

Is irishexaminer.com legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 100/100

irishexaminer.com

Verdict

100

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

irishexaminer.com appears legitimate.

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

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-03 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

The Irish Examiner homepage provides broad Irish, regional, international, sports, business, lifestyle, property, opinion, podcast, and video coverage, supported by subscriptions and advertising.

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	27 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2000 5000 snapshots	CLEAR
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).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2000.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

The Irish Examiner is an established Irish news publisher presenting national, regional, international, sports, business, lifestyle, property, opinion, podcast, and video coverage, funded through subscriptions, advertising, sponsored content, print or home-delivery offerings, and related media products.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No contradictions, impersonation indicators, phishing signals, or confirmed blacklist findings were observed. The homepage presents a coherent editorial publication model, substantial original coverage, subscriber services, and standard media features rather than abusive or deceptive interaction patterns.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage identifies the publication as “Irish Examiner” and provides extensive news, sport, business, lifestyle, property, opinion, podcast, and video sections.
- The homepage exposes no sensitive submission form, hidden form, wallet connection, or suspicious external destination.
- The domain was registered in 1999 and is approximately 27.29 years old; archival records contain 5,000 snapshots spanning 2000–2019 across 20 tracked years.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site’s identity presentation is consistent with a media publisher, with “Who We Are,” “Contact Us,” privacy, cookie, subscription, and advertising-related pathways. No financial-services license claim is presented, which is consistent with the stated publishing model; this is a transparency characteristic rather than evidence of misconduct. The available external reputation signals are clean, and the domain has a strong global traffic footprint.

EVIDENCE

- WHOIS lists Hosting Concepts B.V. d/b/a Registrar.eu as registrar, with creation date 1999-04-26 and expiration date 2027-04-26.
- The site is served from AS13335, CLOUDFLARENET – Cloudflare, Inc., US.
- TLS uses issuer WE1 with DV validation and is valid to 2026-09-19.
- The homepage provides subscription, advertising, print or home-delivery, and sponsored-content pathways consistent with its declared media business model.

What to Verify Next

For subscription or commercial engagement, confirm the applicable offer terms, billing conditions, cancellation process, and official contact route through the site’s own subscription and contact pages. Where a formal corporate or contractual record is required, independently confirm the publisher’s legal identity before executing material commitments.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage links to “Subscribe,” “Contact Us,” “Who We Are,” “Privacy,” and “Cookie Settings.”
- The navigation identifies digital bundles, subscriber content, ePaper, newspaper products, advertising, sponsored showcases, and related media services.
- The site’s observed behavior completed two successful runs with no hidden forms, clipboard manipulation, wallet-drainer activity, or cloaking detected.

Summary Verdict

The website presents a legitimate, established, and trustworthy operating profile. Its identity, mature publishing content, long operating history, clean reputation, and stable technical posture converge on a high-confidence assessment that normal interaction, including account login and standard use, is appropriate.

Infrastructure Integrity

The website is protected by Cloudflare’s CDN/WAF, with observed addresses operating as CDN edge infrastructure and no origin candidate identified. This materially reduces direct origin exposure and is a mitigating infrastructure characteristic, while remaining supportive rather than conclusive evidence of legitimacy.

Closing Assessment

Normal browsing, account login, subscription management, and other standard site interactions are appropriate within the stated service terms.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-03 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	25%

- 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 irishexaminer.com.

- The request stayed on irishexaminer.com. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under Hosting Concepts B.V. d/b/a Registrar.eu. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by cloudflare.com, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2027-04-26. NOTED
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2000-05-10. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Hosting Concepts B.V. d/b/a Registrar.eu
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2606:4700:20::681a:225
Name servers	ANDY.NS.CLOUDFLARE.COM, LOLA.NS.CLOUDFLARE.COM
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-09-19
Domain age	27.3 years
Domain expiry	2027-04-26
Archive first seen	2000-05-10
Archive snapshots	5000
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 irishexaminer.com 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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