

PRESS RELEASE

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These are exciting times for all of us at Casa Hotels Group, the beginning of the year saw us being shortlisted in the 2023 Publican Awards in two categories Best Drinks Offer and Best Premium Food. The Publican Awards represent the ultimate benchmark for the nation's finest pub and bar chains.

Steve Perez, Chairman and Founder of Global Brands and Casa Hotels Group said:

“I am incredibly proud of all our teams who have all worked tirelessly to develop our drinks and cocktail range with the help of some of the industry's leading experts in our sister company Global Brands. I am especially proud to be nominated for Best Premium Food Offer at the Red Lion Restaurant which was owned and successfully run by my father in the 70's and I bought it back into the family 5 years ago.

Our ethos is to produce the highest quality sustainable food most of which is sourced from my farm just 2 miles away. Executive Chef Ben Peverall works closely with Craig Ellis my farm manager to produce the ultimate field to fork food, everything from beef, lamb and pork to eggs and honey from our own bees.

Our Berkshire pigs live in the woods where they are fed on the brewers' grains from our Chatsworth Gold Beer, a local brewery sold on tap in our establishments. We have an abundance of game on the menu when in season, a meat that is both rich in flavour and healthy, being high in protein. Alongside this we are currently installing a biomass facility which will allow us to heat the water for our laundry across both sites. It is wonderful to continue my father's legacy, watching it grow and prosper”.

- [Red Lion Restaurant at Peak Edge](#)

The Red Lion venue is the Peak Edge's 2 AA Rosette awarded restaurant, providing a relaxed space to eat and drink. The kitchen celebrates the food culture of the Peak District, using local and seasonal produce much from the Walton Lodge Farm Estate owned by Steve Perez.

More recently we hosted a glittering awards ceremony at Casa Hotel for the 2023 Peak District and Derbyshire Tourism Awards, attended by over 180 people, which saw some of the area's finest visitor attractions, pubs and restaurant and accommodation providers gathered together in recognition of their achievements.

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These awards are designed to showcase the excellence and outstanding accomplishments across our diverse tourism and hospitality sector.

We were delighted to be awarded:-

- Taste of Peak District and Derbyshire Award for Peak Edge Hotel (Gold award)
- Hotel of the Year for Peak Edge Hotel (Silver award)

- [Peak Edge Hotel](#)

Nestled on the edge of the Peak District, Peak Edge Hotel is an independently owned 4-star boutique property providing guests with a luxurious place to unwind and indulge. Each bedroom features stunning views of the surrounding countryside, offering a comfortable place to escape for true relaxation.

- Resilience and Innovation Award for Casa Hotel (Gold award)

- [Casa Hotel](#)

Built in November 2010, Casa has since become one of Derbyshire's leading four-star hotels, accumulating a wealth of awards and accreditations over the last ten years. Our award-winning team provides a warm welcome, a comfortable escape and a luxurious base from which to explore the Midlands and the glorious Peak District National Park.

We will now have the opportunity to represent the Peak District and Derbyshire in the National Visit England Awards for Excellence 2023 competition.

To round off, we were thrilled to have won the prestigious 2023 Hitched Wedding Award for Peak Edge Hotel, being proclaimed as one of the best wedding professionals in the UK with over 18,000 wedding vendors registering on the Hitched.co.uk platform.

Whilst times continue to be challenging in our industry, the recognition of our business is testament to both the strength and resilience of our dedicated and hardworking teams that literally go above and beyond every day to provide consistent exemplary service.

Do keep an eye on our social media channels for regular updates on our progress. All current information can be found on our websites or via the links below:

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