

National Trust Press Release

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Images can be downloaded here  [Truro Art Society spring exhibition](#).

Local artists exhibit at National Trust Trelissick

Creatives from the Truro Art Society will be displaying their work in the stables at the Trelissick, near Truro between 3 – 18 May.

The Society's Spring Exhibition will feature work from a number of talented local amateur and professional artists and include a wide range of media.

Property Operations Manager for the National Trust at Trelissick, Jen Pina says, "We're delighted to welcome Truro Art Society to Trelissick to share their work, and to support the development of local art and artists in the community."

Truro Art Society was established in the 1950s and, aside from a couple of revamps, continues today. The members and guests meet once a month on a Thursday morning to share their interest in art with interactive talks and demonstrations from local artists.

Most of the members of Truro Art Society who will be showing their work at Trelissick are amateur artists, with a sprinkling of professionals. Being an artist is not a precursor to joining the society with opportunities to socialise and learn about others' artistic methods.

An eclectic mix of media are used by members including watercolour, oil, acrylic, pastel, pen and pencil sketches, block printing and collage. Subjects covered include seascapes, landscapes, botany, portraits, still life, and abstract studies. A lot of the Truro Art Society members are inspired by Cornish life, environment and light levels leading to some beautiful paintings. Previous exhibitions have also included ceramics, wood turning and handicrafts.


The visual splendour continues in the outdoors as spring in the garden at Trelissick reaches its peak. Adam Carveth, Head Gardener for the National Trust at Trelissick comments "Spring in the garden at Trelissick is not to be missed. Right now, the rhododendrons are in full bloom, surrounded by banks of bluebells and cherry blossom throughout the garden. Don't miss the delicate wisteria in full bloom along the Walled Garden and visit the woodland walks to see wildflowers blanket the woodland floor. It really is a special time to enjoy this garden and its wonderful views over the River Fal."

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About the National Trust

In January 2025 the National Trust marked its 130th birthday by launching its new 10-year strategy People and Nature Thriving.

This strategy, which will guide the charity's work and direction from 2025-2035 and beyond, focuses on three key goals:

- Restore Nature
- End unequal access to nature, beauty and history
- Inspire more people to care and take action

The plans follow the largest public consultation ever carried out by the National Trust, with more than 70,000 people – including members, volunteers and industry partners – sharing their views on the Trust's work and direction. Read more about the National Trust's strategy [here](#).