

The Village of Bible Hill

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Bar Service Policy

This agreement shall be between the Village of Bible Hill, the Bible Hill Volunteer Fire Brigade and the person(s) responsible for securing a Liquor License.

The above named partners support the responsible service and consumption of alcoholic beverages in compliance with the liquor laws of the Province of Nova Scotia. A responsible beverage service policy is in place for the protection of the staff, guests and general public.

Objectives to achieve this statement are:

1. Comply with all aspects of the Nova Scotia Alcohol Gaming Authority Liquor Regulations or any replacement body.
2. It is the intent to have at least one staff member on duty that is trained in the "Serve Right" Responsible Beverage Service Policy and procedures program as offered by the tourism industry association of Nova Scotia. 2 bartenders and at least one other staff member will be on duty at all times. The Bible Hill Volunteer Fire Brigade will provide adequate security at all functions.
3. We will apply this training to deal with all aspects of all alcoholic beverages in a responsible manner using good judgment and common sense as well as acquired skills.
4. Ensure that the holder of the Liquor License is the person(s) that rents the hall from the Village of Bible Hill. The Bible Hill Volunteer Fire Brigade shall not sub-rent the hall to the holder of the Liquor License.

Standards of Service

1. Alcoholic beverages will not be served to the following persons;
 - A. Anyone who cannot show acceptable proof of attaining the age of 19 years (drivers license or other government photo ID).
 - B. Anyone showing physical or mental signs of intoxication.
 - C. Anyone who has been barred.

2. Anyone attempting to enter the premises already intoxicated will be denied access.
3. We visibly stock and promote alternative beverages.
4. All available means will be applied to prevent the intoxication of patrons i.e.: offering non-alcoholic alternatives, spacing of drinks. If a patron becomes intoxicated, service will cease in the most quiet, reasonable and polite manner possible. If a designated driver is not available a taxi will be called at the patron's expense. If the patron refuses to leave or insists on driving inform them you are required to call the police. If after 5 minutes, the patron still refuses to leave (or still insists on driving) call the police.
5. Any person found supplying alcohol to anyone after service has been disallowed will be refused service and asked to leave.
6. Any person who becomes a nuisance, excessively loud or exhibits disruptive behavior will be asked to stop. If this continues, they will be asked to leave. At the discretion of the Bible Hill Volunteer Fire Brigade persons may be bared.
7. The Bible Hill Fire Brigade reserves the right to close the bar at any time for any reason seen reasonable and necessary.
8. There will be no outside liquor or beverages permitted other than those served at the bar. Anyone in possession of such will be asked to leave.
9. No alcoholic beverage is to be taken from the hall.
10. Staff will use utmost caution when dealing with injuries to patrons or other staff.
11. All staff members who deal with patrons on any of the above matters should be accompanied whenever possible by a second staff member.
12. A logbook will be filled out after each bar. All incidents will be kept on file.
13. 1/2 hour prior to the time for bar closure the bartender(s) will announce the time of the closure. All patrons will be requested to clear the premises within 30 minutes after closing time.
14. The police will be called by the security, upon exhausting all other options. Under no circumstances shall excessive force be used when dealing with a patron.
15. The Village of Bible Hill agrees that the Bible Hill Volunteer Fire Brigade shall have sole control of the bar for any and all purposes and events and will be held responsible for its proper operation and control.

16. Minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian, and a list of names must be on the premise. Homemade liquor is not permitted.
17. The Village of Bible Hill and the Bible Hill Volunteer Fire Brigade assumes no liability for any action arising as a result of the services herein contracted. The holder of the License to serve liquor issued by the Government of Nova Scotia assumes all responsibility and liability for any such action whatever the origin of such action. (Holder of License Agreement).

Dated this ____ day of _____.

Village of Bible Hill Chair _____

Bible Hill Volunteer Fire Brigade Chief _____

Holder of Liquor License _____



Lois MacCormick
Chair



Robert Christianson
Clerk and Treasurer