Sai Care Homes

October 2026

The Hatfield
EXPRESS



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...and so much more!

A MESSAGE FROM US

This month, Team Hatfield have been up to all sorts - from Diwali dancing to creepy crafting.

And yes... that is indeed a donkey in our cafe!





VICTORIA BASS

LIVE AT HATFIELD LODGE

10th November 2026

14:15 to 15:00

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THE ROCK 'N' ROLLIN...

BARRY GOSS



LIVE AT HATFIELD LODGE

24th November

14:00 - 15:00

Diwali 2026

We had a wonderful time celebrating Diwali at Hatfield Lodge! Our residents thoroughly enjoyed the staff performances, clapping along and sharing plenty of smiles.

The celebration was made even better by a fantastic spread of food.

A big thank you to our staff for putting on such lovely performances and making the day so special for everyone.











Banks the Therapy Donkey

It was an honour to welcome Banks the Therapy Donkey into our cafe yesterday to meet our residents and staff!

Words can't describe how much of a gentle giant Banks is - he thoroughly enjoyed being showered with treats and attention for the hour. Residents shared fond memories of donkey rides on the beach and childhood trips to the stables. We already can't wait for his next visit!















Cuddly Cavies

On top of the visit from Banks, we had another special visit from our regular guinea pig visitors from Cuddly Cavies!

There were plenty of gentle cuddles and curious little sniffs when the guinea pigs came to say hello, and residents had the opportunity to give the guinea pigs their lunch.

Thank you for bringing so much joy to our day!

Music Afternoons

Our residents took the opportunity to show off their moves when we welcomed Iain McKenzie into our lounge for an acoustic set this month!

Iain wasn't a lone performer, though - he was assisted by Hatfield's very own percussion ensemble who added an extra layer of rhythm.

We can't wait for his next visit in early November!





Halloween





Our residents designed all sorts of Halloween decorations, completely in-house

Our residents got stuck in and lathered the home in all things frightening for this year's spooky season!

From colouring in pumpkins to cutting out bats, everyone made fantastic décor in preparation for our Halloween party.

We'll be sharing photos from the big day as soon as possible - follow our Facebook to stay in the loop!

The National Care Awards

It's been a fantastic month for award nominations - our parent group, Sai Care Homes, has been nominated for the **Care Home Group of the Year (Small)** award at **The National Care Awards!**

This award is a testament to the daily care, compassion, and commitment of every single carer, and support staff member at **Hatfield Lodge**, and our sister homes.

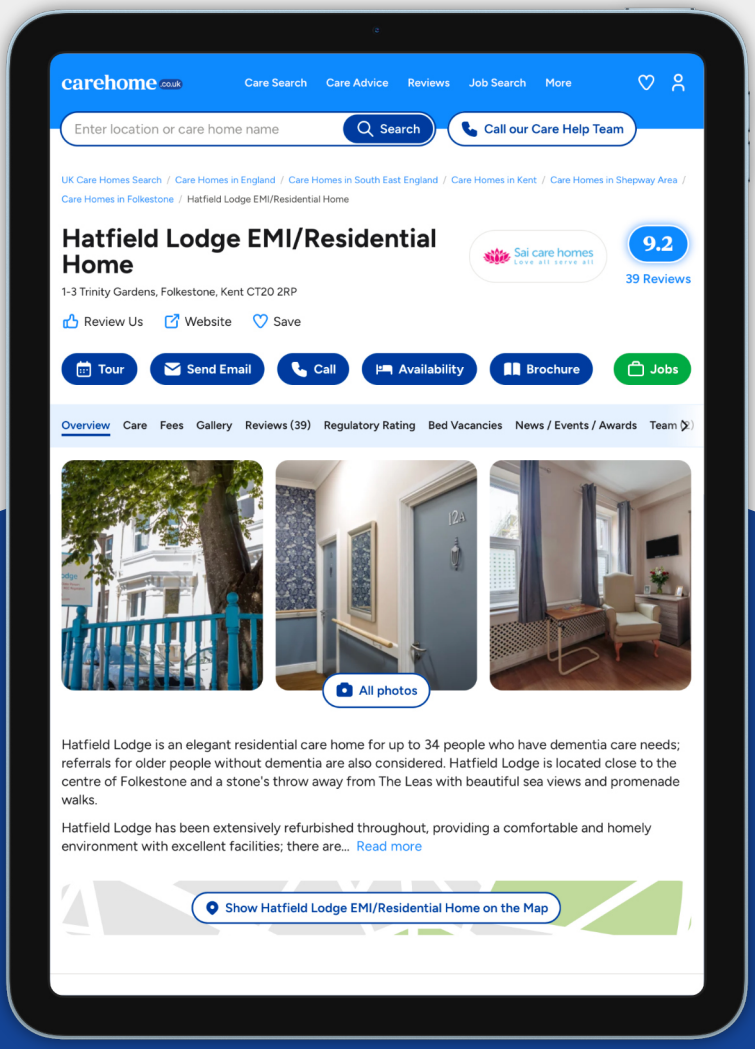
We'd like to thank our RS Rock Holdings colleagues for assisting with this nomination - bring on November 6th!







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