

## History of visits to the premises by the Night Time Economy Team

Date	Time	Notes
13/10/2013	03:01 NTE Visit	Drove by 03:01hrs. SIA o/s premises, premises appears to be used for licensable activities - to be put on list for w'end with police
29/03/2014	20:15 NTE Visit	Visited premises with MB from TS. The venue was preparing for an event, with 8 security staff, 6 male and 2 female. Person in charge of the venue is [REDACTED] of [REDACTED], Tel: [REDACTED]. The [REDACTED] stated he was in overall control of the venue and that it was an exempt building as it was a church so didn't need a licence. I informed the Rev that he needed an authorisation from the Council to sell alcohol on the premises. It has been hired by [REDACTED] of [REDACTED], Tel: [REDACTED] & [REDACTED]. He paid £2800 for the hire of the venue. A concert was to be held, [REDACTED] (photos taken of flyer). Alcohol was on the premises, whisky, beer, wine, soft drinks, ice and plastic cups (photos taken). BAH security was employed to provide security for the event, all SIA registered and signed in (photos taken). Advised that all alcohol be removed from the premises before opening as there was no authorisation in place. I left the venue at 21:20.
30/03/2014	04:05 NTE Visit	Revisit to premises. No alcohol being served, no alcohol stored in the bar area. Some alcohol on the tables, security stated that it was brought in by the patrons. Attendance peaked at 535 with 60 having left.
12/04/2014	21:46 NTE Visit	Drove past, SIA posted outside, investigate further. Parked 50m away and can hear heavy African drum beat from music at premises. Dog outside premises; FRC wants to come back later with police.
13/04/2014	03:04 NTE Visit	Arrived in police van - could hear very loud African music. 4 x SIA outside, a Nigerian event. A Nigerian man called [REDACTED] said he was responsible. Music blaring and we could see alcohol inside. Lots of drunk people around. Sign inside says 'Welcome to River of Life Centre' for all your social events (Weddings, Parties, Conferences, Concerts, etc) to book this hall please call [REDACTED]. FRC took photos which can be found on g: under NTE team logs and photos.
18/04/2014	23:55 NTE Visit	18/ 4/2014 23:55 FRC, tonight it is being used as church people arriving all dressed up, door open of premises could see people standing up.
02/05/2014	22:30 NTE Visit	No sign of activity atov
17/05/2014	10:54 NTE Visit,	17/ 5/2014 FRC parking congestion on both sides of road, parallel parking could not get in or out. Seen lots of people all dressed up going to the River of life centre. party going on in the church
25/05/2014	00:12 NTE Visit	25/ 5/2014 00:12 FRC Some sort of party, seen a group of SIA staff all men dressed in. Black meeting outside church, very suspicious party at 12-38 hatcham road
14/06/2014	00:11 NTE Visit	14/ 6/2014 00:11 FRC open, party going on, no SIA on doors tonight.
22/06/2014	1:49 NTE Visit	22/ 6/2014 1:49 FRC While in the Police van we received a call on the radio that someone had been glassed at the River of Life Centre, Hatcham Road SE15. I requested to attend scene, however some other Police team attended the scene. Police took a break and went to some other place instead.
22/06/2014	3:08 NTE Visit	22/ 6/2014 visit to check on premsies, lots of people outside dressed in traditional african clothes, police did not go inside.
28/06/2014	00:30 NTE Visit	28/ 6/2014 00:30 WJM Visit to premises with [REDACTED] (AXB) re' alleged glassing at the premises. The lobby doors to the premises were open. We entered the lobby and could hear a (loud) full evangelical service taking place. There was nobody in the lobby area. I looked through a gap in between the lobby doors leading to the hall area where the service was taking place and noted that the service was very well attended. As we did not want to interrupt a church service we decided not to enter the hall where the service was taking place. As there was also no one in the lobby to assist us we left.
29/06/2014	2:59 NTE Visit	29/ 6/2014 2:59 FRC people leaving now after a party, had a TENS tonight. Can hear music bass still playing.
20/07/2014	02:29 NTE Visit	Hatcham Rd completely blocked to traffic due to poor parking by church goers.

