



# EXPLORE THE ROSELAND PENINSULA

In our opinion, this is **ONE OF CORNWALL'S BEST DRIVING ROADS** out of the busy tourist season!

Bordered by the Fal Estuary to the west and the Atlantic to the east, The Roseland Peninsula has been designated part of Cornwall's Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty for the quality of its landscape and coastal scenery.

It's only a short drive from Cornwall Services before you hit a switchback of lanes that will lead you to some **LOVELY WIDE OPEN BEACHES** that are never crowded; out of the way farm shops selling produce grown in nearby fields and ultimately to the coast and St Mawes, a fashionable fishing village curving around a sheltered bay.

The peninsula also has **GREAT WALKING ROUTES** and the coastal waters are popular with yachtsmen, windsurfers and canoeists.

## DIRECTIONS

TIME APPROXIMATELY 1.5 HOURS IN TOTAL (STOP AT ST MAWES)

- From the Services, head South down the A30 towards Truro.
- Take a left at Carland Cross (Shell garage on your left) down the A39, past a Honda garage and towards the top of Truro.
- Turn left at the large T junction towards Tresillian.
- Now continue on the A390, up the long hill until you see a right turn for St Mawes/A3078.

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# ROUTE MAP

## PLACES OF INTEREST

### 3. Tregony

The village of Tregony is known as the 'gateway to the Roseland'. The exceptionally wide Fore Street is a relic from the days when this was a busy port with traffic to match.

### 4. King Harry Ferry

Established in 1888, this amazing chain driven platform connects St Mawes and the Roseland Peninsula with Feock, Truro and Falmouth by avoiding the alternative 27 mile route through Truro & Tresillian.

### 5. St Just in Roseland Church

St Just in Roseland Church is a very special 13th century Church, with a 6th Century Celtic heritage, in a unique waterside semi-tropical garden setting.

### 7. Hotel Tresanton

Originally created in the 1940s as a yachtsman's club, Tresanton is a cluster of old houses on different levels; in the 1950s and 60s it became one of the best-known and best-loved hotels in Cornwall.

### 8. St Mawes Castle

St Mawes Castle is among the best-preserved of Henry VIII's coastal artillery fortresses, and the most elaborately decorated of them all.

## PUB/RESTAURANTS

### 1. Plume of Feathers

Excellent local village pub serving great food.

### 2. The Wheel Inn

It was at the Wheelhouse pub that Thomas Fairfax commanded part of the English Civil War in 1645!





### 6. Rising Sun pub

A great pub with harbour views. Good food and both child and dog friendly

## SCENIC VIEW

9. Stunning views of Falmouth, St Anthony's Head and the sea.

## MAP KEY

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-  TOILETS

