

# VISIT TRURO

## **Press release for immediate publication**

The Wild Truro guides are now available, both in print and digitally.

Wild Truro was an initiative set up to encourage wildlife into our city. Truro City Council's Parks Department, with help from local community groups, have spent a great deal of time making sure that the outdoor spaces are maintained, making them an enjoyable place for residents, visitors and wildlife.

Chris Waddle, Countryside Ranger, has said: "Truro's wild spaces are a haven for wildlife, which are loved by the public. Alongside the city council, many local community groups and charities devote their time to help develop and protect these cherished areas."

Abi Steel from Visit Truro Visitor Information Centre came up with the idea to create the guides to highlight the work behind the Wild Truro initiative. She said: "We wanted to create a guide for locals and visitors to shout about the work our Countryside Ranger does in the areas not as well known in Truro. We hope this guide will help families discover Truro's lesser known spaces."

As people are spending more time outdoors, the guide highlights walking routes in and around the city. Routes include the City Centre trail, which guides people around the city via the natural open spaces and the floral displays created by the Parks Department. Woodland walks, including Glasteinan Woods, Daubuz Moor and Coosebean Woodland, are also featured.

Liam Shoesmith, Parks Manager for Truro City Council, has said: "Wild Truro demonstrates what the home gardener can do to encourage wildlife into the garden. We hope this guide encourages people to explore our city and take these horticultural tips home with them to bring wildlife into their own gardens."

The maps printed in the Wild Truro guides and on the Visit Truro website are consistent with those displayed in the city, where you will find information about the nearest park and ride stop, nearest car parks, bus stops, bike racks and public toilets. The maps were designed and created by Jan Peter Thompson, who also put the guides together.

The printed versions of the guide are free, and are available from the following locations: Visitor Information Centre on Boscawen Street; Truro Community Library; Pollen in the Park; Boscawen Park Cafe. A digital version of the guide, which is also free to view, is available at [visittruro.org.uk](http://visittruro.org.uk).

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