

Dunedin BYO Accord

An agreement between BYO licensees Supported by the Police and Public Health

Objectives:

- To allow BYOs to focus on being places for dining rather than places for alcohol consumption
- To ensure proper management and conduct in all BYO premises within the Dunedin area
- To reduce the incidence of intoxication in Dunedin restaurants offering BYO
- To empower licensees, duty managers and other staff to control the amount of alcohol consumed in their restaurants
- To maintain the standards of the Accord with all BYO premises.

The licensees together agree to ensure the following standards are met:

- BYO limits are set according to Health Promotion Agency's recommended limits for reducing the risk of injury on a single occasion of drinking by drinking no more than:
 - four standard drinks for women on any single occasion
 - five standard drinks for men on any single occasion

For example, customers may bring up to one bottle of wine per two people as BYO

- All bottles must arrive in a sealed state
- BYO is only allowed with purchase of a main meal (per person)
- No drinking games (including coins in glasses) are permitted
- After the consumption of their BYO customers may purchase alcohol from the restaurant (if it has an On Licence) provided they are assessed as not nearing intoxication
- Wine glasses will only be provided to customers/patrons who have the correct ID
- Patrons will be assessed for intoxication upon entry
- Intoxicated people will not be allowed to enter the premises
- Patrons will be frequently monitored for their levels of intoxication
- Patrons approaching intoxication will be offered water or non-alcoholic drinks. They will not be allowed to consume any more alcohol
- Intoxicated people will be required to leave the premises
- Water will be continuously available at all tables.

The Police and Public Health representatives will provide the following support to enable licensees to achieve their agreed objectives:

- Provide signage for restaurants advising customers of expectations around intoxication and of the licensee's BYO policies
- Help to inform the public of the BYO Accord and the reasons behind it
- Monitor BYO premises for compliance with the Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act.

Start date

The Accord shall take effect from Friday 29 May 2015. The Accord will cease to have effect should a future Accord be developed by the Licensees.

Signed:

Dated:

Licensed Premises:

Supported by:

