

THE MIDDLE HOUSE

YORKSHIRE DALES B&B

After acquiring a charming bed and breakfast in the Yorkshire Dales with 12 bedrooms, a pub, and a restaurant, the new owners realised that significant updates were needed.

Following a brief closure for a soft refurbishment, they partnered with Revenue by HRM to revitalise the rate and distribution strategy, aiming to boost occupancy levels throughout the summer months.







SHORT TERM STRATEGY

- Price Positioning: We replaced the outdated static pricing tariff with a dynamic structure in line with their market and competitive set
- Online Presence: We updated property information and imagery on distribution channels to optimise rank and visibility
- Room Recategorisation: We implemented room supplements for larger beds and views from bedrooms
- New PMS Installation: We supported with the installation of a basic reservation system and channel manager

LONG TERM STRATEGY

Additional adjustments and ongoing support included:

- Ongoing Communication: Monthly revenue calls and weekly reporting helped maintain a strategic focus
- Ongoing Rate Adjustments: Weekly rate adjustments and strategic future planning ensured maximum occupancy
- Tactical Promotions: Profitable tactical promotions helped to fill trough periods

MAY TO AUGUST 2024:

NET ROOMS REVENUE +64%

NET AVERAGE ROOM RATE +50%

OCCUPANCY +9%

(YEAR-ON-YEAR COMPARISONS)

"Georgina is an excellent revenue manager – we use her services at the Royal Hotel in Bath and now at the Middle House in Askrigg – in both hotels she has increased both rate and occupancy – nothing is too much trouble – she understands the market and thus can recommend what rates to charge and more importantly when to charge the higher rates. I would thoroughly recommend Revenue by HRM as it has made a significant impact both hotels"

Mervyn Parrish - Director Complete Hospitality Ltd

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