

About the application

Application number: 2026/91972	
What is the application for?:	Change of use from public house (Sui Generis) to children's day nursery (Class E
Address of the site or building:	Silent Woman Hotel, Nabbs Lane, Slaithwaite, Huddersfield, HD7 5AU
Postcode:	HD7 5AG

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously?	Yes
I am concerned about the impact this proposed nursery will have on traffic and public safety in the surrounding area. Nabbs Lane and Church Street are already under considerable pressure during the morning and afternoon because of existing school and nursery traffic. At these times, the roads become congested, making it difficult for vehicles to pass safely and for pedestrians to cross. Adding another nursery to the area will inevitably increase the number of cars arriving and leaving during the same peak periods. This is particularly worrying as the route is used by families walking to Two Gates School, as well as by residents and commuters travelling through the area. Increased traffic at these times will only add to the existing congestion and make the junction more hazardous. The presence of double yellow lines around the site does not remove this concern. Experience shows that some drivers ignore parking restrictions when dropping off or collecting children, often stopping for short periods in unsuitable locations. This can reduce visibility for motorists and pedestrians, block the road, and create unnecessary risks for young children and other road users. I believe the cumulative effect of the existing nursery, the nearby school, and this additional development has not been fully addressed. The proposal would place further strain on an already busy road network and would have a detrimental impact on highway safety, parking, and the daily lives of local residents. For these reasons, I object to the application.	