

DEALER SPOTLIGHT: HOMEPLAY LTD

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Recently opened in Sunbury-On-Thames, **Homeplay's new Experience Centre** helps to show off the best of the best when it comes to home control and automation.
Stunning visuals along with a mixture of both standard and bespoke Future Automation products allows customers to get a taste of what's possible in the modern smart home.



The stunning "Vertical Garden" at the Homeplay Experience Centre

Upon entering you're met with the beautiful "Vertical Garden", designed to not only draw in clients with its interesting aesthetics but also

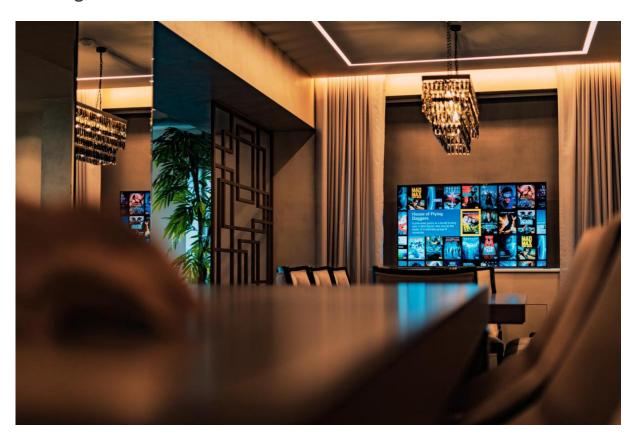
showcase <u>Homeplay's</u> branding, as well as their ability to offer customers smart outdoor audio solutions.



Automation inside the new Experience Centre is handled via Control4 touch panels and remotes, while lighting and shade control is enabled by Lutron. The brains of the new centre are discreetly stored inside a neatly appointed double width AV rack, while the Lutron lighting system is housed inside one of our Future
Automation Recess Mount Slimline DIN Rail
Enclosures.

Our recess mounted DIN rail enclosures are a smart space saving idea for limited space plant or control rooms and thanks to their hinged, vented doors, they are fully amendment 3 compatible.

Like all our **DIN Rail Enclosures**, they are also available Pre-Wired or "Site Ready" as part of our **Enclosure Wiring Service.**



A Future Automation **PL TV Lift** behind the meeting desk

Design to showcase both residential and commercial solutions, **Homeplay's Experience Centre** features a

meeting desk and conference system, combined with a **Future Automation PL TV Lift** cleverly concealed inside the window sill.

Operated over RS232 via the Control4 system, the <u>PL TV</u> <u>Lift's</u> operation is synchronised with the rooms shading solution, allowing complete room transformation from a single button press.

See our spotlight video on this <u>PL TV Lift</u> below to see the transformation for yourself and experience the look of it's unique "Drop and Roll Flap".

The Future Automation <u>PL TV Lift</u> in action



Our <u>MDM-SPLIT Moving Door Mechanism</u> enables easy room diving in the Homeplay Experience Centre

To help reinforce the idea of multi-use spaces, **Homeplay's Experience Centre** features a social bar area complete with mirror TV and hidden refrigeration. This is located next to their fully Dolby Atmos enabled home cinema room, with the two

areas being divided by a bespoke sized Future
Automation MDM-SPLIT Moving Door Mechanism.

Installing one of our **Moving Door Mechanisms** gives the team at Homeplay the option to either close off the home cinema room to demo it's full audio and visual potential, or open the room up to allow customers in the bar area to also view the cinema screen, creating a great communal space for entertaining.

See our spotlight video on this <u>MDM-SPLIT Moving Door</u> <u>Mechanism</u> below to see how our room diving solutions can help create multi-functional spaces.

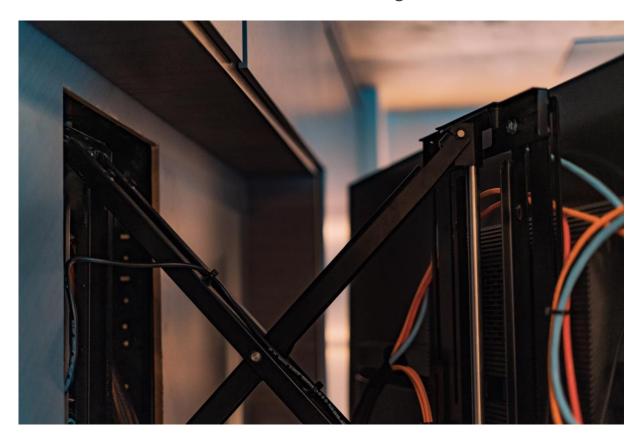
The Future Automation MDM-SPLIT Moving Door Mechanism in action



Stunning high end joinery gives the Experience Centre an amazing look and feel

The Experience Centre also includes a Media Room, featuring a 65" recessed screen and width matched sound bar, both mounted on a Future Automation PS55
Articulated TV Wall Mount. The PS55 Wall Mount has

been recess-mounting using our compatible <u>Future</u> <u>Automation WB26 In-Wall Mounting Box</u>.



The Future Automation **WB26 In-Wall Mounting Box** enable easy cable runs and accessory storage behind displays

Use of our <u>WB26 In-Wall Mounting Box</u> means that power and source connections for the screen are stored inside the behind the screen, making fitting and future maintenance easy.

By recessing **PS55 Bracket** inside the wall box, **Homeplay** has also ensured that both screen and soundbar fit flush with the surrounding joinery, giving the illusion of a flat mounted screen, while still having the ability to pull and turn the screen for better viewing.



Our **PS55 Articulated TV Wall Mount** allows even heavy screens to be moved with one hand

Thanks to the super rigid constructions of our <u>PS55</u> <u>Bracket</u>, the screen has been mounted in a recess with a minimal gap around, giving a clean and professional finish that fits in the stunning joinery already present in the Media Room.

With no vertical or horizontal play when moving, the <u>PS55</u> allows the screen to be pulled out and turned up to 50° left or right, while still remaining perfectly level.



Smart joinery design helps hide the screen and Sliding Panel System

The Media Room also contains a hidden gem in the form of a 55" display, concealed by a **Future Automation SPS Sliding Panel System.** Almost invisible thanks to the clever joinery design around the sliding panel, the display is smoothly and quietly revealed as the joinery panel drops back into the wall cavity and lifts up before the screen is pushed flush with the surrounding panels.

As with the other Future Automation mechanisms in the Experience Centre, the **SPS Sliding Panel System** is seamlessly integrated into the Control4 system, enabling it to work perfectly with the rest of the technology on display.