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Dear Sirs

I am writing to support the application for an extension to the licence for Shaw Cricket Club.

At the outset I must say that I have the utmost respect for the neighbours surrounding the Club and I am sensitive to any possible concerns they may reasonably hold in relation to the application.

I hope that some of those concerns may be allayed by considering the positive impact the newly refurbished venue would have for the Shaw community.

Having the venue available for events that naturally conclude later, such as weddings and other social gatherings including charitable events will be a real force for good.

The Shaw community and the Club have always been very family focussed and allowing these events will help maintain that focus, whilst keeping the local economy thriving and allowing events to be held inside our area and meaning people do not need to travel further afield.

The Club is an integral part of our community, attracting young people whilst maintaining famial links we want to continue through the generations. The income generated through functions allows the Club to provide facilities for children's summer camps and to invest in expansion of the cricket to include women's teams and tournaments.

The functions will all be subject to strict monitoring with a member of the Committee in attendance at every event. There will be severe financial penalties and further action against anyone engaging in any anti- social behaviour either within the Club or surrounding area. Events will not be open to all without due regard to the safety, enjoyment and quality of life for everyone, including local neighbours.

The Club has co-existed with nearby residents

for many years and there is nothing to suggest this extension will damage that relationship.

As with other licences if there are any issues we are confident in our willingness to deal with these in a sensible and constructive manner and in a way that reassures the local populace.

Finally, Shaw Cricket Club is a family centered one who want to bring on the next generation to hold the same values we all believe in, namely tolerance, fairness, inclusivity and a willingness to work to help the community thrive.

This extension will help us to maintain these values and the aspirations of the young children we are privileged to be involved with

Thank you for your considerations.

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