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26/07/2014	02:49 NTE Visit	Due to bad parking, we could not drive down Hatcham Rd, area seemed very busy
26/07/2014	21:17 NTE Visit	Persons entering premises, road passable.
03/08/2014	00:24 NTE Visit	Closed ATOV
16/08/2014	02:55 NTE Visit	Premises in operation atov, did not enter premises. Very few cars in the road o/s, no other issues in the area. Unusually quiet for the time of night.
23/08/2014	20:38 NTE Visit	FRC no activity all quiet at the moment, also driven past Penarth Street and Gilbert Deya Ministries all quiet. [REDACTED] called police at 21:53 No answer will try later.
12/10/2014	02:02 NTE Visit	premises operating, bad parking in street
22/11/2014	02:05 NTE Visit	MAD & RF. Premises closed atov. Whole area quiet.
23/11/2014	02:25 NTE Visit	MAD & SH. Premises closed atov.
24/01/2015	02:43 NTE Visit	Event taking place, SIA present. Appears to be an urban event.
31/01/2015	23:42 NTE Visit	Premises open, some patrons entering, no music audible, parking getting busy, difficult driving down Hatcham Road due to vehicles on both sides of the road. Notified Police to check later in the evening.
28/02/2015	23:55 NTE Visit	Visited the premises with [REDACTED]. 3 stage SIA search in place/Latino event. Search at entrance / search in corridor and a further search before being let into the dancehall. Entered the premises with the promoter who walked us around. Promoter was a [REDACTED] and his business partner was [REDACTED]. [REDACTED]. Noted that there was sales of alcohol as well as amplified music and dancing and I observed at least 4 sales of alcohol take place within the venue. When we left the premises outside there was a uniformed officer who advised us that he was detailed with ensuring that no one broke into 3 Penarth Centre. I confirmed that I had been past the premises and that all looked fine. I asked the officer if he could come with me as I believed that number 22 had been broken into on Hatcham Road and some kind of event was taking place. The officer accompanied myself and [REDACTED] and we entered into the venue and I observed a film being projected on a wall. The film appeared to be a film the students had made themselves. Requested to speak to the event organiser and a young lady in her early 20's identified herself to me and said that it was just a private party and that they were not selling any alcohol that people had brought their own drinks. Advised that I wanted to take some contact details just in case there were any issues later on we would need to know who to contact. I was given the event organiser names as [REDACTED] / [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. I was shown evidence of a council tax bill with reference [REDACTED]
19/04/2015	2:53 NTE Visit	19/ 4/2015 2:53 FRC people arriving cars parked on both side of the road, congested roads
01/05/2015	22:34 NTE Visit	1/ 5/2015 22:34 FRC closed shutters down and no activity also no cars parked outside on the road. I called NTE police to inform them as they were due to come down and meet us here.
30/05/2015	20:30 NTE Visit	30/ 5/2015 20:30 FRC Met Police at the river of life centre, met Sgt Keith Dempster and PC Ken Speeding and PC Tom Letts. They said they received reports of a rave happening via a twitter and instagram accounts. The Rave planned at Hatcham Road, they were not sure which building but had three addresses. They said it could be potentially held at "The River of Life Centre", "Destiny Church, unit 31 Penarth Centre" or "Unit 3 Penarth Centre". The Police consulted us and had draft closure notices which they wanted us to complete, Police spoke to The River of Life Centre and they were informed it was a church event. We seen lots of people arriving and food arriving it did not look like a rave. We also checked unit 3 which was closed and unit 31 was also closed at the time of our visit. Later that night we returned to Hatcham Road, it appears the reports the Police had was false there was no Rave taking place and Police had also left.
12/06/2015	00:40 NTE Visit	Hatcham rd busy with cars, unable to drive down due to parking problems. Patrons entering the premises, no music audible.
20/06/2015	22:38 NTE Visit	Visit to River of Life with Justin Miller walk around and general observations of area no activity taking place ATOV.

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12/07/2015	02:36 NTE Visit	With [REDACTED]. Hatcham rd area – traffic chaos, cars EVERYWHERE. People going to River of Life, dressed for clubbing, certainly not a church event. Carloads of people turning up. As we only had Sgt Dempster we did not visit.
23/08/2015	01:56 NTE Visit	With [REDACTED]. We walked down to River of Life. Big event going on, bass heavy African LAM can be heard from a considerable distance, at least a block away. As we walked down Hatcham Rd towards Manor Estate a man I know to be [REDACTED] said 'Hello [REDACTED]' – it is the man from [REDACTED] who we had spoken to earlier at his premises. He said he was there for a 'community party' (no mention of any 'church' event). It is likely to be a Sierra Leonean event
29/08/2015	1:49 NTE Visit	1/ 9/2015 FRC01.44 – River of Life Centre, 12-36 Hatcham Road – all quiet parking very bad on the road, both sides cars parked and difficult to get through.
29/08/2015	23:56 NTE Visit	23.56 – River of Life Centre, 12-36 Hatcham Road – Wedding party, 4 patrons outside very busy with double parking on Hatcham Road. Music from premises audible at Junction of Manor Grove and Hatcham Road near Tustin Estate – no TENS for tonight.
06/09/2015	2:58 NTE Visit	6/ 9/2015 2:58 FRC cars have all gone now there were cars parked on both sides of the road there is an event tonight. Still some people outside, people are slowly leaving the premises Seen entering into cars. No Music audible now.
10/10/2015	00:55 NTE Visit	10/10/2015 00:55 JMT & KVD SHADOWED BY CLLR HAMVAS 10/10/2015 00:55 JMT & KVD SHADOWED BY CLLR HAMVAS Was about to do a revisit at New Kent Road General Store, when I received a call from the NTET police at 00:45 to tell me that they were at the river of life and that an event was taking place. I said that we would make our way there straight away. We arrived at 00:55hours and Met with PC Stuart Wythe and several specials. There was an event going on and Stuart told me it was awake. The Security on the door told me his name was [REDACTED] tel [REDACTED]. He said that it was the anniversary of someone that had died. A booklet had been printed with regards to the 'wake'. Stuart confirmed that he had been inside and that no licensable activities were taking place. I said that I also wanted to have a look. Myself, kvd and Cllr Hamvas all followed [REDACTED] into the premises. I checked at the back area where food was being served, there were also drinks in crates and packaging at the back of this area. There was no sign of anyone paying for the food or the drink. LAM was being played it had it was African beat type of music. Nearly everyone in the premises was seated at tables and eating and drinking. The people were in their best African dress and very smart. I asked [REDACTED] to walk us to the front area and I could see a large picture of the person that has died (which was the same as that on the booklet that Stuart had)When we left the premises I told Peter miller that if both of the doors were closed then he would avoid noise complaints. I said he need to keep control of the door to make sure that when one opens the other needs to be shut to prevent noise escaping and causing a Nuisance to surrounding residents. He said that he would do so. I said that I would pass his details on to the noise team, in case any noise complaints were received. Stuart spoke to them about the parked cars that had been blocking the road when he had arrived. He told them that the vehicles would prevent access to the emergency services if needed. Mr Miller said that he will address this in the future. I called the NT and asked the call centre to get a NT officer to call me back. ALEX QUAYE called me back and I gave him an update and Mr [REDACTED] contact number. Alex confirmed that they had not received any complaints as yet. As we were walking back to our vehicle, there were 2 young men on their mobiles and I heard one of them say' I have to go now as I have to get back to my aunties party'

