

BANANA LEAF Indian BETHEL ROAD

Application for Licence for Live Music & Dancing until 12.00 Midnight

The Indian restaurant is applying for an extension to their Licence to allow live music & dancing until 11 pm on Mondays to Thursdays and 12 midnight on Fridays & Saturdays. Currently they must finish music at 10.00 pm to prevent noise disturbance to neighbours.

The Licence application will be decided at the Council Offices at 10.00 am on Monday 8th February. A crowd can help to demonstrate concerns.

*Incredibly the Licensing Committee are currently not able to listen to local residents as a Notice was displayed on the premises from 18th December to 14th January & residents should have objected then. **I did not see it! Did you?***

Your local Town Councillors (Pam Walshe, Tony Clayton & Sue Camp) arranged for an objection and therefore the only way your comments can be heard on 8th February is via the Town Council

Can you please therefore repeat or copy any objections to

council@sevenoakstown.gov.uk, cllr.walshe@sevenoakstown.gov.uk,
cllr.clayton@sevenoakstown.gov.uk and cllr.camp@sevenoakstown.gov.uk

In this way, the Town Council will understand the level of concern of local residents & be able to speak out at the Licensing Committee meeting on February 8th. Please quote application number 09/00768/PRETR3. The Town Council office number is (01732) 459953

Valid objections can concern Prevention of Public Nuisance, Public Safety, Prevention of Crime & Disorder and Protection of Children from Harm. The extension of the Licence could result in Noise, Nuisance & potentially Crime & Disorder as we have seen in the past.

You might like to copy to the Licensing committee members just so they know your thoughts cllr.orrige@sevenoaks.gov.uk,
cllr.parkin@sevenoaks.gov.uk and cllr.pett@sevenoaks.gov.uk

BANANA LEAF MUSIC LICENCE EXTENSION PLUS DANCING

You may not be aware but the Indian is applying for a Licence to extend their live & recorded music Licence from 10 pm to 12 Midnight on Friday & Saturday and 11 pm every other night of the week. They also want to add dancing to the Licence.

The Licence hearing is on 8th February at 10.00 am at the District Council offices. If you wish to object to this proposal you will have to move quickly now.

The Environmental Health officer dealing with this is a Charles Hook on (01732) 227000. charles.hook@sevenoaks.gov.uk His boss is Kristen Paterson on the same telephone number and on kristen.paterson@sevenoaks.gov.uk

The three Councillors deciding on this application are cllr.pett@sevenoaks.gov.uk and on 01474 872650, cllr.parkin@sevenoaks.gov.uk and on 01474 879425 and cllr.orrIDGE@sevenoaks.gov.uk and on 01732 863672. (None of them are local to Sevenoaks so they need local input)

You may recall that when this was a pub, late music caused significant nuisance. If you object to it re-starting, please contact some or all of these people.

I did not see a Notice attached to the building advertising this proposed change – did you ?