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Public Health representation relation to:

**APPLICATION FOR A NEW PREMISES LICENCE –
KRANKBROTHER, FINSBURY PARK, N4 1EE**

Dates: 6th, 7th, 13th & 14th August 2022

Regulated Entertainment: Films, Live Music, Recorded Music & Performance of Dance

Friday to Saturday	1300 to 2200 hours
Sunday	1300 to 2130 hours

Supply of Alcohol

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Supply of alcohol **ON** the premises.

Hours open to Public

Friday to Saturday	1300 to 2200 hours
Sunday	1300 to 2130 hours

As a representative of the Director of Public Health we act as the responsible authority under the Licensing Act 2003 and would like to make a representation regarding the application for a new premises license.

Public Health has specific concerns around the provision of alcohol being served in the park and its impact on the following licensing objectives:

- Public Safety
- Protecting Children from Harm

Public Safety and Protecting Children from Harm:

There will be many children and families accessing the park in the summer period, visitors may leave the designated event space and access other parts of the park. The applicant must be aware there can be potential risk. As a result, this may raise safeguarding issues as well as increasing the likelihood of anti-social behaviour and other incidents. We will be seeing an increase in the number of visitors in the park and the event itself will generate even more people into the area.

Event Safety Management Plan Comments

- Where in the park is the event being located?
- We would like the applicant to submit a map of the event area in relation to the rest of Finsbury Park.
- 32. Accessibility states the wheelchair accessible toilets will be provided at each of the toilet blocks with an additional and wheelchair accessible toilet being provided at each of the medical post. We would like the applicant to provide the number of accessible toilets available.
- Risk assessment – high rating for food hygiene accreditation to be considered in food catering.
- We are unable to assess 5.1 Historic Casualty Data as the information and data was not supplied.
- Details on the locations for free drinking water – high temperatures can lead to dehydration, heat exhaustion and harm, all made worse by the use of alcohol.
- Details on the location of welfare points as mentioned in the risk assessment.

Recommendation

Public Health could not make a full assessment of the application as further documents have not been provided for review. This includes COVID-19 Management Plan, Noise Management Plan and Adverse Weather Plan.

IF APPLICABLE NEARER TO THE TIME OF THE EVENT, we would expect the applicant to submit a full robust covid-19 management plan and if restrictions are still in place and/or enhanced, a SAG meeting arranged to discuss the plan.

Due to the event being based in a park, we recommend the following conditions to be attached and considerations to be agreed to in the Event Safety Management Plan:

1. Develop an organisation safeguarding policy including adult safeguarding. This includes managers and staff to complete safeguarding training, a named safeguarding lead, who has knowledge of local reporting procedure and support services available and develop a reporting mechanism within their organisation. Designated staff should be trained in Mental Health First Aid. Organisation must have knowledge on local safeguarding reporting procedures. More details in the link: <https://www.haringey.gov.uk/social-care-and-health/safeguarding-adults>
2. Staff training in WAVE and Implementing Ask for Angela. <https://www.safersounds.org.uk/wave>
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Further materials and support in relation to WAVE training & Ask For Angela material can be accessed at the link above. Given the current climate we would strongly urge you to encourage to undertake WAVE training. The safety initiative 'Ask for Angela' is being rolled out to bars, clubs and other licensed businesses across London. People who feel unsafe, vulnerable or threatened can discreetly seek help by approaching festival staff and asking them for 'Angela'. This code-phrase will indicate to staff that they require help with their situation and a trained member of staff will then look to support and assist them. This might be through reuniting them with a friend, seeing them to a taxi, or by calling venue security and/or the police. Find out more: <https://www.met.police.uk/AskforAngela>

3. Drink spiking and date rape - drugs has increased and despite the measures your organisation is taking to check and eliminate drugs, we feel strongly that staff and relevant contractors you are using needs further training to look out for the signs and symptoms of people who may have had their drinks spiked or other date rape drugs used and also the possible perpetrators. In terms of addressing the matter directly, the 'Drinkaware' website below offers some helpful information around symptoms, prevention and aftercare. <https://www.drinkaware.co.uk/advice/staying-safe-while-drinking/drink-spiking-and-date-rape-drugs>
4. We encourage harm reduction messaging (e.g., social media channels, website, billboards etc) to begin before the event takes place and provide information about onsite support and safer behaviour. Messaging should be tailored to the event and its audience and updated to reflect changing patterns of drug use.
5. Management of those under the influence of drugs or alcohol – All staff should have been trained to recognise and respond to drug and alcohol related harm or distress. The safety of anyone under the influence of drink or drugs must be at the forefront of any consideration about whether to remove them from the event. It may be more appropriate and less risky to move them to the welfare or onsite medical area. Anyone who presents with signs of a serious drug-related illness, including those with severe agitation or behavioural issues, should be transferred as quickly and safely as possible to the onsite medical area for assessment. Festival Safe website, supported by RSPH, www.festivalsafe.com/information/drugs-alcohol.
6. Develop an organisation Modern Slavery Policy. This includes, but not limited to identifying and risk mitigation procedures, staff training, to minimise the risk of modern slavery and human trafficking across all organisations operations.
7. Access to drinking water – plentiful water needs to be made available without long queuing in direct sunlight. Consider overheating and include Cool Spaces in the Adverse Weather Plan – <https://www.london.gov.uk/what-we-do/environment/climate-change/climate-adaptation/cool-spaces> Shaded and sheltered areas form the sun or heat should also be available alongside other cooling measures. These areas should be away from busy areas and alcohol sales points and overseen by event security.

Below are further conditions to be attached to minimise any potential harm to our residents:

- High strength alcohol sale restriction: no super-strength beer, lagers or ciders of 6.5% ABV (alcohol by volume) or above shall be sold at the premises
- No irresponsible sales / promotion of super-strength alcohol (above 6.5% ABV) and single cans (i.e., buy one get one free) OR there shall be no promotional sales of alcohol at the premises where alcohol is sold at a price lower than that at which the same or similar alcoholic drinks are sold, or usually sold, on the premises
- All staff shall be trained in recognising signs of drunkenness, how to refuse service and the premises duty of care.
- The premises shall display prominent signage indicating that it is an offence to sell alcohol to anyone who is drunk.
- Ensuring there are sufficient bins within the event space so litter can be discarded appropriately as the consumption of alcohol and discarding of cups/cans outside of the area causes a nuisance to residents, people and families who live near or visit the park.

Protecting children from harm

- The refusals log shall be made available for inspection upon request by the licensing team, police or trading standards.