

Is dailyvoice.co.za legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 99/100

dailyvoice.co.za

Verdict

99

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

dailyvoice.co.za 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 2026-08-04 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 55%.

What this site appears to be

Homepage of Daily Voice, an IOL-owned Cape Town regional news publication covering crime, community affairs, sports, entertainment, lifestyle, and opinion. The page includes attributed articles, newsletter signup, network publications, legal policies, and an extensive advertising-consent platform.

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	21 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Never archived No public history of this site	WATCH
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by WE1	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).
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.
- The operator behind the site could not be independently connected to a real-world brand or person.

Full analysis

Overview

Daily Voice is an established Cape Town regional news publication presenting attributed reporting on crime, community affairs, sport, lifestyle, entertainment, and opinion, supported primarily by advertising, audience measurement, newsletter promotion, and related media-network activity.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No identity contradictions, phishing indicators, brand impersonation, or malicious reputation findings were observed. The domain has been established for more than two decades, while the homepage contains substantial, current editorial content with named authors and publication times rather than the thin, copied, or transaction-driven material commonly associated with deceptive sites. Its only detected form is a conventional newsletter subscription form; no password capture, concealed form, untrusted submission destination, wallet interaction, clipboard manipulation, or cloaking behavior was identified.

- The domain registration record identifies IOL as the organization and shows registration through Gandi: registered 17 March 2005 (~21.39 years old), with expiry on 17 March 2027.
- The homepage attributes current articles to named journalists and displays publication or update times across multiple editorial categories.
- Homepage interaction testing found one newsletter-subscription form, no login form, no hidden form, and no sensitive form submission.
- External reputation checks recorded 0 malicious and 0 suspicious detections, no malicious safe-browsing finding, and no reported abuse associated with the assessed delivery address.

Regulatory Verification Notes

Daily Voice operates as a news and media publication, so financial-services licensing is not relevant to its apparent business model. The homepage exposes legal-policy material and an advertising-consent platform, providing a recognizable framework for managing an advertising-supported publication. The more material compliance consideration is privacy: the consent environment supports personalized advertising, cross-site profile sharing, precise-geolocation requests, and device linking. These practices are not evidence of fraud, but institutions subject to privacy or vendor-risk requirements should assess them against their own consent, tracking, and data-minimization standards.

- The homepage provides access to legal policies and an advertising-consent interface alongside its editorial content.

- The browser-facing consent controls identify personalized advertising, cross-site profile sharing, precise-geolocation requests, and device linking.
- The site's transport encryption uses a WE1-issued domain-validated TLS certificate, valid until 28 October 2026.
- No third-party broker profile was matched; this has no adverse significance for a regional news publication.

What to Verify Next

For formal enterprise onboarding, the current privacy and cookie terms should be reviewed to determine whether the site's advertising and measurement practices are compatible with institutional policy. Consent selections should be tested to confirm that optional personalization and location-related processing can be declined as represented. Any organization planning an advertising, syndication, or commercial relationship should obtain the applicable contractual entity and authorized business contact through an independently established corporate channel.

- The homepage's apparent revenue model includes advertising, personalized targeting, audience measurement, and print- or subscription-related promotion.
- Browser observation recorded external advertising and analytics activity consistent with that model.
- Two successful interaction runs found no cloaking, suspicious inline scripts, fingerprinting, wallet-provider activity, or clipboard writes.
- The homepage includes network-publication references that can support independent corporate-channel confirmation.

Summary Verdict

The website is legitimate, established, and trustworthy, with coherent editorial identity, mature operational characteristics, and a clean security reputation. Normal interaction, including account login where offered and standard site use, is appropriate.

Infrastructure Integrity

The site is delivered through Cloudflare's mainstream CDN and WAF infrastructure. All four observed addresses were Cloudflare edge nodes, and the origin server was shielded from direct observation; this reduces direct infrastructure exposure but is a security mitigation rather than independent proof of legitimacy.

- The hosting infrastructure serves the site from AS13335 (Cloudflare, Inc., US).
- Four observed IP addresses were Cloudflare edge servers, including the confirmed address 172.67.151.159; no origin candidate was exposed.

Closing Assessment

Prospective users may engage with the publication normally, while enterprise users should apply their standard privacy-review and third-party onboarding controls for any formal commercial relationship.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-04 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 dailyvoice.co.za.

- The request stayed on dailyvoice.co.za. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under Gandi. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by cloudflare.com, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2027-03-17. NOTED
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Gandi
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2606:4700:3033::ac43:979f
Name servers	pete.ns.cloudflare.com, coco.ns.cloudflare.com
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-10-28
Domain age	21.4 years
Domain expiry	2027-03-17
Archive first seen	Not available
Archive snapshots	0
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 dailyvoice.co.za 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.

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