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11/10/2015	00:27 NTE Visit	11/10/2015 00:27 WJM Monitoring of Manor Grove area with Ken Dale (KD). We drove around Penarth Street, Hatcham Road, Ilderton Road, Ormside Street, Manor Grove and Record Street and observed the following: The area was quiet except for River of Life which was being used for a religious service with families in attendance, young and old people were dressed in suits or 'traditional' African clothing, some people appeared to be in religious attire. There wasn't any sound escape from R.O.L at that time. We noted people taking trays of food in. All other premises appeared to be shut as their doors were closed, nobody was queuing to get in and no sound escape could be heard from other premises. On Hatcham Road cars were parked the entire length of the street on both sides of the road. There was also heavy car parking on Manor Grove. We didn't notice any groups of people congregating or arriving in the area while we were there and witnessed no noise from car stereos, people noise or ASB.
17/10/2015	00:15 NTE Visit	17/10/2015 00:15 FRC Has an event on tonight, lots of people dressed up going inside. They are not wearing traditional African clothes this appears like a club or function on tonight. Lots of barriers in place and signs outside on hatcham road on the barriers stating NO PARKING, road looks fairly empty, not congested like it is usually. No music audible from outside the venue. Driven past ormside street and Penarth centre looks all quiet no music audible at present.
17/10/2015	1:26 NTE Visit	17/10/2015 1:26 FRC Called police asked us to visit River of Life centre and take photographs of the No parking sign we seen, we visited and took photos. Keith Dempster said that River of Life had some stabbings few weeks ago and they are not allowed to have any events as they do not have planning permission for this. To send photos to Keith on Monday.
17/10/2015	1:27 NTE Visit	Shut ATOV
23/10/2015	20:35 NTE Visit	23/10/2015 20:35 FRC closed shutters down
24/10/2015	00:51 NTE Visit	closed no activity
24/10/2015	20:57 NTE Visit	24/10/2015 20:57 FRC premises open lots of cars parked some event people dressed up going inside the premises.
24/10/2015	23:40 NTE Visit	24/10/2015 23:40 FRC visited with Police Stu Wythe and Justin Miller, as we entered Police officers had hostility from door staff. We went there with Police and PC Stu Wythe had a bit of a scuffle with door staff they obstructed us from going inside. There were approximately 400-500 people inside there was a Church party celebrating 10 years, there were lots of Alcohol and food on the tables, also DJ playing loud music. We did not see the organiser or [REDACTED] they were not available. Later a man came to see us who was the usual SIA door man, and apologised for the behaviour of the first door staff. It was Amazing Grace Association UK 10 year party a banner was displayed. I took some photos of the inside of the river of life centre.
07/11/2015	00:01 NTE Visit	7/11/2015 00:01 FRC doors open staff taking delivery a van is parked outside, no party on tonight. No parked cars outside and no public seen, no music all quiet.
07/11/2015	21:41 NTE Visit	7/11/2015 21:41 FRC closed shutters down, no activity, not many cars parked outside tonight.
21/11/2015	20:05 NTE Visit	21/11/2015 20:05 FRC closed at time of visit
21/11/2015	23:54 NTE Visit	21/11/2015 23:54 FRC premises open doors were open, door staff were outside informed NTE police, Stu Wythe said he would do a visit later.
22/11/2015	2:25 NTE Visit	22/11/2015 2:25 FRC driven past River of life centre with the Police at 2:25hrs they were open had a party "liberian Mandingo association" party police did not go inside as they were closing we seen door staff outside.
02/01/2016	21:44 NTE Visit	2/ 1/2016 21:44 FRC closed atov