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Important notice to all hirers

This is part of your conditions of hire if you are having any form of music at your function and you the hirer must acknowledge and agree to these conditions in order for your booking to be accepted.

ENVIRONMENTAL NOISE CONTROL SYSTEM

An Environmental Noise Control System has been installed within the Village Hall to the stage area.

The noise level has been set at 100 decibels and is tamper proof. If the noise level is exceeded, the noise control unit will trip and the electrical power to the equipment will be cut off. The power supply can only be restored by and at the discretion of members of the Village Hall

The Hirer of the Hall will be wholly responsible for ensuring the noise level within the Hall is not exceeded for the duration of the hiring, included by any powered musical equipment.

The Environmental Noise Control System features a wall mounted bar-graph VU meter to give a visual indication of the noise level in the Hall. Anyone can see the volume level, including importantly those persons creating the noise level from the stage area. While the meter is operating in the GREEN section, with even an occasional peak into the RED, there is no cause for concern. If the noise level is high enough to light the OVER LIMIT section of the meter, that is three RED sections, the noise has exceeded the allowable limit and within seconds, the unit will trip and the electrical supply to the stage will be lost.

In order to avoid the cutting off or loss of the electrics during the course of the hiring it is suggested that the hirer/ stage user / sound provider at the time of setting up the event ensures that the allowable noise level will not be exceeded at any time.

The Village Hall will not accept any liability for any damage to any equipment of others within the Hall arising from the noise control level tripping and the loss of power to that equipment and the restoration of power.

Any attempt to bypass the noise control system in any way by seeking to or actually connecting up to any other power source within the Hall other than the stage area is strictly forbidden and could result in the event being cancelled at the discretion of the Village Hall.

It is the hirer's responsibility to inform whoever is providing the music of the above.

Thank you very much for your co-operation and understanding

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