ice Rink is already being advertised on Facebook as if it is done deal. There is a price list and interestingly it is being touted that parties can be booked. This includes corporate events. Parties held outside with a bar suggest to me events that are not going to be quiet and will be a nuisance to residents. It is amazing that Outdoor Events are so confident that Horsham District Council will accept their proposals that they have even given out a price list.

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> Hornbrook Park may look a remote place because it is surrounded by trees. However trees do not deflect noise and there are people's homes in close proximity to the site. The area surrounding Hornbrook Park is residential. The proposal from Horsham Outdoor Events is not a benevolent selfless gesture, it is a commercial enterprise intended to profit the owners. There is of course nothing wrong with that providing it is not done at the expense of neighbouring home owners. With a new business comes the need to inject sufficient investment into the project. My understanding is that Horsham Outdoor Events have invested in the revenue generating part of the business but not in the part that will protect the surrounding community

from the impact of the event. I would suggest that effective sound proofing should be the bare minimum requirement. An effective barrier should be erected around the site to ensure NO leak of noise. Perhaps then even local residents can embrace the project. If Horsham Outdoor Events are serious about running what David Fearn and Suzanne Lane call "a Christmas event that serves the Horsham community and is embraced by everyone" then they need to act as a responsible business and not allow any noise nuisance to leak from the site. If not Horsham District Council should refuse the Licence.

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**Sent:** 26 July 2016 11:35  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Cc:**  
**Subject:**

**Licence Application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd.**

**Prevention of public nuisance.**

Dear Chris Boyle ,

Re: "Objection" for the application licence made by Horsham Outdoor Events LTD.,

I am making a formal objection to the application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd., for a premises licence to sell alcohol and provide regulated entertainment for Camping World Show Ground, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA.

All ready as a Sedgwick Lane Resident we have for some time suffered from the noise from this location on a regular basis for while from Camping World Ltd.

Now to introduce Retail sale of Alcohol, Monday to Sunday: 10hrs till 22.00 hours on daily basis and recorded music / live music Monday to Sunday: 10hrs till 22.00 hours

This would be totally unacceptable plus a prevention of nuisance issue.

Also must be a public nuisance breach of my entitlement to the quiet enjoyment of a Sedgwick Lane resident.

We don't need another Glastonbury type location in this area which is what the residents of Sedgwick Lane are really worried about.

Your Sincerely

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 18 July 2016 20:14  
**To:** PublicHealth.Licensing  
**Subject:** Prevention of Public Nuisance

Dear Sirs

It has been brought to our attention that Camping World on Brighton Road have applied for an Entertainment License to extend its current activities.

We wish to object to this application on the grounds of public nuisance.

As residents of Kerves Lane, we are very concerned about the noise which will be generated. We can already hear announcements from the current PA system notwithstanding the distance of the site from our property and we will be adversely affected by the use of the additional speakers over the proposed extended period.

Yours faithfully

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 25 July 2016 15:39  
**To:** Boyle, Chris  
**Subject:** Christmas Fantasia event at Camping World

For the Attention of:  
HDC Licensing Officer Chris Boyle

*I am making a formal objection to the application by Horsham Outdoor Events Ltd for a premises licence to sell alcohol and provide regulated entertainment for Camping World Show Ground, Hornbrook Park, Brighton Road, RH13 6QA.*

*For the last few years I have suffered from the tannoy announcements from Camping World Ltd and I have emailed the company in an attempt to have the nuisance reduced but they have replied to say they are unable to do anything about it.*

*I have had my own recording studio for the last 30 years which is run from a building in my garden and I also make some ambient recordings outside. Neither of these have been possible at weekends because of the tannoy announcements (which have included such things as special offers on porta potties!).*

*I object to the proposed license on the grounds music 7 days a week from 10am to 10pm will be a **public nuisance**, breach my entitlement to the quiet enjoyment of my home and running my business.*

*Regards*

[REDACTED]