

Application supporters list

Supporter 1:

From: >

Sent: Sunday, September 15, 2024 7:50 PM

To: Licensing <Licensing@lewisham.gov.uk>

Subject: Blackheath Creatives Pop-Up Licensing Application

Dear Sir,

I am emailing you to provide my strong support for the Licensing Application submitted by Blackheath Creatives Pop-Up.

The team at the Pop-Up have created the first truly community space I have known in my 15 years living in Blackheath, and that it something which we must sustain. I have read their application carefully and I am convinced that it will further add to the development of a community atmosphere. Futhermore, they have a track record of responding sensitively to the local community and so I believe that any concerns from those living nearby will be managed in a similar way. It is not so long ago that Mordens (opposite the Pop-Up) was a nightclub with queues until 2am, so I believe any local impact from granting the Pop-Up a licence will be non-existent.

I would grateful if you could therefore grant the Pop-Up its alcohol licence to allow this precious community space to continue to thrive.

Many thanks,

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Supporter 2:

From: >

Sent: Saturday, September 21, 2024 8:57 PM

To: Obazee, Kennedy <kennedy.obazee@lewisham.gov.uk>

Subject: Re: New Premises Licence Application: Blackheath Creatives, 16 – 18 Montpelier Vale, London, SE3 0TA

Many thanks for this. I support the revised application

On Sat, 21 Sept 2024, 19:59 Obazee, Kennedy,
<kennedy.obazee@lewisham.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear Sir/Madam,

Following the recent development regarding the application for a new premises licence relating to Blackheath Creatives at 16 – 18 Montpellier Vale, SE3 0TA, as you have submitted a statement supporting the application, this is to inform you that the previous application was made void on 6th September 2024. A new application with amendments to the days and hours of licensable activities was resubmitted on 9th September 2024. The new application seeks the following:

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13:00 – 22:00 Saturday

12:00 – 21 Sunday

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The last day for consultation for this new resubmitted application is 7th October 2024.

Because of the above, your application supporting statement was actually considered against the previous application, which is now void. Please take a look at the attached redacted application form for the newly submitted application. If you wish to support this application, please do so within the current consultation period.

Kind regards

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Supporter 3:

From: >

Sent: Monday, September 23, 2024 8:48 AM

To: Obazee, Kennedy <kennedy.obazee@lewisham.gov.uk>

Subject: Re: New Premises Licence Application: Blackheath Creatives, 16 – 18 Montpelier Vale, London, SE3 0TA

Thank you Kennedy, much appreciated.

Can you please register my support for this new application. I believe it will be a community asset, and a different type of offer to the other venues in Blackheath.

Many thanks,

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Sent: Monday, September 23, 2024 11:14 PM

To: Obazee, Kennedy <kennedy.obazee@lewisham.gov.uk>

Subject: Re: New Premises Licence Application: Blackheath Creatives, 16 – 18 Montpellier Vale, London, SE3 0TA

Hi,

I am happy to say that I still support this application, with the detailed amendment.

Kind regards

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Supporter 5:

From:

Sent: Wednesday, September 25, 2024 2:09 PM

To: Licensing <Licensing@lewisham.gov.uk>; Obazee, Kennedy <kennedy.obazee@lewisham.gov.uk>

Subject: New Premises Licence - Blackheath Creatives

Good Afternoon.

I am writing regarding the updated application for a New/Variation of Premises Licence by Claire Mary Swindale for the Blackheath Creatives shop at 16-18 Montpelier Vale, SE3 0TA, made on September 9th 2024.

I would still like to express my support for this application. I previously wrote the following, and would like this to stand for the new application ending October 7th:

Blackheath Creatives have, in my opinion, been a force for good in the Village. In an increasingly homogenised high street landscape, Blackheath Creatives bring a splash of colour and yes, creativity, to Blackheath which is sadly lacking in other local centres. (Greenwich and Woolwich have sadly lost the ArtFix cafes which provided a similar role, due in part to a lack of support from Greenwich Council, though I realise this is not your jurisdiction!)

BHC support local artists and musicians, and bring some much-needed individuality to the area. I've lived in this area for 25 years, (currently Charlton) and we've gradually lost so many independent shops and cafes. You only have to look at the once vibrant and interesting Greenwich town centre to see everything aimed at day trippers - more bubble tea, anyone? I feel Blackheath Village retains a far more

interesting and attractive mix of premises, and this application would allow BHC to continue to enhance that.

I do understand the point of view of those who fear increased noise from the venue, but I presume the requested time limits are for flexibility with what they can offer, and not so they can run a 24 hour club! I currently live on a main road next to a bus stop served by two night bus routes. I feel some degree of noise is the price one pays for living in a cultural centre rather than some rural idyll.

In short, I would love to see this application given the go-ahead. If I need to declare an interest, I would say that both I and my daughter have exhibited and worked in the shop, hence I would love to see it continue to thrive. I feel that by granting this licence, the council would show their ongoing, and welcome, support for small local business which is always necessary, and ever harder to find.

If there is anything further I need to add for this to stand, do please let me know,

Yours very sincerely,