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**From:** [REDACTED]@btinternet.com  
**Sent:** 01 August 2019 13:55  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Haddenham kebab van, feedback

**Categories:** Stewart

My property backs onto the Haddenham social club car park where the new kebab van trades. It has been going for about a month now, I will admit I had some reservations about it, expecting late night noise and extra rubbish. But I am pleased to say this has not been the case. There has been no extra noise or litter, and the van has always gone promptly by 10 o'clock, often before. The busiest time appears to be teatime rather than night time. I think it is good to have a variety of takeaway food in the village and its a mixture of old and young people who are taking advantage of it.

People are always quick to complain, so I thought I would take the time to give some praise



**From:** Clare Crane [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 31 July 2019 14:16  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Haddenham Kebab and Burger Van  
  
**Categories:** Stewart

We would like to say that we are in favour of the van staying and wish something like that would happen in our own village.

In the surrounding villages of Ely there are only fish and chip shops which are a combined Chinese take away. There is nothing like this in Haddenham, Stretham, Wilburton or Sutton.

We have found the food to be hotter than if bought from Ely and there's better parking too.

We would continue to use it.

Mr and Mrs Crane  
4 Cambridge Road  
STRETHAM  
CB6 3LW



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**From:** Daniel Phillips [dan131@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:dan131@hotmail.co.uk)  
**Sent:** 31 July 2019 19:04  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Haddenham Kebab Van  
  
**Categories:** Stewart

Hi there,

I have just seen that the kebab van are looking to now get a proper license for Haddenham and I just thought I would say that this is exactly the sort of thing that the village has been calling out for for a long time. These guys were great, always making everything in a proper manner with great respect to food hygiene (from what I could see from standing outside) and we were served with a great smile and true feeling customer care every time.

Up until now we had to travel to either Ely or Willingham for this sort of food so having one in the village has been incredible and I really hope to see them return.

All the best,

Daniel Phillips

10 Crossways, The Green  
Haddenham  
CB6 3TP



**From:** Harriet Ware [mailto:harriet100512@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** 02 August 2019 12:27  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Support of the kebab van  
  
**Categories:** Stewart

Hello

I would just like to put across that the kebab van in Haddenham has been a great thing to have in our village, the Chinese shop is a hit and miss with their food but the kebab van has never disappointed. I have heard that their has been a couple of complaints, one about how loud their generator is when they don't have one, they use the electric from the social club. Also another complaint about the smell, but there isn't a smell unless the wind is blowing a certain way, I get the smell at my house from the Chinese shop more than what I get it from the kebab van, which doesn't bother me anyway!

The men are all lovely who work there and also I have seen them going along the road to collect any rubbish that has been left each evening, which is never much as there isn't anywhere for people to sit and eat. It's also a bonus for our village as it is also helping fund the social club which defiantly needs the help, with people going in for a drink while they wait for their food and also with the money the kebab van gives the club this helps pay for things the club needs as well.

Thank you  
Harriet Ware

4 Chewells Lane  
Haddenham  
Ely  
Cambridgeshire  
CB63SS





**From:** Judith Bethell [mailto:judithbethell@btinternet.com]  
**Sent:** 31 July 2019 21:09  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Haddenham kebab van  
  
**Categories:** Stewart

Dear sir or maddam

I have no objections to the kebab van being in haddenham social club car park,I think it is a asset to the local community.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Judith Bethell

16 Chewells Lane

Haddenham

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Sent from my iPad



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**From:** Mandy Bethell - [mailto:mandy.d@hotmail.com]  
**Sent:** 31 July 2019 20:47  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Haddenham kebab Van  
  
**Categories:** Stewart

To whom it may concern , we have no concerns regarding the kebab van being at the Social Club, it has not caused us any problems and the food is excellent.

Mandy Bethell.

