

Islwyn Road
Wattsville
Crosskeys
NP11 7QH

Dear Sirs

A small questionnaire to determine how many “Yes” answers you can provide

1. Would you like constant traffic behind your house with parking directly outside your back gate preventing any visitors access?
2. Would you like drunken behaviour directly behind your residence in what is really a private lane?
3. Would you like to hear loud music blaring at night when you’ve gone to bed early for the purpose of having to start early the next morning?
4. Would you like to go out through your back gate at night because of boozed up people?
5. Would you like to sit in your garden in the summer evening listening to loud music and noise coming from close by?
6. Would you like every weekend to be a bloody living nightmare?
7. Would you like the smell of barbeque wafting over your gates onto your washing?
8. Would you like to receive a load of abuse because you politely asked someone to move their car from your gate because it is the only access for your 80-year-old mother? Or because of loud noise?
9. Would you like your dog to be constantly barking because of noise?
10. Would you enjoy anti-social behaviour being directly outside your garden something I had hoped would never again be experienced following the closure of the Jubilee Club?
11. Would you like a whole crowd of people who are not from your village trashing your whole piece and quite in a place that was never intended for social entertainment?

If your answers were “Yes” then forgiving my writing. However, in all honestly, I suspect you were completely non-plussed. However my answers were all in the negative yet it appears that the powers that be give little thought to the villagers whose lives will be intruded upon should the so called “Wattsville Football Club” be granted extended allowances to their agreed licence, to the club house behind

Islwyn Road. No consideration whatsoever appears to be given to those who live in the area, and as for the club's request to extend closing times on certain holiday periods – it's a totally slap in the face. These people are outsiders - NOT villagers. It would appear this was their game plan all along and somebody has the wherewithal to pass it. I am sure we will all be seeking rate reviews along with police intervention if you agree to these new requests by these inconsiderate people. The venue is way too close to occupied houses to be granted a licence for live music. I have played in bands and know too well how loud these events are. This item should most certainly be off the agenda – It is not of benefit to the villagers **at all!!**

In the event that you hadn't already surmised – this is a letter of strong and definite complaint as it is my house which would be one of those most certainly affected.

P.S. Notices were put up in the village advising non-facebook users to read a notice put up on the pavilion gate (again not in full public view). These have been taken down so not everyone in the village will be aware – just as last time.

In addition I will also add, the club has already set out 16 benches and seats in the outside area in the full knowledge that these additional requests will be granted by your committee with no thought at all going to the close by residents whose peace and privacy appears not to matter- as does the parking issues.

YET AGAIN!! NOTICE ON GATE IS NOT IN A PROMINENT POSITION and can only be seen by club users. Also, we do **NOT** have a village newspaper so residents will NOT see this info as was the case in previous application – **ALL DONE BEHIND OUR BACKS**