



Consumption of Alcohol Statement

Euroa Lawn Tennis Club Inc.

ELTC Committee endorses the following overarching statements in relation to alcohol and our Club. The Committee will review the appropriateness and currency of these statements as necessary. Ratified 23rd November 2022.

General Principles

- Euroa Lawn Tennis Club Inc. holds a Restricted Club Liquor Licence, VCGLR. We have Legal Obligations with respect to the provision and consumption of alcohol.
- We have Societal Obligations, particularly given that our patrons include children.
- We have a Duty of Care for activities to be conducted safely.
- We seek to be Respected and Well Regarded (be “good citizens”) within our community.

To be consistent with these General Principles...

Abide by the rules of our Liquor Licence. Consumption is restricted to between 12 noon and 12 midnight, Saturday to Monday. Other days have a later start time of 5pm. Our Red Line consumption area is displayed at the Bar; this is restricted to the clubhouse and lawn area immediately surrounding our clubhouse but not on or around the extremities of our courts. Alcohol is always served by a RSA qualified club member who has the obligation to refuse service to an alcohol impaired patron. (During our Labour Day Tournament, we are granted a temporary extension of our Red Line to include the complete venue surrounds.)

Alcohol is not consumed during any Junior function, minuted Club meeting or organized maintenance activity. Event Participants are required to not compete, train, coach or officiate if impaired by alcohol, (as determined by the Committee based on RSA guidelines - “reasonable grounds for the belief that someone is intoxicated”).

Club members, participants invited to Club hosted activities and their guests fall within the governance of the Club and are asked not to BYO. Supplementary to this, Strathbogie Council Laws for our precinct require, “A person must not consume an alcoholic beverage or have in their possession alcohol other than in a sealed container” other than in conjunction with “partaking in a meal”.