Paddock View  
Chewells Lane  
Haddenham

Sent from my iPhone



**From:** sarah fulcher [redacted]  
**Sent:** 01 August 2019 11:50  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** response to kebab van in haddenham

**Categories:** Stewart

greetings licensing committee,

My name is Sarah Fulcher and I live at number 5 Paddock Way in Haddenham. I am contacting you today mostly on behalf of my parents, who live at this same address, as they are presently away. As you may know, Paddock Way is situated just behind the Haddenham Social Club car park where the kebab van is situated.

I was informed that the meeting in which the kebab vans fate will be decided is to be held this Friday and was asked to contact the council leaving feedback as to how it has been received.

Although the kebab van has not been in situ for the greatest amount of time, I feel he has made a positive impression on the village already. I have been born and raised in the village so I know a lot of local people, most of whom have reported that they have enjoyed the food and would certainly go back again, my parents included and several of our neighbours in the street. I myself have frequented the van, enjoyed the food and was pleased to see that the van is nice and clean and the owner polite.

I feel that the vendor has been respectful to the immediate environment. There has been no noise pollution, no litter from his van left in the social club car park or approaching street and he has never stayed open beyond his stated serving hours despite people wanting late night snacks!.

I have heard a couple of my neighbours comment on the smell of food coming from the van, although I myself and my parents have not had such a waft come our way yet, I suppose it all depends on the direction of the wind. In the vendors defence, it is not just the smell of food that catches the air in this fenland farming village, at this time of year when we all have our windows open we also have the delights of bbq's and bonfires and later on muck spread on surrounding fields. Its just something you get used to, its part of village life and where we may not be able to control the wind surely the position of the van could be rotated in future to help prevent the smell of food drifting a certain way.

I feel that the vendor has made a promising start to the new business venture and has done well to ingratiate himself into our village community, which isn't always the easiest thing to do in a close knit village like Haddenham where people don't always like change. A good reputation takes a while to build up but I feel the Haddenham Kebab van is making every concerted effort to please and fit in with the locals and thus far appears to be achieving this. As I said earlier, I have only heard good things about the food, there are always people waiting for him when he gets there and several people have described the van as an asset to the village clearly enjoying the variety on offer.

I hope that my and my family's feedback can help you in making your decision many thank from Sarah, Sue and Jeff Fulcher  
5 Paddock Way, Haddenham

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**From:** Tracey Off grid [redacted]@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** 31 July 2019 14:34  
**To:** Licensing  
**Subject:** Haddenham kebab van  
  
**Categories:** Stewart

I'm in full support of Haddenham kebab van and just wanted to express how good the food is and professional the service is.

Warmest wishes  
Cllr Tracey Branson  
Enchanted Hill  
Aldreth road  
Haddenham  
Ely  
Cb63pn  
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Enchanted Hill  
Free range  
Smallholding





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**From:** Licensing  
**Subject:** FW: Haddenham Kebab Van

-----Original Message-----

From: Julie Clark [REDACTED]  
Sent: 16 July 2019 13:30  
To: customerservices <customerservices@eastcambs.gov.uk>  
Subject: Haddenham Kebab Van

Good afternoon,

I'm not really sure who to send this to but, please could it go to the correct person.

I write regarding the above, not to complain but, to put across mine and a lot of people who use this service views.

The village has looked forward to this for along time, the owners are very polite, keeping within their opening hours, always keep the area clean and tidy and I've also seen them walk along the road to collect any rubbish that people are too lazy to take home or put in the bins provided.

On our village page there is one person who constantly complains about everything, and I know has complained about the 'smell' from the van. I live along Chewells Lane and can quite honestly say that you get an occasional 'whiff' depending on which way the wind is blowing but, no way near the smell that is constant from the Fish and Chip shop down the High Street! [REDACTED]

We as a village have spoken about getting a petition up to keep the Kebab van. Opening from 1600-2200hrs for 4 days a week doesn't seem a lot to ask for a service for the village. It has also brought a lot more people together, using the Social Club for a drink while waiting for food, having a chat and being social, which is great for us all.

I hope that we keep this service, and I would also like to add that people from around surrounding villages are also coming to use this facility.

Kind regards  
J A Clark

