

Is bethchatto.co.uk legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 100/100

bethchatto.co.uk

Verdict

100

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

bethchatto.co.uk appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Safe for Login

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-07-31 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

Homepage for Beth Chatto's Plants and Gardens, an established UK horticultural business offering plants, gifts, garden admission, events, educational activities, gardening advice, and blog content. The page provides a physical address, company registration number, charity registration number, email contact, and links to shipping, privacy, and terms information.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN

- Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	26 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2001 575 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by Amazon RSA 2048 M04	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2001.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

Beth Chatto's Plants and Gardens is an established UK horticultural website offering online plant and gift sales, garden admission tickets, events, educational activities, gardening guidance, and support for an associated education charity.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No identity contradictions, impersonation indicators, phishing behavior, or conflicting business claims were observed. The site's identity is reinforced by a long-established domain, extensive historical continuity, published organizational identifiers, and a clean external threat-reputation profile. Its observed browser behavior showed no cloaking, credential diversion, wallet activity, clipboard interference, or suspicious scripts.

- The domain-registration record shows registration through 123-Reg Limited on 26 April 2000: Registered 2000 (~26.28 years old), with expiry on 26 April 2028.
- The web archive contains 575 snapshots spanning 2001–2026 (26 years tracked), with no detected suspicious repurposing or semantic drift.
- The homepage identifies Beth Chatto's Plants and Gardens and publishes a physical address, company registration number, charity registration number, and standard contact information.
- External reputation checks recorded 0 malicious and 0 suspicious detections, no malicious safe-browsing finding, no external blacklist finding, and 0 infrastructure-abuse reports.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The homepage provides both company and charity identifiers and links to privacy, terms, delivery, and cookie information, supporting a transparent commercial identity. The site operates as a horticultural retailer, visitor garden, and education provider rather than as a regulated financial service; consequently, the absence of a financial-services licence claim is consistent with its stated activities. No adverse broker-database match was identified.

- The homepage links to shipping, privacy, terms, cookie-management, visitor-information, FAQ, and contact resources.
- The homepage separately presents the commercial business and its associated education charity, including registration identifiers for both.
- The site is served from AS16509 (AMAZON-02 — Amazon.com, Inc., US).

- The site's transport encryption uses a DV TLS certificate issued by Amazon RSA 2048 M04, valid to 5 November 2026.

What to Verify Next

Routine transactional diligence should focus on confirming that payment, delivery, returns, and event-admission terms match the intended purchase. For institutional engagement, the published company and charity identifiers may be reconciled with the relevant official registers, while material orders or partnerships may use independently confirmed business contact channels.

- The homepage provides dedicated Delivery & Shipping and FAQ routes for pre-purchase review.
- The site provides ticket-purchasing and visit-planning functions relevant to admission conditions and event arrangements.
- The homepage publishes a physical location at Clacton Road, Elmstead Market, Colchester CO7 7DB.
- The observed homepage contained no sensitive form or form submission to an untrusted destination.

Summary Verdict

The website is legitimate, established, and trustworthy. Its durable provenance, coherent organizational identity, clean reputation, stable behavior, and mature commercial content converge strongly in support of normal use.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website is protected by AWS CloudFront CDN/WAF infrastructure, with all observed addresses belonging to Amazon edge servers and the underlying origin shielded from direct exposure. This arrangement reduces origin-level exposure and supports availability, although protective infrastructure is a mitigating security control rather than independent proof of legitimacy.

Closing Assessment

Normal interaction, including account login, purchases, ticket booking, and other standard account actions, is appropriate, subject to ordinary review of the applicable transaction terms.

Written analysis generated 2026-07-31 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	UNVERIFIED
Identity score	30/100
Identity verification confidence	50%

- No on-site identity signals detected

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of bethchatto.co.uk.

- The request stayed on bethchatto.co.uk. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under 123-Reg Limited t/a 123-reg [Tag = 123-REG]. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by awsdns-10.org, across 4 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2028-04-26. CLEAR
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2001-03-31. CLEAR
- It is hosted on AMAZON-02, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	123-Reg Limited t/a 123-reg [Tag = 123-REG]
Hosting	AMAZON-02 - Amazon.com, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	18.165.140.103
Name servers	ns-1106.awsdns-10.org, ns-167.awsdns-20.com, ns-1881.awsdns-43.co.uk, ns-653.awsdns-17.net
SSL issuer	Amazon RSA 2048 M04
SSL expiry	2026-11-05
Domain age	26.3 years
Domain expiry	2028-04-26
Archive first seen	2001-03-31
Archive snapshots	575
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about bethchatto.co.uk at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.